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TENTH REPORT

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TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY :—

PURSUANT to the Statute made and passed in the Session of Parliament held in the first and second year of Your Majesty's reign, entitled " An Act for Keeping Safely the Public Records," I, the undersigned Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, do hereby most humbly make my Tenth Report to Your Majesty, for the year beginning 1st of January, 1848, and ending 31st of December, 1848, including, however, certain particular transactions, hereinafter quoted as being subsequent to the said 31st December, 1848. And, pursuing the plan adopted in my former Reports, I have arranged the matters hereby submitted to Your Majesty under three general heads; the documents from which further details are to be collected, being inserted in the two Appendices hereto annexed.

I. Proceedings relating to the taking possession of Records, and also to Records not yet in the custody of the Master of the Rolls.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the regulations of the Statute.

III. General matters connected with the care and management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

I. PROCEEDINGS RELATING TO THE TAKING POSSESSION OF RECORDS, AND ALSO TO RECORDS NOT YET IN THE CUSTODY OF THE MASTER OF THE ROLLS.

1. *Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law, &c.*—Accommodation having been provided in the Carlton Ride for the reception of the accruing Records, as mentioned in the Ninth Report submitted to Your Majesty (I. § 1), five Warrants, all dated 11th January, 1849, were duly signed by the Master of the Rolls and the Lord Chancellor, for the transfer into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, of all such Records of Your Majesty's Courts of Queen's Bench, Common Pleas, and the Revenue Side of the Exchequer, as had accrued since the last transmission thereof, viz., the Records of the year 1828; as particularized and described in the several Schedules annexed to such Warrants, the same being the following, viz. :—

i.

Records of the Court of Queen's Bench :—

Queen's Bench Office, Temple.

The Plea and Crown Rolls of the Court of King or Queen's Bench.

Writs and Returns, and Entries thereof, Bail Pieces, Docket Rolls, Proceedings in Outlawry, Posteas, Nisi Prius Records, and Affidavits.

ii.

Records of the Crown Office, Queen's Bench :—

Crown Office, Temple.

Original Indictments and Presentments found by the Grand Jury in the Court of Queen's Bench, Informations exhibited on the Crown Side of the Court, and Indictments, Presentments, and Convictions, removed by Certiorari or Writ of Error, in London or Middlesex; each Term put up in bundles, called " Files," which are covered with vellum, and indorsed on the outside, " London and Middlesex Indictments," of the respective Terms and Years to which they belong.

Indictments, Writs of Error, Presentments, and Convictions, removed from other Counties than London or Middlesex, and Informations exhibited in Court for offences committed in those Counties; put up in Files of the respective Terms to which they belong, and indorsed " Indictments—Out-Counties."

Writs of Certiorari to remove Orders and other Proceedings of Inferior Courts, and all other Writs issued on the Crown Side of the Court, with their Returns; and Writs issued out of the Court of Chancery, and returned into the Court of Queen's Bench; put up in Files, and indorsed "Record of Orders," for the respective Years to which they belong.

All Recognizances taken upon Writs of Certiorari issued out of the Court; put up in Files, and indorsed "Recognizances upon Certioraris," of the respective Years to which they belong.

All Recognizances either taken in Court, or conditioned for the appearance of parties in Court; put up in Files, and indorsed "Recognizances taken in Court," of the respective Terms and Years to which they belong.

All Panels of Grand Juries, returned by the Sheriffs of the County of Middlesex to serve for the said County in the Court of Queen's Bench.

All Affidavits filed on the Crown Side of the Court.

All Interrogatories filed on Attachments of Contempt charged to have been committed against the Court, and the Answers to such Interrogatories.

All Inquisitions taken on Prisoners who have died in the Queen's Bench Prison, or within the Rules thereof.

All Books of Rules and Orders entered up to the end of Michaelmas Term, 1828.

All Pye Books, or Books of Reference to Indictments, alphabetically and numerically entered, to the end of Michaelmas Term, 1828.

All Rolls containing Entries of such Writs as are by the practice of the Court enrolled, denominated Special Writs, and the Returns to Writs of Mandamus: also Rolls containing Minutes of all the principal Proceedings in Crown Causes, with numerical references to the Rolls in the Queen's Bench Treasury, where the Proceedings are entered at length, serving as Indexes to those Rolls; all bound up annually in vellum, together with the Rolls called "Bag Rolls," and are indorsed "Controlment Rolls," of the Years to which they belong.

iii.

Records of the Court of Common Pleas:—

Common Pleas Office, Serjeants' Inn.

Personal Plea Rolls, or Communia Placita.

Enrolments of Pleas of Land and Deeds, or Placita Terræ.

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The Original Writs of Covenant and Fines.

iv.

Records of the Registrar of the Court of Common Pleas:—

Office of the Registrar of the Court of Common Pleas, Serjeants' Inn.

The Chirographer's Notes of Fines, on parchment, in bundles containing one Term each, arranged chronologically, in alphabetical order of Counties.

The Books containing the Indexes to the said Notes of Fines.

v.

Records of the Queen's Remembrancer in the Exchequer:—

The Queen's Remembrancer's Office, Duke-street, Westminster.

In Revenue Prosecutions' Department.

Affidavits, from Michaelmas Term, 1827, to Trinity Term, 1828	2 bundles.
Public Accounts, viz.—	
Anglia Accounts, including the Accounts of St. Paul's Cathedral from 1807 to 1811	2 rolls.
Tax Accounts, 1828	1 roll.
Memoranda Rolls, from Hilary Term, 1828, to Michaelmas Term, 1828	2 rolls.
Orders (Original), from Hilary Term, 1828, to Michaelmas Term, 1828	4 bundles.
Process, Easter and Michaelmas Terms, 9 Geo. IV.	2 bundles.
Extents and Inquisitions, from 1826 to 1828	1 bundle.

In Sheriffs' and Estreats' Department.

Great Roll of the Pipe, 9 Geo. IV.	1 roll.
Originalia Roll, 9 Geo. IV.	1 roll.
Memoranda Roll (of the late Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Office), 9 Geo. IV.	1 roll.
Post Fine Rolls, from Hilary Term, 8 and 9 Geo. IV., and Easter, Trinity, and Michaelmas Terms, 9 Geo. IV.	4 rolls.
Nichill Roll, 9, 10, and 11 Geo. IV.	1 roll.
Foreign Apposer's Documents, 1828	1 bag.
Estreats, 1828	1 bag.

and all the preceding Records are now in course of transfer.

With respect to the Records of the Exchequer of Pleas, no Records will have to be transferred, as mentioned in the said Ninth Report (I. § 1), until the year 1851, unless such transfer shall be previously desired by the Lord Chief Baron, pursuant to the powers given by the Record Act.

Two large lots of Papers and Documents belonging to the Court of Queen's Bench, and which were not delivered over by the proper Officers when the former Warrants comprising them were executed (a practice occasioning much inconvenience), have been brought into the custody of the Master of the Rolls in such manner as is hereafter mentioned (II. § 26).

2. *Accruing Records of the First Fruits and Tenths.*—Pursuant to a sixth Warrant, also dated 11th January, 1849, the Records heretofore in the custody of the Remembrancer and Collectors or Receivers of the First Fruits and Tenths, now or late in the custody of the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, and which have accrued since the execution of the last Warrant, dated the 7th January, 1848,—to wit, all Bishops' Certificates of Institutions and Patronages for the several Dioceses of England and Wales for the year 1828, are also in course of transfer into the custody of the Master of the Rolls.

3. *Accruing Records of the Chancery and Parliament.*—These, according to ancient usage, have been delivered into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and deposited in the Rolls Chapel, as after mentioned (II. § 12).

4. *Municipal and Parliamentary Boundaries' Documents.*—The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury having deemed it advisable that the Maps, Plates, and other Documents connected with the inquiries into the Municipal Corporations' Boundaries, pursuant to the Act 5 and 6 Will. IV., c. 76, entitled "An Act to provide for the Regulation of Municipal Corporations in England and Wales," and for the correction of the Parliamentary Boundaries, which, at the time of their forming such determination, were in the custody of Captain Dawson, of the Tithe Office, should be transferred to the Public Record Office, in order that they might be preserved with care, and rendered available for any public purpose for which they might be required, did, by their letter of the 9th November, 1848, communicate such their wish to Lord Langdale, requesting him to appoint a proper person to inspect the same Documents, and to take charge of them when Captain Dawson should report that they were no longer required for any current purpose. Pursuant to the request so made by the Lords of the Treasury, Mr. Black was appointed to inspect and report upon the said Documents; and, in consequence of his report thereon, their Lordships, by their letter of the 7th December, 1848, informed Lord Langdale that they considered it advisable that all the Public Documents in the possession of Captain Dawson, connected with the Municipal and Parliamentary Boundaries' Commissions, should be transferred without delay to the charge of the Record Department, which was accordingly done in such manner as is hereafter mentioned (II. § 18).

Some proceedings have also taken place with respect to certain other original Records, Reports, Papers, and Documents of the late Commissioners on Municipal Boundaries remaining in the possession of the late Secretary, Mr. Parkes, and their Lordships have given directions to Mr. Parkes to transfer all the Records, Reports, Papers, and Documents before mentioned, to any person who might be appointed by Lord Langdale to take charge of them on account of the Record Department; and the business is in progress.

5. *Commissariat Papers.*—The Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, by their letter of the 15th December, 1848, were pleased to transmit to Lord Langdale a copy of a letter, dated 6th December, 1848, from Deputy-Assistant-Commissary-General Darling, relating to certain Books, &c., of the Commissariat Staff serving at the lately abandoned station at Forts Garry in the Hudson's Bay Territory, and also to certain other Papers belonging to Commissariat business and affairs during the administration of Deputy-Assistant-Commissary-General Mildmay. Their Lordships state in such letter, that as the military station in the Hudson's Bay Territory has been broken up, their Lordships propose, should Lord Langdale have no objection, that the Documents should be taken charge of by the Record Department. Pursuant to this letter, Mr. Black was appointed to examine the Books and other Documents, which he did, and he also conferred thereon with the Officers of

the Commissariat Department at the Treasury, and having, by his Report of the 21st December, 1848, recommended that they should be transferred into this Department, Lord Langdale, by his letter of the 22nd December, 1848, appointed Mr. Black to receive the same, and they have accordingly been removed into the Rolls House, as after mentioned (II. § 17).

6. *Audit Office Papers.*—The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, by their letter of the 13th November, 1848, transmitted to Lord Langdale a copy of a letter from the Commissioners of Audit, dated 6th November, 1848, together with a copy of its inclosure, relative to the accumulation of Accounts and Vouchers in the Audit Office, and their Lordships thereby requested that Lord Langdale would cause the Documents to be inspected, and furnish the Board with his opinion, whether any objection existed to their being destroyed, or sold as waste paper. The inclosure from the Commissioners of Audit represents to the Treasury, that in consequence of the great increase and accumulation of Accounts and Vouchers in the Audit Office, the Commissioners think that some of the earliest should be destroyed, and they refer to a former application made to the Treasury on 16th January, 1839, when they reported that a like necessity existed, proposing, however, to keep for some time longer, certain Vouchers and documents relating to the expenditure in the Peninsula. In this proposal their Lordships acquiesced, giving, however, specific instructions for the retention of certain classes of vouchers which they thought should be retained. The Commissioners of Audit then proceed to state that nearly ten years had elapsed since that time, and that they had called on two of their Officers, Messrs. Stow and Andoe, to report as to the probability of references being made to the Documents if preserved. The Report to which allusion is thus made, describes the boxes of accounts which had been preserved at the suggestion of the Board, pursuant to a Report made by them to the Lords of the Treasury, dated 16th January, 1839, and the Officers then proceed to state that, considering the time that had since elapsed, they are of opinion that no inconvenience will arise from the destruction of the whole of those Accounts, especially as the Books, Registers, and Correspondence, relating to the same services, are retained in the Audit Office, which in all probability would, in the opinion of the reporting officers, be sufficient to answer any official or reasonable inquiry. Lord Langdale, by his letter of the 21st November, 1848, after stating that he had come to the conclusion that he had no authority to determine what, if any, papers belonging to any Public Office ought to be, or might not improperly be, destroyed, expressed himself as follows:—

"I am indeed of opinion, that, in order to prevent the great inconvenience which "in process of time must arise from unlimited accumulation, it will at length be "found necessary to give to the Record Office a power to destroy Documents "ascertained, or upon careful consideration considered, to be useless; but whenever that power may be given, it must be accompanied by strict regulations, the "objects of which will be, amongst other things:—

"i. To secure the greatest caution in its exercise.

"ii. To preserve short lists, abstracts, or indications of the nature or effect of the "destroyed Documents; and—

"iii. To preserve distinct evidence of what has been done, and by whose order.

"There has not yet been any occasion to consider the particular rules and cautions which ought to be adopted on such occasions.

"On considering the statement as to the nature of the Documents which is "contained in the Report of Messrs. Stow and Andoe, I do not think it clear that "the Documents, having, as I suppose, ceased to have any Official value, have also "ceased to have any Historical, Military, Statistical, or Economical value. We "are, perhaps, all too apt to suppose that things, of which we do not ourselves "immediately see the use, cannot be turned to any use by others; and this notion "has, I believe, led to the destruction of many Documents, which it would have "been much better to preserve."

Mr. Black has since been appointed to inspect the Audit Office Papers and to report thereon, previously to their being finally disposed of.

7. *Admiralty Records.*—The Officers of Your Majesty's Honourable Board of Admiralty, being desirous that the Documents belonging to the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, in the Pavilion in Deptford Dock-yard, should be completely transferred to the Record Office, as signified by the letter of the

Accountant-General of the Navy, dated 8th August, 1848, the remaining Documents which had not been removed on former occasions, have been received into the Branch Record Office in the Tower, as after mentioned (II. § 4).

8. *Treasury Records.*—It is stated in the Ninth Report (II. § 11), that Mr. Black had made considerable progress in ascertaining the nature and relations of the Miscellaneous Books of the Treasury, and that certain Books of Customs' Establishments therein mentioned, had been arranged in times and classes, but that the series could not be completed without the transfer of certain other volumes of Customs' Establishments, then in the Custom-House. Such of these Books as now appear to be extant, have been removed into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, as after mentioned (II. § 16).

9. *State Paper Office.*—It has pleased the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, by their Minute, dated 8th August, 1848, transmitted to Lord Langdale by their letter, dated 15th August, 1848 (App. I. No. 1), for the reasons in such Minute mentioned, to direct, amongst other things, that no new appointments should be made to the separate Establishment of the State Paper Office, and that, on the retirement of the present Keeper of the State Papers, the charge of that Office should be transferred to the Master of the Rolls, and that the Officers of the Record Department should, after that event, be available for any duties that may arise in connexion with the arrangement of the documents in the State Paper Office; and furthermore, that, in case Your Majesty's Secretaries of State should signify their consent to the arrangements above described, their Lordships would communicate with the Master of the Rolls, with a view to their being carried into effect at the proper time.

The Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, by their letter of the 14th September, 1848, transmitted to the Master of the Rolls, copies of letters from the Home Office, Foreign Office, and Colonial Office, whereby Your Majesty's three Secretaries of State signify their consent to the prospective arrangements; and Lord Langdale has made the needful communications for the purpose of directing the proceedings to be had, when the consolidation shall take effect at the period therein specified.

10. *Irish Records.*—In the Eighth Report (I., § 9), it is stated that Mr. Black had, under the sanction of the Treasury, proceeded to Ireland for the purpose of examining certain Records therein mentioned, and had made a Report thereon, dated 25th March, 1847. He has since made a further Report on the same subject, dated 25th October, 1848, which having been transmitted to Your Majesty's Treasury, their Lordships state, by their letter of the 11th November, 1848, that they have perused the same with much interest, and that it appears to them to have been prepared with much ability and judgment. Furthermore, that they have transmitted the Report and accompanying plans to the Commissioners for inquiring into the best mode of preserving and arranging the Irish Records, who (as their Lordships express themselves) will no doubt receive much assistance therefrom.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the Regulations of the Statute.

Chapter House.

Common Law, Exchequer, and Miscellaneous Records.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. Frederick Devon.)

1. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division will appear in the Tabular Summary (App. I., No. 6).

2. *Arrangements, Calendars, &c.*—The Assistant Keeper has employed himself in continuing the compilation of his Alphabetical Indexes of the Post Mortem Inquisitions anciently returned into the Court of Wards and Liveries, which Inquisitions, as before mentioned, (Ninth Report, II., § 2,) constitute one set of these Documents, the other sets being, so far as they extend, deposited in the Rolls Chapel, Tower, and Carlton Ride. The whole number which has been completed by him amounts to 5276. He has also employed himself upon the sortation of the Miscellaneous Documents considered as the proceedings of the Court of Wards and Liveries and Court of Requests, but which contain many other proceedings not connected with these Courts, particularly a

considerable number of State Papers, as well as domestic Documents, several of which possess great historical value, among which may be noticed the Warwickshire Muster Rolls, giving particulars of several members of the families of Shakspeare and Hatheway. He has selected these Documents from 90 sacks of the Miscellanea, and begun a rough Index thereof, which can be produced to any searcher; and he has also collected various points of information relative to the same.

Mr. Burtt, the senior Clerk, has judiciously continued his arrangement of the Rolls and Documents contained in the Presses; he proceeds regularly through the Presses containing the Documents, revising the existing Calendars when required, and otherwise preparing the Documents for consultation and use.

To refer to the respective localities to which the arranged Records had of late years been removed;—to give a local habitation for the present, to the described Documents which had not been arranged;—to describe, put together, cover up, and take account of those which were still entirely neglected, and to sort out and describe from the still unsorted "Miscellanea" those which required description;—were the objects contemplated to be performed, when the Calendar of the Contents of Presses was commenced upwards of five years ago. It was intended merely as a stock-taking account,—a work auxiliary and preparatory to a system of arrangement, in relation to the whole mass of the Public Records, to be afterwards decided upon; and the following is the present state of the operations he has performed:—

Nearly 1200 Rolls previously described have been examined and entered in the old Calendars according to their present localities.

And in the progress of the work to that part of the Office now arrived at, 750 Rolls or Bundles have been, for the first time, examined, indorsed with descriptions, and entered.

550 Deeds and 148 Diplomatic Instruments have undergone similar operations.

300 Deeds of peculiar classes have had an Index of persons and places made to them; and

73 Ancient Royal and other Letters have been abstracted (some of the Abstracts being annexed to the Deputy Keeper's Eighth Report, App. II. No. 8).

The scheme of the work being to perform the requisite operations upon all Documents which came in the way, examining the contents of the Office, box by box, and press by press, and a part of the Office having been reached which brought under notice a large number of unsorted Records (a portion of "the mass" often referred to), it was found that many of them were susceptible of being reduced into classes, with scarce any increase of labour, and very manifest advantages as to accessibility; the following additional Documents are to be added to the number of those upon which operations may be said to be completed for the present, viz.:—

142 Ministers' Accounts, Rentals, and Court Rolls—Ric. I. to Charles I.

37 Documents relating to Wales—Hen. III. to Hen. VIII.

These comprise many Rolls of Accounts for works at various Castles; Tallage Accounts, &c.

42 Accounts and other Documents relating to Ponthieu and other Continental possessions—Edw. I. to Edw. III. Among these is an important Roll of instructions of arguments to be urged by Ambassadors on the occasion of the forfeiture of Guienne by reason of non-performance of homage by the English *king* but French *vassal.*

84 Military Accounts, and Documents contingent or subsidiary thereto—Edw. I. to Hen. VIII. These consist chiefly of Indentures between the King and knights, or between knights and other soldiers, for services with a retinue; Vouchers of "Treasurers of the Wars," and Muster Rolls (among which are some curious "Answers of the Gentlemen" of Yorkshire, excusing their service).

54 Navy Accounts—Edw. I. to Hen. VIII. They are, generally speaking, the Accounts of persons specially appointed to pay the Expenses of a Fleet for the conveyance of Expeditions to foreign parts.

154 other Documents relating to the Receipt or Expenditure of the Royal and Public Revenue—Ric. I. to Eliz. These are a large and important class of Documents, of which numerous others exist in the Office. They comprise Issue and Receipt Rolls of various descriptions; Wardrobe and Household Accounts and Vouchers in various stages; Indentures for the delivery of

Articles and execution of Works; Accounts of Collectors of Tallages, and of persons appointed for some special service.

Among these is an interesting account of Nicholas de Chartres, concerning G. de Langele, an Ambassador to the King or Khan of Tartary. Chartres being the Esquire of Langele, was sent to prepare the way for the reception of the Ambassador at the Tartar Horde, and was otherwise actively engaged in the Embassy. This account explains an incomplete Roll, containing the highly curious account of the Embassy, the apparent object and destination of which were previously only matters of conjecture. In style and handwriting, the latter being of foreign character, they closely resemble each other.

Among the Subsidy Accounts is a remarkable Roll, the earliest of the class that has hitherto been discovered in this Repository. It is an account of a Taxation to a Fifteenth of the property of certain religious houses in Wiltshire, and of the Tenants on Manors belonging to them. Being imperfect, it is without date, but there is little doubt that it may safely be assigned to the reign of Richard the First. It is in fine preservation.

The Indentures for the Supply of Articles are a highly interesting class of Documents. They furnish many of the minute particulars which are so illustrative of their period, and are often historically valuable.

It is as difficult to account for the division of this description of Documents between the Office of the ancient Treasury and that of the Queen's Remembrancer, in which so large a proportion is now remaining, as it is obvious that their character is identical. Their dispersion appears to have been the result of accident alone.

With regard to the work performed, it must be remarked that one clerk only, viz., Mr. Burtt, has been engaged in the labours of which the above is the result, except as regards a very small portion; and that the operations have been carried on under great disadvantages, from the dirty state of the Documents, and in too many instances their much damaged condition.

Mr. Burtt has thus proceeded with the Catalogue and Indexing of the ancient Miscellaneous Documents, as well as the arrangement and Catalogue of other Miscellaneous Documents, operations requiring great care and knowledge. The total number of Documents of this latter description which have been catalogued amounts to 3962, and a portion of the Documents themselves have been transmitted to the Carlton Ride, for the purpose of being flattened and repaired under the superintendence of Mr. Cole. As soon as Mr. Cole is able, he will conduct these operations upon a much extended scale, the masses requiring such operations being very large; he is now continuing the repairing of the Foundation Indenture Books of Henry VII.'s Chapel, as after mentioned (II., § 41).

Tower of London.

Records of the Chancery, Admiralty, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Hardy and Mr. Roberts.)

3. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division, according to the several months of the year, besides the use of the Documents by the Admiralty and other Public Departments, appears from the following Summary:—

	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	£.	s.	d.
1848								
January	1	5	..	..	..	0	6	0
February	4	37	1	1	..	2	15	0
March	4	14	8	12	..	6	16	0
April	3	8	2	..	..	1	5	0
May	1	4	1	..	..	1	3	0
June	2	18	12	2	..	8	4	6
July	3	18	12	13	..	6	13	0
August	3	5	5	..	..	1	7	0
September	2	12	3	..	..	1	3	0
October	13	10	3	..	..	3	7	0
November	1	11	9	8	..	7	8	0
December	1	3	13	2	..	8	3	0
Total	38	145	69	38	..	48	10	6

4. *Admiralty Records.*—The preliminary proceedings relating to these Documents are stated in a previous section of this Report (I., § 7). The Chests, 84 in number, were conveyed to the Tower by water, in the same manner as is described in the Eighth Report (II., § 111), and deposited in the Council Chamber, the particulars being as follows:—

ADMIRALTY DOCUMENTS received from DEPTFORD in 1848.

62	Chests containing Bills and Accounts relative to the Transport Service.
14	Chests containing Bills and Accounts relative to the Bill Office.
6	Chests containing Cash Accounts of the Victualling Office.
1	Chest containing Papers relative to the Imprest Branch.
1	Chest of Accounts belonging to the late Treasurer's Office.
84	

The transfers are now completed, and the Accountant-General of the Navy has, by his letter of the 9th March instant, expressed the satisfaction that is experienced by the Officers of the Admiralty in referring to the Documents at the Tower, in consequence of their arrangement being so complete as to afford easy access and ready reference on all occasions.

5. *Inquisitions Post Mortem.*—The works upon these important Documents have been continued in the manner described in the preceding Reports (Fourth Report, II., § 44; Fifth Report, II., § 25; Sixth Report, II., § 70; Seventh Report, II., § 14; Eighth Report, II., § 105; Ninth Report, II., § 17) to the 10th Richard II. Each Document has been repaired, entitled, and placed between the leaves of the Books prepared for that purpose. The number thus treated, amounts to 1903 cleaned, 1903 repaired, and 626 parcels sewed together.

6. *Bills and Answers in Chancery, and other Equity Proceedings.*—Progress continues to be made in the arrangement and Calendaring of the Chancery Proceedings (Sixth Report, II., § 69; Seventh Report, II., § 12; Eighth Report, II., § 104; Ninth Report, II., § 20).

18,572 Instruments have been calendared and entitled, 107,297 Instruments have been cleaned and pressed, and 584 repaired where necessary and placed in portfolios.

7. *Privy Seals.*—The proceedings upon these curious Historical Documents have been continued (Fifth Report, II., § 20; Ninth Report, II., § 21.)

20,086 have been cleaned, 29,212 repaired, 27,961 stamped, 25,961 numbered and entitled, and 19,877 made up as small books between pasteboards, according to the excellent plan adopted by Mr. Cole, with respect to the early Fines, at the Carlton Ride. All the Privy Seals so made up are now accessible with the greatest ease. The majority are very clearly written, and may be consulted with as much facility as a bound printed book, and contain a vast mass of important historical information which has long continued unused, Prynne being, as far as is ascertained, nearly the last English historical or constitutional Antiquary who has consulted these sources of information. The following is a chronological list of those so arranged and repaired; viz.—

Edward I.	5,202
Edward II.	7,362
Edward III.	7,313
Total	19,877

9335 are properly repaired, but have not yet been bound up. The numbers remaining to be operated upon, are as follows:—

Edward III.	10,588	Edward IV.	6,258
Richard II.	14,664	Richard III.	820
Henry IV.	7,024	Miscellaneous	82
Henry V.	1,345		
Henry VI.	11,402	Total	52,183

Making, with those previously mentioned as bound and repaired, a grand total of 81,395. All these Documents are stamped as they pass through the workmen's hands.

8. *Royal Letters.*—This Calendar has been continued, but owing to the

indisposition of the Clerk employed upon it under Mr. Hardy's superintendence, it is to be regretted that small progress has been made.

9. *Calendars of the Patent Rolls.* — Mr. Roberts has continued, and in a very satisfactory manner, the Calendaring of the Patent Rolls transmitted from the Rolls Chapel, according to the arrangement mentioned in the Ninth Report (II., §§ 6, 24). The proportion prepared by him, or under his directions, is stated in a subsequent section of this Report (II., § 14). Mr. Roberts has unfortunately sustained many hinderances, in consequence of the interruption resulting from the illness of two of the Clerks, so that, during a considerable portion of the year, he had no other assistance except that of Mr. Gairdner, who is specially reported by Mr. Roberts to have prosecuted the work with a constancy and diligence affording him much gratification.

Rolls Chapel Office.

Records of the Chancery, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Palmer and Mr. Holden.)

10. *Business of the Division.*—The following is the amount of the Business of this Division during the year :—

1169	Searches.		
2243	Inspections.		
277	Copies, containing . . .	5803	Chancery folios.
137	Authentications, containing	3126	„
41	Enrolments, containing .	3222	„
37	Plans annexed to Enrolments.		
10	Attendances.		

Amount of Fees received, 413*l.* 15*s.* 6*d.*

Of the above Business, 5 Searches, 78 Inspections, and 6 Copies containing 51 Chancery folios, have been made for various Departments of Your Majesty's Government, for which no Fees have been received.

The Searches made by Mr. Palmer for the information of the Mint Commissioners have been attended with considerable labour, and in the course thereof Mr. Palmer has prepared a List or Calendar of Enrolments of Mint Indentures from 1 Hen. VII. to 59 Geo. III.

11. *Regulation of the Petty Bag Office, and cessation of Enrolments of Specifications.*—By the Record Act, 1 and 2 Vict., c. 94, it is declared, that the Records in the Petty Bag Office of the Court of Chancery should, from the passing of the Act, be (amongst others) under the charge and superintendence of the Master of the Rolls for the time being, and that, until the appointment of the Deputy Keeper and Assistant Keepers of Records as therein mentioned, the persons then having the charge of such Records should continue to have the charge of them, subject to such Orders as the Master of the Rolls is thereby empowered to give concerning the same.

It has not yet been deemed expedient to bring the said Petty Bag Office within the regulations of the Record Act, but by an Act made and passed in the 11th and 12th year of Your Majesty's reign, c. 94, and entitled "An Act to regulate "certain Offices in the Petty Bag in the High Court of Chancery, the "Practice of the Common-Law Side of that Court, and the Enrolment Office "of the said Court," the senior, second, and third Clerks of the Petty Bag are abolished, and a new Officer appointed, called "The Clerk of the Petty Bag." It is further enacted, that it shall and may be lawful for the Master of the Rolls to make such Rules, Orders, and Regulations, from time to time, for the transfer, care, and custody of the Records of the Petty Bag, as he may think fit. And furthermore, that from and after the 1st day of January, 1849, Specifications for describing Inventions, to be enrolled in Chancery in pursuance of Letters Patent under Your Majesty's Great Seal, and Disclaimers and Memoranda of Alterations to be enrolled pursuant to the statute 5 and 6 Will. IV., c. 83, shall be enrolled in the Enrolment Office of the High Court of Chancery; and the business of Enrolments of Specifications and Disclaimers in the Rolls Chapel Office, has therefore entirely ceased.

12. *Transmissions of Records.*—According to the usual course of the Chancery, the following Records have been brought into the Rolls Chapel during the year, and deposited in their proper places :—

The Parliament Rolls of the 10th and 11th year of Your Majesty's reign, consisting of 91 parts, made up in 93 Rolls; from the House of Lords.

The Close Rolls of 4 William IV., consisting of 63 parts of Deeds, and 24 bundles of Memorials of Annuity Deeds;—but the bundles of Recognizances for that year have not been brought in, nor any Patent Rolls since those of the 2 William IV.

34 Enrolments of Decrees, which have been formed into two Rolls, and two bundles of Dockets thereof.

Five Rolls of Specifications of Inventions have been enrolled in the Office, containing 41 Specifications, brought in for enrolment by the parties themselves.

Two Treaty Rolls have also been transferred from the Chapter House, as noticed in the Ninth Report (II., §§ 2, 4).

13. *Arrangements, Indexes, &c.*—863 Membranes of various Rolls and Inquisitions have been damped and smoothed; 824 Membranes have been repaired, principally in the margins, which are liable to constant damage, and 803 have been re-sewed. The numbering of the Close Rolls of 1832 has been completed, and those of 1833 commenced, and the bundles of Annuity Memorials of the years 1831, 1832, and 1833, have been ticketed; and several presses in the Record room containing the bundles of Privy Seals and Decree Rolls have also been ticketed. The Index to the Close Rolls, 55, 56, and 57 Geo. III., and 2, 3, and 4 Geo. IV., has been continued and completed; and the Index to the 5 and 6 Geo. IV. is in progress.

14. *Calendars of the Patent Rolls.*—This work has been continued according to the plan and scheme described in the Ninth Report (II., § 6, 24), and the draft of the Calendar for the whole reign of Hen. VII. has been nearly completed, and is now under correction and examination, and in course of being fair copied. The portion to the 9th year of Hen. VII. remains under the direction of Mr. Lascelles at the Rolls House, and the proceedings upon the remainder are carried on at the Tower, by and under the direction of Mr. Roberts, as before mentioned (II., § 9). Mr. Roberts hopes to complete the whole of the corrected transcript in the course of a few months, and Mr. Lascelles, who is not assisted by any other clerk, the same. As in consequence of the Correspondence between Lord Langdale and Your Majesty's Secretary of State, hereinafter more particularly noticed (III., § 1, App. I., Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5), the practice of appending the Calendars to the Reports presented to Your Majesty, and the consequent printing of such Appendices, will cease, without special order, it is proposed that, in future, fair copies of this Calendar shall be deposited in the Rolls Chapel amongst the Calendars there, and the Public will then be enabled to consult and search the same under the usual regulations. The prosecution of the work discloses its importance equally for historical and for legal purposes, but particularly the latter. It is remarked in the Ninth Report (II., § 6), that the quotations or copies of Charters, Patents, Grants, or other Documents set forth or inserted in Confirmations, Constats, and Exemplifications, are not unfrequently erroneous; that some Documents are called Letters Patent, which are enrolled upon the Charter Rolls, and others called Charters, are enrolled upon the Patent Rolls; that some are quoted as being enrolled which are not found upon any Roll, and are preserved amongst the un-enrolled Documents belonging to the Common Law Side of the Court of Chancery remaining upon the file; that numerous discrepancies of dates and names appear between the Exemplifications upon the Rolls and the previous Enrolments; that reigns and dates are occasionally misquoted, and sometimes, owing to the carelessness of the Clerk, the testing clause, containing the date of the Patent or Charter, is affixed to a preceding Patent or Charter, the Patent to which the testing clause belongs being wholly omitted. Moreover, that not unfrequently Instruments are stated in the Exemplifications to have been enrolled, which, in fact, are not enrolled, this last-mentioned circumstance fully proving that negative evidence collected from the non-appearance on the Rolls of an Instrument under the Great Seal does not necessarily disprove the genuineness or validity of such

Instrument, and, on the other hand, that the Exemplifications cannot be implicitly trusted. The progress of the Calendar continues to disclose numerous irregularities of the same description, which are discovered by the laborious process of verification, carried on by Mr. Lascelles and Mr. Roberts respectively, and requiring the care and attention which both those gentlemen so willingly bestow. One example may be quoted. It occurs in the 14 Hen. VII., part 1, m. 16, in a Patent issued on behalf of the Abbey of St. Augustine's Monastery, Canterbury. The Patent in question is an Inspeximus and Confirmation of another Patent of Edw. IV., which also inspects, *inter alia*, other Charters of Edw. III. and Edw. II., and recites three Charters of King Ethelbert, as being contained in the said Patent of Edw. IV. and the Charters of Edw. II. and Edw. III.; but upon referring to the Enrolment of these Documents, one of the three Charters of Ethelbert does not appear therein. This Anglo-Saxon Charter has been published by the care of Mr. Kemble, in his very valuable "Codex Diplomaticus," Vol. I., No. 3, from various manuscript sources, and it is remarkable that he considers the document either as a forgery, or liable to great suspicion. It seems doubtful whether the Charter in question was accidentally omitted in the Enrolment of the Confirmations of Edw. II., Edw. III., and Edw. IV., or surreptitiously interpolated in the Patent of Henry VII.

Rolls House.

Pell Records, and other Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer, late in the custody of the Comptroller-General, &c.; Treasury Records; Slave Compensation Records; Welsh Records; &c.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. William Henry Black.)

15. *Business of the Division.*—The amount of the Business transacted in this Division, relates, as the same is stated in the Tabular Summary (App. I., No. 6), only to the applications made by the Public, and does not include the Searches, &c., made for Your Majesty's Treasury and Exchequer, and for the Mint Commission. Much of the time of the Assistant Keeper has been taken up in attending those searches, in which a peculiar knowledge of the business of the Departments from which the Records have been transferred has been required, or where the Records were heretofore in a confused and inaccessible state. And, as before mentioned (I., § 10), Mr. Black has completed his Further Report on the Irish Records.

16. *Further Transfers of Treasury Documents.*—In the class of modern Documents, additions have been made to those heretofore deposited in this Division, and they have been brought from various offices or places. The most important of these additional Documents are certain Books formerly in the Custom House, as stated in Mr. Black's Report on the old Records, Books, and Papers at the Treasury Chambers, dated 24th November, 1844 (Seventh Report, App. II., No. 1, § II. 3), and as before mentioned (I., § 8). It appears (Seventh Report, II., § 2; Ninth Report, II., § 11) that 658 volumes of Returns and Reports, relative to the Customs, had been removed from Westminster to the Custom House, in 1830, by order of the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, for the purpose of obtaining more accommodation in their own Offices. A large number of these books consisted of the "Customs' Establishments, 565 volumes," and Mr. Black, in his before-mentioned Report, recommended that they, and those of the same denomination which he had found in the Loft and elsewhere at the Treasury, should be collected and deposited in this Office, to the year 1840 inclusively. When the transfers were made, in 1846 and 1847, of such Books as were not needed at the Treasury, Lord Langdale received into his custody altogether 207 volumes of Customs' Establishments, beginning in 1716, and ending in 1843, including 3 volumes received in the summer of 1847 (Ninth Report, II., § 8). On the 1st of May, 1848, Mr. Black was appointed by Lord Langdale to receive and take charge of such of the said 565 books, as the Commissioners of Your Majesty's Customs were then prepared to transfer to this Office, pursuant to a Treasury Letter on that subject, with reference to Mr. Black's Reports; and at the end of that month he removed, as before mentioned (I., § 8), from the Custom House, 438 volumes of Customs' Establishments, being the only Books that could be found in that Department, of those

which had been transferred thither in 1830. They extend from 1679 to 1818; and, with those already in the Rolls House, form a series of Records, highly valuable as well for genealogical purposes, as for the history of the Revenue. These Books are in folio, well bound in vellum, for the most part gilt; and are, with one exception, in very good condition. The earliest Establishment Book ought to be for the quarter ended 25th December, 1671; but this and those of the seven following years and a quarter, are wanting; and the earliest yet found is for the Midsummer quarter, 1679. For the whole period, to the end of 1843, there ought to be 741 volumes; the calculations of which, with the actual number and deficiency, are as follow:—

From December, 1671, to 1830 inclusively, quarterly books . .		637
From 1831 to 1843 inclusively, two sets of quarterly books. . .		104
Volumes, if the series were complete . . .		741
Books received from Treasury Chambers	207	
Books received from the Custom House	438	
		645
Volumes wanting . . .		96

Some few of the volumes are duplicates; the deficiency will, therefore, appear greater when the number of these can be accurately stated. It is hoped that some few volumes, supposed to have been mislaid in the Departments from which these transfers have been made, may yet be recovered.

In the course of the year, considerable portions of the contents of a room on the basement of the Treasury Chambers have been examined by Mr. Black and Mr. Adrian, of the Treasury, for the purpose of separating such old Papers and Documents as fall within the scope of the transfer of the Treasury Records as directed by the Treasury and begun in 1846. Such as these gentlemen agreed to select, were roughly cleansed from their accumulated dirt, and placed in three large sacks; and were removed with the Commissariat Papers next mentioned. They consist chiefly of very valuable Papers and Documents, including Title-deeds of Houses in Whitehall and Downing-street, formerly called Downing-square. More of the like work remains to be done, at future convenient opportunities. A large collection of Papers relative to the Mint, including many of Sir Isaac Newton's original Reports, were found among them. These were retained by the Treasury for temporary use, having been first methodized, arranged, and stamped: they have not yet been transferred to this Office.

17. *Commissariat Papers.*—After an inspection of the Books and Papers belonging to the late military station at the Forts Garry, in the Hudson's Bay Territory, and conferences with Deputy-Assistant-Commissary-General Darling and the Officers of the Commissariat Department at the Treasury thereupon, Mr. Black reported on those Records (I., § 5), and by Lord Langdale's direction removed them to the Rolls House on 29th December, 1848. They are few in number, and occupy one box only.

18. *Municipal and Parliamentary Boundaries' Documents.*—Mr. Black having been, as before mentioned (I., § 4), appointed to inspect and report on "the Maps, "Plates, and other Documents connected with the inquiries into the Municipal "Corporations' Boundaries, and for the correction of the Parliamentary Boun-"daries," then remaining in the custody of Captain Dawson, at the Tithe Office, Somerset House, and having reported on them accordingly, the same Documents were, pursuant to the Treasury Letter of the 7th December, 1848, received into this Office. They chiefly consist of, first, the draughts of Reports, and original Documents, with Maps and Plans, collected and prepared by the Commissioners on the Boundaries of Parliamentary Boroughs, in 1831 and 1832; and, secondly, like Draughts of Maps and Plans (but without Reports and Documents), prepared by the Commissioners for the proposed Boundaries of Municipal Corporations, in 1835 and 1836, with 179 Copper-plates, and a large quantity of impressions of the same.

19. *Further Arrangements of Records.*—The Documents transmitted at various times into this Office, comprising classes often consulted for official purposes,

have required extensive re-arrangements for the purpose of rendering them more accessible.

As to the Exchequer Records, all the Books of Entry and Account of the Pell Office have been re-arranged, in the exact method and order of their Inventories, on shelves in the room No. 1, which room now contains the Books of the Pell Office only. The Receipts for Pensions, a large division of the Tellers' Vouchers (Ninth Report, II. § 11), are in progress of cleansing and arrangement in classes, both chronologically, *i. e.* according to quarters and years, and then in alphabetical order.

The Welsh Records (Seventh Report, I. § 6, II. § 6; Eighth Report, App. I. No. 18) it has been found needful to reduce into better order; and this has been partly done, with regard to the Chancery Records of the late Chester Circuit, by collecting the confused Pleadings of the several causes, arranging them alphabetically in years, according to the date of the filing of the Bill, and making up the bundles in a more compact form, from 1818 to 1830. The earlier portion must be postponed till a convenient opportunity. The Duplicate Fines and Recoveries for the four Counties of that Circuit being for the most part rolled or bundled up together, without any security, and searches being attended with difficulty and risk, for want of an Index or Calendar, the work of arranging them, session by session, into Counties, and then alphabetically, has been begun, and in part proceeded with.

A re-arrangement has been made amongst the Slave Compensation Records (Eighth Report, II. § 97; Ninth Report, II. § 12), of the Books most frequently in use, viz., the Certificate Lists of Awards, and of Amended Awards, the Registers, the Indexes, and the Minute Books and other Books of the Board. They are now reduced to the order according to which the Colonies are classed in the Returns laid before Parliament.

The Treasury Records (Eighth Report, I. § 8, II. § 99, 100, App. I. No. 24; Ninth Report, II. § 8, 11, App. I. No. 11) have received much attention. All the Office Books of the first and second periods (from 1635 to 1667), and those of the third which have been transferred, have been re-arranged in the room No. 10. All the draught Treasury Minutes, from 1760 to 1816 inclusively, have been cleansed, flattened, arranged, and made up in bundles within mill-boards, ready for binding. They constitute a large series of valuable Records, equal to 159 folio volumes, in which, however, some chasms appear; the years 1766, 1776, 1790–2, 1794, 1797–9, and portions of some other years, being wanted to complete them to the time when the system of making up the Minutes was altered; the Minute Books at the Treasury consisting of volumes into which these draughts were transcribed to the end of 1816, and from that time of the Original Papers bound together. Some, if not all, of the chasms may it is hoped be filled up by farther researches among the old Papers in the Rolls House and at the Treasury Chambers. Progress has been made in the classification of many sacks of papers, and thousands of important Documents have been selected from the masses received; particularly in the course of research for Documents concerning which inquiries have been made. The "Selected Papers" are now roughly digested into classes. The American Claims have been reduced into some order; but the contents of two chests are almost utterly spoiled by the humidity of the vault from which they were brought. The incessant labour of many months would be required to make the Treasury Papers accessible for any practical purposes with any degree of certainty. Some Documents required, with the sanction of the Treasury, in several cases, for legal evidence, have been found; but others have escaped Mr. Black's most anxious search.

20. *Calendars.*—A Calendar and Inventory of the Welsh Fines and Recoveries has been begun, and it is highly expedient that this should be finished as soon as possible, to satisfy the demands of applicants, who are, by means of these Records, spared expensive and troublesome applications to the Offices in the Palatinate and Principality. The Calendar of the contents of the Auditor's Patent Books (Eighth Report, II., § 93; Ninth Report, II., § 14) has proceeded so far as the end of those found in the vault at Somerset House, and to f. 105 of the first volume brought from the Office of Paymaster of Civil Services, which concludes the reign of James I.

Carlton Ride and Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.

Records of the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas, and the Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer; Equity Records of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Revenue Side of the Court of Exchequer; &c.—(Assistant Keepers, the Rev. Joseph Hunter and Mr. Henry Cole.)

Mr. Hunter's Division.

21. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division, according to the several months of the year, besides the use made of the Records by the Mint Commission, appears from the following Summary:—

	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	
1848						£. s. d.
January . .	..	4	2	2	..	0 16 0
February . .	..	47	4	..	..	1 5 0
March . .	..	75	3	3	..	2 8 6
April . . .	1	29	8	..	..	1 10 6
May . . .	1	17	1	..	..	0 12 6
June . . .	..	110	11	1	..	2 15 6
July . . .	..	17	10	..	..	10 3 6
August . .	1	6	2	1	5	12 14 0
September .	..	2	..	..	2	4 6 0
October . .	..	2	4	2	..	0 16 6
November .	1	6	1	..	..	0 8 6
December. .	..	2	..	..	..	0 2 0
Total . .	4	317	46	9	7	£37 18 6

22. *Queen's Remembrancer's Miscellaneous Records.*—Mr. Hunter continues the examination and arrangement of the confused Records, which, under the name of Miscellaneous, have passed from the custody of Your Majesty's Remembrancer in the Exchequer to the custody of the Master of the Rolls. In every preceding Report submitted to Your Majesty (First Report, II. § 4; Second Report, II. § 22; Third Report, II. § 2; Fourth Report, II. §§ 2, 5, 8; Fifth Report, II. § 4; Sixth Report, II. § 2; Seventh Report, II. § 69; Eighth Report, II. § 78; Ninth Report, II. § 27) accounts have been given of the importance of the work, and the very great difficulties which it offers; and the present state of the Office affords most ample testimony of the assiduous and conscientious attention bestowed by Mr. Hunter, as well as the knowledge he has brought to bear upon the task. The whole number of Documents operated upon during the current year has been 3439, which, added to the number formerly reported, makes 71,899; but, as before mentioned, this figure only represents the Documents which are fastened together, not unfrequently five or more, so that, if enumerated separately, the number would be very much larger. The Records arranged and entitled during the present year belong to the following reigns:—

Richard I.	1	Edward VI.	254
Henry III.	7	Philip & Mary	96
Edward I.	57	Elizabeth	680
Edward II.	44	James I.	417
Edward III.	235	Charles I.	519
Richard II.	66	Interregnum	6
Henry IV.	43	Charles II.	5
Henry V.	34	William & Mary	1
Henry VI.	152	Undetermined	45
Edward IV.	74		
Richard III.	5	Total	3439
Henry VII.	85		
Henry VIII.	613		

Mr. Hunter and the clerks under his direction, Mr. Nelson being the senior, have been much employed in the arrangement of the residuary or fragmentary matter, consisting of loose membranes and disjointed portions, the latter being often mere rags or fragments. The portion operated upon during this year consists principally of paper Documents from the reign of Henry VIII. to that of James I. inclusive. Upon this series Mr. Hunter has been principally employed in selecting whatever appeared to belong to the ancient Compotuses, of which he

is forming a Calendar; and he is also, in the like manner, selecting the needful matter for completing a Calendar of the early Escheators' matter, on the same plan in which the Calendar of the later portions, noticed in the subsequent section (II. § 23), has been constructed. Mr. Hunter, with the assistance before mentioned, has begun a diligent and laborious examination of the bundles principally consisting of Documents belonging to the reign of Charles I. and the Interregnum. These he examines, as he receives them from the hands of the workmen, by whom they have been pressed, repaired, and flattened, his object being in the first place to select any matter which may accidentally belong to the earlier reigns, in order that the same may be interpolated in the Calendars already prepared, and also to consider the plans to be adopted for their future arrangement and Calendaring, regard being had to the nature and importance of the Documents.

23. *Calendars.*—Mr. Hunter has completed his very important Calendar of the Escheators' Accounts and Inquisitions post mortem, and other Documents transmitted therewith, from the 1st year of Henry VII. to the closing of each series, and the same is herewith submitted to Your Majesty (App. II., No. 1). Mr. Hunter has fully described the nature of these Documents in the Introduction to the Calendar, and it will be found to afford most important information to all persons interested in the deduction of titles to lands through the several individuals therein mentioned, besides much collateral information of a topographical nature.

24. *Searches made for the use of the Mint Commission.*—The Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, by their letter of the 28th February, 1848, signified to Lord Langdale that Your Majesty having been pleased to appoint a Commission to inquire into the constitution, management, and expense of the Royal Mint, their Lordships requested that the Commissioners might be furnished with the Documents which the Public Record Office afforded regarding the History of the Mint, or any other objects of their inquiry; and that the Deputy Keeper, and other Officers acting under Lord Langdale's direction, might be instructed generally to give the Mint Commissioners all the assistance in their power: and his Lordship, by his letter of the 29th February, 1848, informed their Lordships that he had given directions accordingly. The inquiries made by Mr. J. B. Hume, the Secretary to the Commission, who conducted the searches in person here as well as in the other Branch Offices, were extensive on the part of Mr. Hume, and laborious to the Officers in all; but in Mr. Hunter's Division they had a peculiarly advantageous result. Mr. Hunter had long since begun to select the Documents of this nature, with a view for making an Office Calendar; and, therefore, in connexion with Mr. Hume's inquiries, he corrected and completed the same. The Calendar of Mint and Exchange matter thus formed comprehends all the Documents from the reign of Henry III. to James I. inclusive, and Mr. Hunter has arranged the same in four chronological series:—

1. The Accounts of the Custos Cambii, and other subsidiary Documents belonging to that class.
2. The Accounts of the Comptroller of the Mint.
3. The Accounts of the Master of the Mint: and—
4. Miscellaneous Mint Documents not falling in any of the foregoing classes.

The Documents have been arranged in classes corresponding with the Calendar; and Mr. Hunter considers this portion of his work complete, except so far as may relate to any stray Documents hereafter to be found amongst the masses of Records which remain to be examined. Before the Records were transferred to the Record Department, any endeavours to examine them for the purpose of the Mint Commission would have been wholly impracticable; no labour could have discovered the Mint Documents amidst the masses of dirty and dilapidated Rolls and Membranes, torn, disjointed, and in what appeared to be inextricable confusion. And the readiness with which they were at once produced by Mr. Hunter, is a practical exemplification of the accurate and methodical course which he has pursued.

Mr. Cole's Division.

25. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division continues increasing, proving the convenience which the Public derive from the present

mode of transacting the Business; and the following comparative statement, furnished by Mr. Cole, shows the manner in which the system works in the several Branches of Business, as well as the manner in which the business is apportioned between the Records of the three Courts of Queen's Bench, Common Pleas, and Exchequer, deposited in this Division. With respect, however, to the latter, it must be observed, that under the head of "Exchequer," are ranked all the Equity as well as the Common Law Proceedings of that Court, and also various Miscellaneous Documents heretofore in the custody of Your Majesty's Remembrancer at the time when the Record Act took effect. The figures in the column of Searches do not, however, give an exact idea of the extent of business; the Searches counted only as one search frequently extending over many years, and many inspections are counted only as one inspection, when the parties compound for a week upon the payment of 5*s*.

Fees received from 1st January to 31st December, 1848.

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances	Net Amount of Fees.	Total.
						£. s. d.	£. s. d.
Queen's Bench . .	66	..	..	..	..	3 6 0	
	..	71	..	..	..	3 11 0	
	..	..	41	..	..	24 18 6	
	..	..	..	30	..	20 16 0	
							52 11 6
Common Pleas . .	750	..	..	..	..	37 10 0	
	..	121	..	..	..	6 1 0	
	..	..	411	..	..	53 10 0	
	..	..	..	389	..	47 10 6	
							144 11 6
Exchequer . . .	159	..	..	..	..	7 19 0	
	..	501	..	..	.	25 1 0	
	..	..	179	..	..	56 19 0	
	..	..	..	100	..	28 12 0	
	..	..	..	..	1	2 2 0	
							120 13 0
Totals for 1848 . .	975	693	631	519	1	.. £	317 16 0
„ „ 1847 . .	933	500	660	504	2	..	289 0 0
„ „ 1846 . .	878	609	663	519	..	..	273 1 6
„ „ 1845 . .	802	734	522	384	3	..	274 1 0
„ „ 1844 . .	769	768	521	337	16	..	328 10 2
„ „ 1843 . .	638	757	487	328	15	..	345 17 0
„ „ 1842 . .	479	395	287	228	2	..	302 14 0
„ „ 1841 . .	286	216	148	95	3	..	112 1 6

An average amount of the Official Business during five years ending 1848, shows the following results:—

Searches . . .	871	Fees for same, 290*l*.
Inspections . . .	660	
Copies	599	
Authentications . .	452	

Comparing these averages with the amount of Business of 1848, the increase on the year has been as follows:—

Searches:	increase of	12	per cent.	Fees: about 9 per cent. increase.
Inspections	„	5	„	
Copies	„	4	„	
Authentications	„	14	„	

26. *Receipts and Removals of Accruing Records.*—The removal into this Repository of the accruing Records of Your Majesty's Courts of Queen's Bench, Plea Side and Crown Side; Common Pleas; and also the Records in the custody of Your Majesty's Remembrancer in the Exchequer, together with those of the First Fruits, has been completed pursuant to the Warrants noticed in the Ninth Report (I. § 1), but, so far as concerns the Common Law Records, not without inconvenience, inasmuch as many others which ought to have been received under previous Warrants were brought in during the proceedings.

The first of these transactions took place in February and March, 1848, when Mr. Haywood, the Court-keeper of the Common Pleas at Westminster, having directed Mr. Cole's attention to various Queen's Bench Documents,

which ought to have been transferred under past Warrants, and which were remaining in a closet in the charge of Mr. Haywood, Mr. Cole took measures, with the assent of the Masters of the Queen's Bench, for the removal thereof. They consisted chiefly of the following:—

Errors	Geo. II. & III.	10 sacks.
Bail Pieces (Files)	Geo. III.	3 sacks.
Bails, Special	Geo. III.	2 sacks.
Bails Inrolments	Geo. III.	3 sacks.
Affidavits of Debt	Geo. III.	91 parcels.

Another lot of Records of the same Court were removed in November, 1848, at the request of the Masters, from cellars in the house, No. 4, Symonds Inn. The cellars are in the actual possession of a legal firm, who, having already used a part of them, for wine and empty bottles, and wishing to employ the remaining space in like manner, desired to have the Records removed. These gentlemen gave notice to the Masters of the Court, and the Masters to Mr. Cole, who made the removal accordingly. The Papers, which filled 35 sacks, consisted for the most part of Declarations, Pleas, Rejoinders, &c., formerly in the custody of the Clerk of the Papers of the Queen's Bench. In consequence of the neglect they had sustained, all these Documents were in a filthy state, and many of them much decayed; and considerable expense has been incurred in arranging them for preservation. It is impossible for the Officers of the Record Department to have notice of such outlying Records, and great inconvenience is occasioned by irregular and partial transfers.

In the Exchequer Records, irregularities of an analogous nature are supposed still to exist, which, though less extensive, are not without inconvenience. This arises, as it is presumed, from the privilege possessed by the former Officers of the Court, of removing Records out of the official Repositories, and keeping them for their convenience in their individual custody. Inquiries are not unfrequently made at the Public Record Office for Surveys, which the Assistant Keeper has reason to believe still remain in the custody of Your Majesty's Remembrancer in the Exchequer, although exceeding 20 years in age, which therefore ought to have been included in the transmissions pursuant to the periodical Warrants. It is hoped, however, that in this Branch these irregularities will not occur in future; for, the circumstances having been brought under the notice of Your Majesty's Remembrancer, he has given directions for a strict search to be made for all such Documents, and for an accurate list to be made thereof; and on the completion of the same no time will be lost in forwarding the Records to this Department.

27. *Arrangements and Inventories.*—These operations have been conducted simultaneously. All the Accruing Records have been arranged and inventoried, and added to their respective series. Under the name of Inventories, all Lists, Inventories, Calendars, and Indexes, and all other matters preparatory to the formation thereof, are included.

Queen's Bench.

28. *Crown Side.*—The several repairs performed upon the Records belonging to the Crown Side of the Court, viz., Affidavits, Indictments, Pleas of the Crown, Quo Warranto and Assize Rolls brought from the Chapter House, Books, &c., will be found in the Tabular Summary (App. I., No. 6). The Accruing Records for the years 1825, 1826, and 1827, have been added to their series and inventoried.

29. *Plea Side.*—The Accruing Records of the Plea Side for 1825, 1826, and 1827, have been added to their series and inventoried, and the following classes have also been inventoried:—

	Files.	Bags.
Special Bails (Series A), 1770 to 1800	121	5
Doggett Rolls, 1702 to 1822	54	5

The particulars of the repairs, &c., and other operations upon the Paper and Interlocutory Proceedings, such as Affidavits, Writs, Rules, Declarations, Dockets, Bail Documents, &c., of various classes will be found in the Tabular Summary (App. I., No. 6).

Common Pleas.

30. *Common Rolls.*—The following operations have been performed: five Rolls have been pressed and the heads bound with rope, and ticketed; 4544 Membranes have been flattened, and 339 mended.

31. *Feet of Fines.*—The operations upon these Documents have been continued, according to the very convenient plan described in the Ninth Report (II., § 43), and by which they are rendered perfectly accessible, and at the same time preserved from future injury. They have been taken off the file upon which they were formerly placed and sustained damage, and placed between vellum covers re-covered with linen cloth. In this and many other operations, the old vellum covers formerly employed for covering other Records are employed, by which some expense is saved in materials. All the Feet of Fines of Gloucestershire for the reigns of Hen. III., Edw. I., and part of Edw. II., have been examined and compared with the Index, and corrections made where necessary. And the following operations have been performed upon the Fines and Documents connected therewith.

		Membranes or Leaves.
Fines, Concords of.—	Sewed in suits	1016
	Mended	6
	Sorted into counties and connected.	
Fines, Feet of	Flattened	7875
	Guarded	8264
	Mended	421
	Tied with red cord between 383 pairs of covers.	
	Printing stamp on back of documents	8379
	2861 tickets sewed and pasted on covers.	
	Compared with Index, dusted, folded, sorted into counties, fly leaves cut, &c.	
King's Silver Books.—	Mended	9899
	Guarded	615
	Examined and the repairs required ascertained.	

Very frequent references are made to these Documents for conveyancing purposes, especially to the King's Silver Books.

32. *Interlocutory and other Miscellaneous Records.*—The particulars of the repairs, &c., performed upon the Writs, Bills, Jury Panels, Prisoners' Papers, and other Miscellaneous Records, will be found in the Tabular Summary (App. I., No. 6).

Exchequer.

Queen's Remembrancer.

33. *Barons' Depositions.*—The arrangement of these Documents, heretofore very much confused, has been advanced. They are now arranged alphabetically as far as K^{y}, but the arrangement will require constant revision until all the Records have been examined. All the loose Membranes have been collected, and 27 portfolios have been arranged in the course of the year.

34. *Bills and Answers*, generally from Eliz. to Geo. III.—The needful examination and identification of the Documents by comparing the same with the corresponding entries in the "Bill Books" has proceeded. The serial arrangement, according to the practice in the Court of Exchequer, as explained in previous Reports (Second Report, II., § 165; Seventh Report, II., § 52; Eighth Report, II., § 54; Ninth Report, II., § 49;) was according to Counties. Upon examination of the Records, very many are found misplaced. Some are found on the files of reigns to which they do not belong, or are classed under the wrong Counties; so that had a search been made for them, they could not have been found. They have all been restored to their proper places, whether of year or county, and duly entered in the Bill Books from which they had been omitted. They are provided with proper parchment tickets; and alphabetical Indexes, which will greatly assist the search, have been made as follows: James I., Bedford to Cambridge; Charles I., all the English and Welsh Counties. The following operations have been performed upon these Equity Proceedings:—122 Membranes have been mended and sewed; 92 bundles have been folded to size; 158 Membranes have been stamped; and 14,883 Membranes on 2711 files have been placed in 44 portfolios; tickets have been sewed; the dates and reigns ascertained; and an account taken of the number of Membranes in each file or suit.

35. *Depositions by Commission.*—For the purpose of facilitating the examination and arrangement of these Documents, the Titles of the Suits in Books have been numbered and copied upon slips, showing the names of the Plaintiffs and Defendants, county, and date. These have been arranged and completed for the reigns of Geo. II., Geo. III., Geo. IV., Will. IV., and Your Majesty. The slips will be transcribed, so as to form hereafter an alphabetical Index.

36. *Special Commissions, and Returns thereto.*—On account of the variety of size of these Documents, many of which are much frayed and partially injured, their arrangement has been attended with difficulty. With the exception of the reign of Elizabeth (formerly completed), the whole have been ticketed, the ticket showing the year, reign, and county. The membranes have been folded to an uniform size, and have been arranged preparatory to being finally placed in portfolios. The particulars of repairs, &c., will be found in the Tabular Statement (App. I., No. 6).

37. *Miscellaneous Documents in the charge of Mr. Hunter.*—Mr. Cole continues to superintend the repairs of these Documents, in conjunction with their arrangement by Mr. Hunter, and a large proportion has thus been brought into a state ready for Mr. Hunter's operations, viz—75,201 parchment membranes and 214,153 paper leaves have been flattened; 2984 membranes have been mended; 1155 sewings to books; 10 labels have been pasted; 264 rolls have received parchment covers; 277 strings have been fastened to rolls; the fragments sorted and matched; the Customs Rolls dusted; and portions of the whole packed in canvassed boards and temporarily deposited in the South Treasury.

38. *Other Repairs of Exchequer Documents.*—A specification of the repairs performed upon other classes of Documents and Records of the Exchequer will be found in the Tabular Summary (App. I., No. 6).

39. *Particulars for Grants.*—The operations upon these important Documents have proceeded very satisfactorily. All the Documents of Hen. VIII. and Edw. VI. have been finally arranged under the Grantees' names; 316 bundles containing 2262 membranes have been described and ticketed. The Inventory has been completed for the reign of Hen. VIII., and the second and concluding part of that reign is herewith submitted to Your Majesty (App. II., No. 2). The Documents to which reference is thereby obtained are of great use, as containing more minute descriptions of property granted, than any other source can afford, and a sufficient reference is furnished to the generic name of every property; and, with the help of the publication entitled "Jones' Index to the Exchequer Records," the Inventory affords a very important clue to the Patent Rolls, so far as those Rolls relate to Grants of Ecclesiastical Property. Any person conversant with Records, can by these means, without any great difficulty, find the Grant or Patent upon the Rolls. But these Particulars are in some respects more valuable than the Roll, as they occasionally furnish many details of minute descriptive information not afforded by the enrolled Grant itself. An Index of names to those of the reign of Hen. VIII. has been completed as far as letter R.

40. *Pipe and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Records.*—These were the Records which constituted the main bulk of those deposited in the Vaults of Somerset House, where none could be consulted without inconvenience, and very many were wholly inconsultable. The general plan pursued by Mr. Cole has been to flatten the membranes of those "rolls" which were fastened together like a book, and thus to form them into compact but perfectly consultable bundles, placing them between canvass boards or otherwise as the nature of the Record requires. All have been chronologically arranged, and rough Inventories made of a portion, being principally Rolls of Accounts. The entitulation, given from the head of the Account, is sufficient to identify them for all practical purposes; nevertheless, the works of arrangement must be considered provisional, until further information can be gained as to the practice of the Pipe Office and other Departments to which they belonged under the old system. But in the meanwhile the statement will show the extent of the work performed, and affords full and easy means of reference. The following is a list of the Inventories so made:—

Name of Account.	Date.	Number of Accounts.	Packages.
Admiralty—			
Solicitor and Comptroller	1702 to 1713	4	1
Receiver-General	1702 to 1732	5	
Receiver of Salvage, &c.	1703 to 1705	2	
African Company	1729 to 1749	8	1
Alum Works—			
Paymasters, Agents, Commissioners	1612 to 1627	8	1
Miscellaneous	1665 to 1678	2	
Ambassadors, Envoys, Consuls, &c.	1670 to 1818	36	1
Armoury	1556 to 1633	8	1
Auctioneers and Auctions, Duties on—			
General	1777 to 1787	10	1
Cash	1777 to 1787	10	
Bailiffs and Ministers, &c., for various Counties	1424 to 1645	10	1
Arrearages	1554 to 1565	10	
Duchy of Cornwall	1443 to 1444	1	
Arrearages	1589 to 1634	9	
Bank Annuities—			
Receiver of Contributions to	1715 to 1818	77	2
Ditto ditto for Service of Ireland	1805 to 1810	3	
Receivers of Contributions to, arising from Property, Professions, &c. &c.	1806 to 1821	17	
Paymaster of Dividends, &c.	1695 to 1818	60	
Premiums for prompt Payments	1705 to 1790	4	
Barracks—			
Barrack-Master General of England	1792 to 1818	26	..
Barrack-Master General of North America	1765 to 1783	3	..
Deputy Barrack-Master General of Quebec	1776 to 1779	1	..
Deputy Barrack-Master of Nova Scotia and Dependencies	1783 to 1784	1	..
Barrack-Master General, West Indies	1795 to 1798	1	..
Ditto Corsica	1765 to 1796	..	..
Ditto Curaçao	1807	1	..
Deputy Barrack-Master General, Cape of Good Hope	1800 to 1802	2	..
Principal Assistant Barrack-Master of North Britain	1794 to 1804	1	..
Assistant Barrack-Master General, Gibraltar	1807 to 1818	11	..
Barrack-Master at Winchester, and Superintendent of the Barracks in the South-Western District	1794 to 1801	1	..
Superintendent of Barracks in Kent	1793 to 1802	1	..
Barrack-Masters at Plymouth	1758 to 1793	15	..
Ditto at Malta	1804 to 1814	8	..
Ditto at Sicily	1810 to 1815	4	..
Ditto at Heligoland	1812 to 1817	2	..
Quarter-Master-General and Barrack-Master of the Leeward and Carribee Islands	1793 to 1795	1	..
Barracks—Building, Altering, &c.	1789 to 1806	6	..
Commissioners appointed to inquire into and investigate the Accounts of Oliver De Lancy, late Barrack-Master General, &c.	1794 to 1816	10	1
Butlerage—			
Chief Butler of England	1515 to 1673	77	1
Candles, Duties on—			
General	1710 to 1787	77	..
Cash	1710 to 1787	78	2
Chamber, Treasurer of the, and Master of the Posts (1557 to 1565)	1557 to 1782	160	3
Chamberlain, Lord, of the Household	1782 to 1812	30	1
Chelsea Hospital—			
Paymasters of	1692 to 1778	72	..
Agent for paying Out-pensioners	1754 to 1816	63	..
Treasurers of	1784 to 1816	34	2
Churches—			
Treasurer and Receiver for building 50 new Churches	1712 to 1741	11	1
Coaches, Chairs, &c., Duties on—			
Receiver-General	1694 to 1821	116	..
General	1748 to 1787	37	..
Cash	1748 to 1788	37	..
Coachmakers' Licenses—			
General	1785 to 1787	2	..
Cash	1785 to 1787	2	3
Coals, Culm, &c., Duties on	1667 to 1728	6	1
Cofferer of the (Wardrobe of the) Household	1640 to 1782	69	..
Ditto ditto in rolls of consecutive membranes	1544 to 1635	54	1
Customs—			
New Imposition, London	1608 to 1639	18	Unpacked.
New Imposition, Outports, South	1608 to 1640	30	,,
New Imposition, Outports, North	1608 to 1640	21	,,
New Imposition, London and Outports, 3*d.* in every £1 on Aliens, Merchandize, &c.	1613 to 1641	14	,,

Name of Account.	Date.	Number of Accounts.	Packages.
Customs—*continued*—			
New Impositions, London, &c., Merchandize of Aliens	1609 to 1641	19	Unpacked.
Pretermitted (Cloth Kersey), London	1619 to 1640	21	,,
Pretermitted, extraneous Ports	1619 to 1637	16	,,
Pretermitted (Cloth Kersey), Kingston-on-Hull	1623 to 1641	16	,,
Increased Duty on Wines	1635 to 1641	6	,,
New Duties on Miscellaneous Tonnage of Ships, Beer, &c.	1694 to 1696	2	,,
New Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage	1697 to 1699	8	,,
New Imposition on Goods imported by Denizens, London	1608 to 1624	16	,,
New additional Duties—			
General	1692 to 1699	6	,,
Cash	1693 to 1699	4	,,
New Impositions on Cambrics, Lawns, &c.	1609 to 1624	16	,,
American—			
Cash	1767 to 1788	3	,,
General	1767 to 1786	2	,,
Agent	1768 to 1786	1	,,
Leeward Islands	1670 to 1677	1	,,
Barbadoes, 4½ per Cent.	1670 to 1770	7	,,
Collectors of the Outports, Money in Super	1648 to 1649	15	,,
Coinage Duty arising from Wines, &c.	1677 to 1680	1	,,
Miscellaneous	1635 to 1694	2	,,
General	1688 to 1818	122	,,
Cash	1604 to 1818	218	,,
Debentures—			
Interest on unsatisfied Army, Navy, and Transport Service	1704 to 1714	3	1
Deductions—			
Of one Shilling in the Pound on all Salaries, Wages, and Fees of any Office, &c.	1760 to 1810	46	1
Of Sixpence in the Pound on all Pensions, Annuities, &c.	1721 to 1811	73	1
Exchequer Bills—			
Receivers and Paymasters	1706 to 1818	102	..
Circulating and Exchanging	1699 to 1724	10	..
Purchasing	1698 to 1703	3	..
Miscellaneous	1795 to 1812	2	2
Fines and Forfeitures—			
Receiver of the Revenues arising from Forfeitures of Popish Recusants, South of the Trent, Welsh Counties, and the Southern Counties	1627 to 1684	13	..
England and Wales	1643 to 1718	3	..
North of the Trent	1627 to 1641	9	..
Receiver-General of all Fines, Forfeitures, and other sums of Money due to His Majesty by reason of any suit for Causes Ecclesiastical	1595 to 1616	4	..
Attainted Lands, &c.	1560 to 1733	5	1
Glass—			
General	1746 to 1787	40	.
Cash	1746 to 1787	42	..
Miscellaneous	1695 to 1699	1	1
Hanaper in Chancery, Clerk or Keeper of the	1550 to 1819	201	1
Hawkers, Pedlars, Petty Chapmen,—Licenses for	1697 to 1812	99	1
Hides and Skins, also Vellum and Parchment			
General	1711 to 1800	..	..
Cash	1699 to 1799	..	2
Hops—			
General	1711 to 1787	73	..
Cash	1711 to 1787	70	1
Horse, Master of the,—and Miscellaneous in connection	1627 to 1746	8	1
Leases—			
Particulars for	..	..	Partially inventoried.
Leather, Duty on—			
Cash	1698 to 1700	2	..
Arrears	1701 to 1705	2	1
Licenses, General, for sale of Exciseable Articles—			
General	1784 to 1787	3	..
Cash	1785 to 1787	2	1
Lotteries—			
Secretary to the Commissioners for Lottery Affairs	1786 to 1820	20	..
Receivers of the Contributions	1710 to 1757	11	..
Paymasters—Eleven distinct Accounts	1696 to 1743	75	..
Miscellaneous	1712 to 1722	4	2
Military Asylum, Royal—Treasurer	1800 to 1819	14	1
Military College, Royal—			
Treasurer	1799 to 1805	2	..
Agent	1816 to 1817	1	1

Name of Account.	Date.	Number of Accounts.	Packages.
Mint—			
Wardens	1599 to 1725	39	..
Master and Worker, Gold Coinage, &c.	1626 to 1818	146	..
Master and Worker, Copper Coinage	1672 to 1784	28	..
Miscellaneous	1559 to 1818	18	1
Printing Journals of the House of Commons	1742 to 1796	7	1
Prizes—			
Receiver-General	1671 to 1715	19	..
Commissioners	1700 to 1813	10	..
Miscellaneous	1593 to 1673	10	1
Receiver-General—Bailiffs, &c.	1514 to 1736	95	1
Robes, Gentlemen and Master of the	1605 to 1812	92	1
Tin Accounts—			
Agents for Tin Affairs in Cornwall and Devon	1703 to 1717	23	..
Buying of Tin in Cornwall and Devon	1603 to 1717	15	..
Consigned to the Mint	1704 to 1725	12	..
Sale of all Tin	1703 to 1717	12	1
Wardrobe, Great (Magna Garderoba)	1534 to 1782	179	..
Miscellaneous	1558 to 1708	16	2

41. *Chapter House Records: Foundation Indentures of Henry VII.'s Chapel.*—It is noticed in the Ninth Report (II., §§ 79, 80), that besides the very splendid volume, bound in purple velvet, so carefully repaired and preserved by Mr. Cole, there were several others bound in blue velvet, which had been brought from the Chapter House in a most decayed and totally inconsultable condition. The pages have been carefully flattened and inlaid between goldbeaters' skin, one volume has been re-bound, and the bosses, enamels, and seal boxes of 21 others, have been cleaned and put in order.

42. *Miscellaneous Work.*—Mr. Cole has been employed in completing descriptive Inventories of the Indexes and Calendars in the Office; and some various minor particulars of repairs of Records, &c., not hereinbefore noticed, will be found in the Tabular Summary (App. I. No. 6).

III. General Matters connected with the Care and Management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

1. *Correspondence relating to the Bulk of Appendices.*—Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department, by his letter of the 19th August, 1848 (App. I. No. 2), informed Lord Langdale that the Comptroller of Your Majesty's Stationery Office had called the attention of the Secretary of State to the great bulk of the Appendix to the Ninth Report, submitted by me to Your Majesty. The correspondence which ensued is herewith submitted to Your Majesty (App. I., Nos. 3, 4, 5). The Calendars and Inventories therefore will not be appended to the future Reports of the Deputy Keeper, unless Your Majesty or Your Houses of Parliament should consider the same desirable, but will remain for use in the Public Record Office, or the Branch Offices, as may be found most expedient.

2. *Production of Records under Subpœna duces tecum.*—The Judges of Your Majesty's Courts of Common Law at Westminster having taken into consideration the inconveniences arising from the practice of issuing Subpœnas duces tecum for the production of Records, a Rule of Court was made in Easter Term, 1848, to the following effect:—"That no Subpœna duces tecum should be issued for "enforcing the production of any Record of the Acts of any Court deposited in "the Public Record Office pursuant to the statute 1 and 2 Vic. c. 94, or any "other Document or Minute of Proceedings officially filed of Record in any "Court, and deposited in the Public Record Office pursuant to the said statute, "without an Order of the Court out of which the said Subpœna should issue, "or of some Judge thereof."

3. *New Record Office.*—It was stated in the Ninth Report (III. § 1) that Your Majesty's Commissioners appointed "to inquire into and consider the "most effectual means of improving the Metropolis, and of providing increased "facilities of communication within the same," had, by their Sixth Report, submitted to Your Majesty, proposed that the ground composing the Rolls Estate

and certain other properties in the neighbourhood should be the site of the New Record Repository, and that the requisite Parliamentary Notices had been given for carrying into effect the recommendation above referred to; and, furthermore, that the site selected met with the most unqualified approval of Lord Langdale. But the Bill, for which the Parliamentary Notices were given in November, 1847, was not proceeded with, nor has any further official communication or transaction ensued.

The great and imminent hazards to which Your Majesty's Records are continually exposed from the insecurity of the Repositories in which they are placed, and the obstructions to the convenient use of the Records by the Public occasioned by the want of sufficient accommodation, have been frequently represented to Your Majesty, and they remain wholly unabated, to the great detriment of the Public Service.

All which is most humbly submitted to Your Majesty.

Dated this 24th day of March, in the year of Our Lord 1849, in the twelfth year of the reign of Your Majesty.

(Signed) FRANCIS PALGRAVE,
The Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

I most humbly certify to Your Majesty, that this Report is made by the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records under my direction, pursuant to the Statute.

(Signed) LANGDALE, M.R.

APPENDIX I.

TO THE

TENTH REPORT OF THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

Appendix I.

No. 1.
State Paper Office. Letter from the Secretary to the Treasury to the Master of the Rolls, transmitting Treasury Minute relating to the proposed Consolidation of the State Paper Office and the Record Department.

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My Lord, *Treasury Chambers, August* 15, 1848.

I am commanded by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury to transmit, for your Lordship's information, the inclosed copy of a Minute of this Board, dated the 8th instant, relating to the proposed consolidation of the State Paper Office and the Record Department.

I am, &c.,

The Lord Langdale, (Signed) C. E. TREVELYAN.
&c. &c.

Inclosure to No. 1.

Copy of Treasury Minute, dated August 8, 1848.

Write to Lord Eddisbury, Mr. Hawes, and Mr. Lewis, and request that they will state to the three Secretaries of State, respectively, that my Lords have on several occasions had under their consideration the functions respectively performed by the State Paper Office and the Record Department, and they are of opinion that it would now be advisable to determine the course which ought finally to be adopted in reference to these two Offices.

The State Paper Office is a Repository for the reception and arrangement of the Documents accumulating in the Offices of the Privy Council and the Secretaries of State, at whose disposal the Documents are held, and no person is permitted to have access to these without an order from a Secretary of State. The establishment of the State Paper Office is as follows:—

	£.
Keeper of the State Papers (Mr Hobhouse)	614
Deputy Keeper and First Clerk	351
Second Clerk	191
Salary as Secretary to Commissioners for Printing and Publishing State Papers	250
Third Clerk	131
Two extra Clerks	179
Four additional temporary Clerks	400
Housekeeper	30
Messengers	110
	£2256

And, including contingent expenses, the estimated cost of the Office for the year 1848-9 amounts to 2680*l.*

Commissions for publishing State Papers were issued, in connection with this Office, in 1825 and 1840, under the authority of which the Letters of Henry VIII. have been printed; and Calendars are being prepared describing the contents of each Document relating to the subsequent reigns, so that the Public may be enabled to have ready access to the originals, where more full information of their contents shall be required.

The Record Department was established in the year 1838, under the authority of the Act

Appendix I.

No. 1.

State Paper Office. Letter from the Secretary to the Treasury to the Master of the Rolls, transmitting Treasury Minute relating to the proposed Consolidation of the State Paper Office and the Record Department.

1 and 2 Vict., c. 94. The general superintendence is vested in the Master of the Rolls, who is assisted by the following Officers:—

	£.
Deputy Keeper of Records . . .	800
Secretary	450
Eight Assistant Keepers . . .	3110
Twenty-one Clerks	2220
	£6580

Besides certain Offices and Places of Custody, particularly mentioned in the Act, power is given to Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order the Records deposited in any Office, Court, Place, or Custody, other than those before-mentioned, to be placed under the same charge and superintendence; and their Lordships arranged with the Master of the Rolls that the management of the Records so transferred should be subject to regulations approved of by the heads of the Departments to which they respectively belong.

Large quantities of Papers, which had accumulated in the Treasury, Admiralty, and other Offices, have accordingly been transferred to the Record Department, where they are not only taken proper care of, but are more easily consulted than they were previously to their transfer.

As, therefore, Parliament has made provision for the whole of the State or Public Records of the Country being brought under one central management, and this arrangement, besides its greater economy, would be productive of many obvious advantages, their Lordships are of opinion that no new appointments should be made to the separate establishment of the State Paper Office; that, on the retirement of the present Keeper of the State Papers, the charge of that Office should be transferred to the Master of the Rolls, and that the Officers on the establishment of the Record Department should after that be available for any duties for which they may be required, in connection with the arrangement, &c., of the Documents deposited in the State Paper Office.

In November, 1845, it was arranged, in consequence of the want of accommodation in the State Paper Office, that when a sufficient period has elapsed to confer an Historical character on particular classes of Documents deposited in that Office, such Documents should be transferred to the care of the Department under the superintendence of the Master of the Rolls, where numerous contemporary and analogous Records were already deposited; and the Master of the Rolls, on that occasion, made the following observations in reply to some objections which had been offered to the transfer:—

"The Record Office would obey the directions of the Secretary of State, to whose Office any particular Papers belonged; would afford the most perfect and convenient access to the Officers of the same Office; would send to the Office the originals or copies of any Papers whenever required; and would afford no access to other persons, except by order of the Office, or according to regulations approved by the Office.

"In all such matters, the Record Office would do precisely as the State Paper Office would do, or ought to do."

Their Lordships have now suggested that the State Paper Office should, on the retirement of the present Keeper, become a Branch of the Record Department under the superintendence of the Master of the Rolls; and they have made this proposal on the understanding that the conditions above described by Lord Langdale will be applied to this, as they have been to the present less complete, arrangement.

The operations of the Commission for Printing and Publishing State Papers will properly cease after the Publication of the Papers of the time of Henry VIII.; and when the State Paper Office and the Record Department shall have been consolidated, the Printing of Calendars, Catalogues, and Indexes, as well as of such Records as may be approved by Her Majesty's Secretaries of State and the Lords of the Treasury, will be conducted under the superintendence of the Master of the Rolls, as directed by the 14th and 15th Sections of the Record Act, 1 and 2 Vict., c. 94.

State that, in case Her Majesty's Secretaries of State shall signify their consent to the arrangements above described, my Lords will communicate with the Master of the Rolls, with a view to their being carried into effect at the proper time.

No. 2.

Appendix to Annual Report. Letter from the Secretary of State for the Home Department to the Master of the Rolls, as to the Bulk of the Appendix to the Annual Report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

2.—Appendix to Annual Report. Letter from the Secretary of State for the Home Department to the Master of the Rolls, as to the Bulk of the Appendix to the Annual Report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

My Lord, *Whitehall, August* 19, 1848.

I have the honour to inform your Lordship that the Comptroller of the Stationery Office has felt it his duty to bring under my notice the great bulk of the Appendix to the Ninth Report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, and the heavy expense which the printing of it has occasioned. The matter of which the Appendix is chiefly composed, although of an interesting nature and valuable to persons engaged in antiquarian research, does not appear to be available for the purposes of Parliamentary or other public business, or such as would engage the attention of general readers. It is therefore not likely that the Volume will command a sale sufficient to defray any considerable proportion of the expense of printing, which will become a charge upon the Public, with little corresponding advantage, so

far as I am at present able to judge. Under these circumstances, it is deserving of consideration whether the Appendix to future Reports shall contain matter of the same character as that to which I have alluded, or whether it shall be strictly confined to such Documents as may be required to elucidate the Report, or will furnish useful information to Parliament. Upon this point I shall be glad to receive the benefit of your Lordship's opinion, when you are able, without inconvenience, to give your attention to the subject.

I have, &c.,

The Lord Langdale, (Signed) G. GREY.
&c. &c.

Appendix I.

No. 2.
Appendix to Annual Report. Letter from the Secretary of State for the Home Department to the Master of the Rolls, as to the Bulk of the Appendix to the Annual Report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

3.—Appendix to Annual Report. Letter from the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records to the Master of the Rolls, as to the reasons for annexing Inventories and Calendars to his Annual Report.

No. 3.
Appendix to Annual Report. Letter from the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records to the Master of the Rolls, as to the reasons for annexing Inventories and Calendars to his Annual Report.

My Lord, *Rolls House, October* 27, 1848.

Having considered Sir George Grey's letter of the 19th August, 1848, stating the fact that the Comptroller of the Stationery Office has felt it his duty to bring under the notice of the Secretary of State the great bulk of the Appendix to the Ninth Report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, I request permission to observe thereon as follows:—

It is, I presume, unnecessary to support the following propositions:—first, that it is a most important branch of the duties of this Establishment to make such Calendars, Inventories, and Indexes as are appended to my several Reports; and, secondly, that it is advisable, provided there be no financial objection (for financial considerations must govern this and all similar questions), to print them for the use of the Public, and disperse them at the lowest possible price: and inasmuch as the Record Act, 1 and 2 Vict., c. 94, s. 14, gives power to any of the Secretaries of State to cause such Calendars to be printed as your Lordship may recommend, the question is narrowed as to the simple expediency (supposing it be thought proper to incur the expense of printing), of annexing them to the Reports addressed to the Queen, presented to both Houses of Parliament, and printed by the order of the Houses, instead of printing them in a separate form.

It is remarked in Sir George Grey's letter, that "the matter of which the Appendix is chiefly composed, although of an interesting nature and valuable to persons engaged in antiquarian research, does not appear to be available for the purposes of Parliamentary or other public business, or such as would engage the attention of general readers; it is therefore not likely that the Volume will command a sale sufficient to defray any considerable proportion of the expense of printing, which will become a charge upon the Public, with little corresponding advantage."

Now to this, it is to be replied, that these remarks are founded only upon the Inventories annexed to the Ninth Report, and upon a misconception of those Inventories. Had the attention of Sir George Grey been directed to the previous Reports, he would possibly have formed a different opinion. The Calendars and Inventories, though they may be incidentally advantageous to persons engaged in antiquarian research, are, so far as they have been hitherto appended to the Reports, mainly intended for practical business, *i. e.*, for the purpose of assisting in those inquiries relating to claims and rights of property of various descriptions concerning which Records afford evidence. Such, for example, are all the Inventories of the Proceedings of the Courts of Common Law, Specifications of Patents, and, very particularly, the Calendars of the Patent Rolls, and the Particulars for Grants. These two latter are of very great utility with relation to the vast mass of landed property previously belonging to the Church, and also all other property to which a title is made by or through Crown Grants, and by the terriers, surveys, rentals, and other documents connected with those Grants. Numerous questions frequently arise which are answered by these documents, and these Calendars are, therefore, lists of title-deeds. The Calendars alone render the documents accessible.

It is hopeless to expect any remunerating profit from the disposal of such publications. This commercial aspect is really a matter of small consequence, though I believe that, in some cases, a tolerable sale may be expected. I have been informed at Messrs. Hansard's that the Deputy Keeper's Reports are often inquired after and bought. I am also informed that those booksellers who deal in historical publications always keep the Reports in hand, and I may add, that M. Delpit, appointed by the French Minister of Public Instruction to make historical researches in this country, said, that for want of such annual publications, very little real progress was made in the *exploitation* of the French Archives.

It is further remarked in the letter of Sir George Grey, that the Appendixes do not "appear to be available for the purposes of Parliamentary or other public business." But if the management of the Public Records be a portion of the public business, then the documents in question are available. They give information concerning the condition, nature, and bulk of the Records upon which the public money is expended, in a manner which cannot be effected by any general or summary description, and they are also evidences, year by year, of the labour bestowed by the Officers of the Establishment in one of the most important branches of their duties. They bear the same relation to the Deputy Keeper's Report that the physiological and statistical statements incorporated in, or appended to, the Reports of the Registrar-General, bear to his Report. They afford to the Houses of Parliament the means of obtaining knowledge upon subjects concerning which they are called to legislate, and for which they vote the funds.

Appendix I.

No. 3.
Appendix to Annual Report. Letter from the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records to the Master of the Rolls, as to the reasons for annexing Inventories and Calendars to his Annual Report.

The annexation of the Calendars, &c., enables the Deputy Keeper to assist in their revision and correction, and to present them in a less pretending form, and more economically and expeditiously, than if they are published as substantive works, and that without detracting from their utility. In the present dispersed state of the Records, it is quite impossible to proceed with the Inventories otherwise than piecemeal. Instead of being able to concentrate the strength of the Establishment upon one series of Records, and get through with that series, it is necessary to work upon the dispersed Records in different Offices, and with varying degrees of efficacy.

The Reports are sold at a cheap rate, and the necessity of bringing out portions at a given time in each and every year, for the inspection of Parliament, is a constant instigation to diligence; besides which, many of the Officers are gratified by having their discoveries and labours brought before the public—a stimulus to be encouraged and not to be checked or disregarded.

I acknowledge, and with regret, that the Calendars are not so complete, in many respects, as they might be, if a perfect classification were effected. The imperfection, however, cannot be helped: it is not a figure of speech, but a matter of fact, to state, that the duration of human life scarcely affords any probability of bringing the vast mass into that state of arrangement required by the theory, that a perfect classification of the whole store of Records should precede the operation of calendaring. It has been, I may be permitted to observe, a great and standing mistake in all similar undertakings, to forget that each year, so to speak, must provide for its own needs, and that it is far better to present the public with a Calendar tolerably useful, of a fragment of a class of Records, in the year 1849, than to continue working wholly underground, in order to build up a reversion to become available at a period beyond calculation.

With respect to the Tenth Report, I had, previously to the receipt of Sir G. Grey's letter, pursuant to an authority from the Home Office, printed the whole of Mr. Hunter's Inventory of the Escheators' Accounts, and the continuation of Mr. Cole's Inventory of Particulars for Grants as far as the end of letter R, containing 34 sheets in the whole. About six or seven sheets will complete Mr. Cole's Inventory, but I have stayed proceedings until I receive your Lordship's directions.

I have, &c.,

The Lord Langdale, (Signed) F. PALGRAVE.
&c. &c.

No. 4.
Appendix to Annual Report. Letter from the Master of the Rolls to the Secretary of State for the Home Department, as to the Bulk of the Appendix to the Annual Report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

4.—Appendix to Annual Report. Letter from the Master of the Rolls to the Secretary of State for the Home Department, as to the Bulk of the Appendix to the Annual Report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

Sir, *Rolls House, November* 16, 1848.

With reference to your letter addressed to me on the 19th day of August last, relating to the great bulk of the Appendix to the Ninth Report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, I have the honour to state that I have received from Sir Francis Palgrave a letter on the subject, dated the 27th day of October last. Of this letter I inclose a copy, and you will observe from the last paragraph that, pursuant to authority before given, he has already printed (for the Appendix to the next or Tenth Report) the whole of an Inventory of Escheators' Accounts, and a considerable part of an Inventory of Particulars for Grants. These Inventories are of the same character as the matter to which your attention has been drawn by the Comptroller of the Stationery Office; but as the expense of printing them has been to so great an extent already incurred, I conceive that it would be better to complete the Inventory of which six or seven sheets are wanting, and thereby give the Public the benefit of them in the Appendix to the Tenth Report, than now to suppress them, and thereby throw away all the expense already incurred upon them; and I think that, under these circumstances, these particular Inventories ought to be appended to the next Report, unless you direct them to be omitted.

But with respect to Reports to follow after the Tenth, I think that matter of this kind need not be stated at full length; for although the matter is very important to those who have occasion to refer to the Records, and the omission of it will undoubtedly be the loss of a considerable convenience to some persons, yet I think that the amount and nature of the work done may be stated in the Report with sufficient distinctness to enable those who are interested to refer to the Inventories and Calendars, which, when duly prepared, will always be accessible to the Public in the Office; and if it should be thought proper from time to time to print Calendars, Indexes, &c., under the authority of the Records Act, 1 and 2 Vict. c. 94, s. 14, all inconvenience will be removed.

I have, &c.,

The Right Hon. Sir George Grey, Bart., (Signed) LANGDALE.
&c. &c.

Appendix I.

No. 5. Appendix to Annual Report. Letter from the Secretary of State for the Home Department to the Master of the Rolls, as to the annexing Inventories and Calendars to the Annual Report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

5.—Appendix to Annual Report. Letter from the Secretary of State for the Home Department to the Master of the Rolls, as to the annexing Inventories and Calendars to the Annual Report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

My Lord, *Whitehall, November* 21, 1848.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's letter of the 16th instant, and its inclosure, stating that the whole of an Inventory of Escheators' Accounts, and a considerable part of an Inventory of Particulars for Grants, have been printed, with the view to their being inserted in the next or Tenth Report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

As the expense of printing these Inventories has been to so great an extent already incurred, I concur in opinion with your Lordship that it will be better to complete the Inventory of which six or seven sheets are wanting, and to give the public the benefit of these Inventories in the Appendix to the Tenth Report.

But with respect to Reports to follow after the Tenth, I agree with your Lordship that matter of this kind need not be stated at full length, as the amount and nature of the work done may be stated in the Report with sufficient distinctness to enable those who are interested to refer to the Inventories and Calendars, which, when duly prepared, will always be accessible to the Public in the Record Office.

I have, &c.,

The Lord Langdale, (Signed) G. GREY.
&c. &c.

No. 6.—Summary of Proceedings in the Public Record

OFFICES.	ARRANGEMENT, REPAIRS, &c.	REMOVALS.
ROLLS HOUSE.	Exchequer of Receipt:— Tellers' Vouchers (Receipts for Pensions)—In progress of cleaning and arrangement. Treasury Records:— Mint Papers, Orders in Council,—Cleaned, stamped, and arranged. Selected Papers—Reduced into classes, and in progress of arrangement. American Claims—Partly arranged. Treasury Minutes—All cleaned, flattened, and arranged, in 159 bundles, from 1760 to 1816 (except 9 years). Customs' Establishments—438 Volumes washed and cleaned; 229 Volumes indorsed and arranged; others in progress. Welsh Records:—Cleaning and arrangement in progress.	Tithe Office to Rolls House:—Maps, Plans, &c., of the expired Municipal and Parliamentary Boundaries' Commissions; pursuant to Treasury Letters of 9 Nov. and 7 Dec., 1848. Treasury to Rolls House:—Books, &c., of the Commissariat belonging to the abandoned position of Forts Garry, in the Hudson's Bay Territory; pursuant to Treasury Letter of 15 Dec., 1848. Custom House to Rolls House:—438 Vols. of Customs' Establishments, part of the Treasury Records; pursuant to Treasury Letter of 19 April, 1848. Carlton Ride to Rolls House:—Barons' Letter to Pope Boniface VIII., dated 12 Feb., 1300-1. Foundation Books of Hen. VII., relating to Westminster Abbey. 2 Patents of Edward the Black Prince. Ancient Letters Missive.
ROLLS CHAPEL.	Specification Rolls—5 Rolls made up. Various Membranes . . . Damped. 863 Mended. 824 Sewed. 803	House of Lords to Rolls Chapel:—Parliament Rolls, 10 and 11 Vict. Enrolment Office to Rolls Chapel:—Close Rolls and Memorials of Annuity Deeds, 4 Wm. IV. Records and Writs' Clerks' Office to Rolls Chapel:—34 Decrees, and the Dockets. Chapter House to Rolls Chapel:—2 Treaty Rolls, Eliz.
TOWER.	Inquisitions Post Mortem—Arranged in Books to 10 Ric. II. . . . . Membranes—Cleaned. 1,903 Mended. 1,903 Sewed. 626 Stamped. .. Chancery Proceedings—Placed in portfolios . . . . . 107,297 584 .. .. Privy Seals—25,961 numbered and entitled, and 19,877 placed in boards. . . . 20,086 29,212 .. 27,961 52,183 remaining to be cleaned and repaired.	Deptford Dock-Yard to the Tower:—84 large Chests belonging to the Admiralty, pertaining to the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy; relating to the Transport Service—the Bill Office—the Victualling Office—the Imprest Branch—and the Treasurer's Office.
CHAPTER HOUSE.	Miscellaneous—Sorting Documents mixed with Proceedings of the Court of Wards and the Court of Requests, in 90 sacks. Seals, &c.—Repairing at Carlton Ride.	Chapter House to Rolls Chapel:—2 Treaty Rolls, Eliz.
CARLTON RIDE. *Mr. Hunter's Division.*	. . . . .	. . . .
Mr. Cole's Division.	Queen's Bench:—*Crown Side.* Affidavits, tied up and ticketed, 35 bundles. Baga de Secretis, bagging, &c. Indictments, Fiats, Grand Jury Lists, Records of Bails, Records of Orders, &c., bagged and ticketed, 35 bags. Inquests on Prisoners, tied up in brown paper. Judgments, ticketed. Notice of Trial Books, mending, re-binding, and ticketing, 3 vols. Plea Rolls, Quo Warranto Rolls, Assize Rolls, &c., 182 rolls flattened. Pye Books, mended, and re-bound, 14 vols. Swearing Rolls, membranes made up into rolls, sorted, and bagged. *Plea Side.* Affidavits (various), tied up and ticketed, 656 bundles: Indices bound, 2 vols. Bails (various), arranged, ticketed, &c., 183 bundles, and placed in boards in part. Consent Rules, 25 bundles bagged. Declarations, tied up and ticketed, 3309 bundles. Docket Papers, ticketed. Docket Rolls, tied up, bagged, and ticketed. Indices to Bills against Attorneys, ticketed, and placed in boards. Judgment Rolls, flattened, arranged, and ticketed. Prisoners' Papers, tied up and bagged, 25 bundles. Rules' Entry Books, mended and bound, 13 vols. Warrants of Attorney, sorted, bundled, ticketed, and placed in boards. Writs, folded, ticketed, and put in portfolios. Common Pleas:— Affidavits, tied up, and ticketed. Bills against Attorneys, ticketed, sewed, put in boards. Capias, dusted, sorted, tied up, ticketed. Clerks' Articles, Declarations, Ejectments, Jury Panels, Prisoners' Papers, &c., tied up, and ticketed. Common Rolls, flattened, mended, ticketed, 5 rolls. Fines, Concords of, sewing in suits, 1016 membranes, 6 mended. Fines, Feet of, 7875 membranes flattened, 8264 guarded, 421 mended; stamping, ticketing, placing in covers, sorting, &c. Inquiries, Posteas, folded, dusted, sewed, ticketed, arranged, and put in boards. King's Silver Books, 9899 leaves mended, 615 guarded. Warrants of Attorney, sorted, ticketed, and bagged. Writs, &c., 9 bundles folded 852 sewings. Exchequer:—*Queen's Remembrancer.* Bails and Recognizances, folded, tied up, and bagged. Barons' Depositions, 11 membranes mended, arranging alphabetically Dy to'Ky, placing in portfolios. Bills and Answers, 122 membranes mended and sewed, 92 bundles folded, 158 membranes stamped; ticketed, and placed in portfolios. Decrees and Orders (Original), 2 bundles flattened. Depositions (not Barons'), 395 bundles folded to size, placing in portfolios, cutting covers, sewing strings, and ticketing. Extents, Writs, &c., flattened and mended. Miscellaneous, 289,354 membranes flattened, 2984 mended, 1155 sewings, 264 parchment covers to rolls, 277 strings, 10 labels:—general sorting and matching fragments. Special Commissions, 3058 tickets to files, sorted, folded, put in portfolios, &c. *Pipe.* Accounts, arranged in alphabetical classes.—See Report, II., § 40. Miscellaneous, dusted, flattened, sorted, arranged in boards, &c. *Augmentation* Ministers' Accounts, 22 membranes mended. Particulars for Grants, 425 tickets;—finally arranged. *First Fruits* Bishops' Certificates, 28 tickets; sorted, arranged, folded, and placed in portfolios. *Pleas.* Affidavits, Pæcipes, &c., ticketed. Chapter House:— Indenture Books of Hen. VII.'s Chapel, flattened, mended, ornaments repaired, &c. Seals detached from Documents, cleaning, &c.	Accruing Records to Carlton Ride:— From the different Courts and Departments (pursuant to Warrants, dated 7 January, 1848), for 1825, 1826, 1827. Queen's Bench to Carlton Ride:— Records of the time of Geo. II. and III., from Westminster, 29 March, 1848, in 18 sacks, and 91 parcels, viz., Affidavits, Bails, Errors, &c. From Symond's Inn, 28 November, 1848, 35 sacks of Special Pleas, &c. Carlton Ride to Rolls House:— Barons' Letter to Pope Boniface VIII., dated 12 February, 1300-1. Foundation Books of Hen. VII., relating to Westminster Abbey. Two Patents of Edward the Black Prince. Ancient Letters Missive.

OFFICE, for the Year ended 31st December, 1848.

INVENTORIES.	CALENDARS.	INDEXES.	FEES. Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Inrolments.	Plans annexed.	Amount of Fees. £. s. d.
WELSH RECORDS:— Welsh Fines and Recoveries, in progress.	CHANCERY:— PATENT ROLLS, 1 to 9 Hen. VII., nearly completed. EXCHEQUER OF RECEIPT:— Auditor's Patent Books, to the end of Jac. I., done. WELSH RECORDS:— Welsh Fines and Recoveries, in progress.	. . . . .								
		Exchequer .	12	66	18	6	..	..	..	9 1 0
. . . .	. . . . .	CLOSE ROLLS—55 to 57 Geo. III., and 2 to 4 Geo. IV., and Recognizances of those years, completed. Draft of 5 Geo. IV., done. 6 Geo. IV., began. MEMORIALS—1832, in progress. SPECIFICATION INDEX, Entered up from Close Rolls—3 Wm. IV., in progress.	1169	2243	277	137	10	41	37	413 15 6
. . . .	STATE PAPERS and ROYAL LETTERS—Continued, but little progress made. PATENT ROLLS—21 Hen. VII. to 4 Hen. VIII., done. Fair copy from 10 to 15 Hen. VII., done.	CHANCERY PROCEEDINGS (Equity Side) — Continued; 602 more Suits done; making in all 18,572 Suits.	38	145	69	38	..	..	..	48 10 6
CONTENTS OF PRESSES—Continued.	MISCELLANEOUS — Continued; 300 more paper Documents done, making in all 3,962 of this series. Also, other Miscellaneous.	COURT OF WARDS: INQUISITIONS POST MORTEM—2,660 more done; making in all 5,276.	107	194	121	56	..	..	..	42 2 6
. . . .	EXCHEQUER: — MISCELLANEOUS of the QUEEN'S REMEMBRANCER—3,439 more done, making 71,899.	. . . . .	4	317	46	9	7	..	..	37 18 6
QUEEN'S BENCH:— *Plea Side.* Bails, Special, 1770—1800. Doggett Rolls, 1702—1822. *Crown and Plea Sides.* Accruing Records, 1825, 1826, and 1827. COMMON PLEAS:— Accruing Records, 1825, 1826, and 1827. EXCHEQUER:— *Queen's Remembrancer.* Accruing Records, 1825, 1826, and 1827. *Pipe and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer.* Accounts, &c., Rough Inventories.—See Report, II., § 40. *Augmentation.* Particulars for Grants—continued—Hen. VIII. concluded (see App. II., No. 2); Edw. VI. in progress. FIRST FRUITS:— Accruing Records, 1825, 1826, 1827. OFFICIAL INDEXES and CALENDARS:— Descriptive Inventory—continued.	. . . . .	COMMON PLEAS:— Feet of Fines, comparing, &c., with Index, Hen. III., Edw. I., and part of Edw. II., Gloucester, done. EXCHEQUER:— *Queen's Remembrancer.* Bills and Answers, in progress. Depositions, (not Barons',) in progress. *Augmentation.* Particulars for Grants, continued.								
		Q. Bench	66	71	41	30	..	..	..	52 11 0
		C. Pleas	750	121	411	389	..	..	..	144 11 0
		Exchequer	159	501	179	100	1	..	..	120 13 0
		Totals . .	2305	3658	1162	765	18	41	37	869 4 0

APPENDIX II.

No. 1.—ANCIENT COMPOTUSES of the EXCHEQUER.

A Calendar of the Documents called Miscellaneous, which were transferred to the Custody of the Right Hon. the Master of the Rolls by Her Majesty's Remembrancer in the Exchequer, in pursuance of the Statute 1 and 2 Vict. c. 94 (Vacancies in the Serieses being in some cases supplied from Documents found in the Augmentation Office). Prepared by Joseph Hunter, one of the Assistant Keepers of the Public Records:—being that part of the Calendar which contains—

The Escheators' Accounts, and the Inquisitions Post Mortem, and other Inquisitions or Documents transmitted therewith, from the First Year of King Henry the Seventh to the closing of each Series.

This part of the General Calendar presents a view of the whole of the escheators' matter which was delivered to the Master of the Rolls by Her Majesty's Remembrancer, from the beginning of the reign of King Henry the Seventh; and also of such matter of this class as hath been discovered among the miscellaneous documents which had found their way, it is not known precisely how, into the Augmentation Office.

The first and principal part of the series are the accounts themselves, rendered by each escheator, of the profits of his office. The distribution of the matter contained in them is uniformly under the heads, *The Old Escheats, The New Escheats,* and *The Goods of Outlaws, Felons, and Fugitives.* This is a body of evidence which has been rarely used by any class of inquirers. Yet these accounts contain much valuable information.

There is great reason to suppose that every escheator did, year by year, on going out of office, render an account of the profits accruing to the Crown received by him. But it has happened here, as in many other departments of these so long-neglected "Miscellanea" of the Exchequer, that the accounts of many of the escheators cannot now be produced, and that others exist only in fragmentary portions. Indeed, many of the accounts which are entered in this calendar were found in a dismembered state. In these cases the several portions have been united by us according to the best judgment we have been able to bring to the subject. It appears, however, to be right that this should be stated for the information of any persons using this calendar, that they may be cautioned against too implicit reliance on our success.

It has been thought desirable to present, as nearly as possible, in this calendar, the name of each successive escheator. Where the accounts remain there is no difficulty in this. But it may be proper to observe, that for the names of the escheators in the years for which no accounts remain we have had recourse to three distinct sources of information. First, it was the usual practice of each escheator, when he rendered his account, to set forth the name of the person whom he succeeded in office, and the name of him to whom he resigned it; secondly, we have often inquisitions where there are no accounts, and the inquisitions set forth the names of the escheators before whom they were taken; and thirdly, there is an old calendar in the office, prepared about the reign of King James the First, or earlier, when the serieses were more complete than they now are, which has supplied names not now to be recovered from the existing documents. This catalogue of the escheators (an officer taken from persons of the same rank of society which supplied the sheriffs) is an addition made to the English Fasti, no attempt having, it is believed, previously been made to form a list of these officers, except the imperfect one in the old manuscript calendar.

Subsidiary to the accounts are the inquisitions taken before the escheators. These are, for the most part, *post mortem;* either *virtute officii* or in pursuance of the writs *Diem clausit extremum, Melius inquirendum, Quæ plura, Devenerunt,* or *Mandamus.* Each of these inquisitions is specifically noticed in the calendar, and, in specifying them, the rule has been to enter the name of the party in the precise terms in which it appears in the record. There has been no attempt at abstracting the inquisitions, as a duty foreign from the purpose of calendaring, and requiring an array of clerks and a consumption of time wholly inconsistent with the discharge of the duties arising out of the present necessities of the service. The searcher may, however, be assured that each person whose name he finds held lands within the escheatry, and a reference to the documents will show him at once what lands they were; or he will find the jury returning that he did *not* hold any lands at the time of his death within the escheatry. The arrangement in escheatries, which was called for by the necessity of keeping prominent the compotus, to which the inquisitions are but here subordinate, and adhering to the principle which I have kept in view through the whole labour of preparing this calendar, that the series of public officers accounting must be maintained, will also be found of the greatest possible convenience to all persons, but especially topographical inquirers, who may resort to the Office in which the documents in this Calendar are deposited.

It need scarcely be added, that there will be found persons who held lands in divers escheatries. The several inquisitions taken on the decease of such persons will be found brought together whenever an index of names of persons on whose deaths inquisitions were taken shall be formed.

On the other inquisitions not *post mortem,* or other documents relating to the business of the escheator, nothing need be observed in this introduction.

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Appendix II.

1. Ancient Compotuses of the Exchequer.

Escheators' Accounts and Inquisitions.

Bedfordshire and Buckinghamshire.

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Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2–3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Swan Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 5 Nov. 2—5 Nov. 3 Hen. VII.—14 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Temple.
2. p. m. Johannis Kentwoode.
3. p. m. Radulphi Graistock militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Catesby militis (*Bed.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)
6. p. m. Katerine nuper uxoris Humfridi Stafford armigeri.

3–4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Cary Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 5 Nov. 3—5 Dec. 4 Hen. VII.—16 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Enderby militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Godwyn nuper de Oubourne-Deyncourt in comitatu Buck.
3. p. m. Thome Gilloge de Chepyng-Wycombe in comitatu Buck.
4. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis Zouche militis Domini Zouche de alta proditione attincti in comitatu Bed.
5. Inquisitio de possessionibus ejusdem in comitatu Buck.

4–5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Edwardi Comberford Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Broughton (*Bed.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)
3. p. m. Edmundi Rede militis.
4. p. m. Philippi Skydmore armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Cheyne militis.
6. p. m. Johanne nuper uxoris Johannis Botillar.

5–6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Whitton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 6 Nov. 5—5 Nov. 6 Hen. VII.—18 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edmundi Cornewell Baronis de Burford alias Burbord.
2. p. m. Thome Darell.
3. p. m. Drugonis Brudenell.
4. p. m. Johannis Wodhull armigeri.
5. p. m. Philippi Agmondesham.
6. Inquisitio super visum terrarum et tenementorum boscorum pratorum clausurarum pascuarum et pasturarum que nuper fuerunt Thome Donyngton alias Donton in parochiis de Chalfont Sancti Egidii et Chalfont Sancti Petri.

6–7 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Hammes Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Wales Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

* In many instances throughout this Calendar, the letter *e* is employed instead of the diphthong *æ* according to the old legal orthography.

18–24 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Grove Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Arnold de Sancto Neoto in comitatu Hunt. (18 H. VII.)
2. p. m. Johannis Mordaunt militis (20 H. VII.)
3. p. m. Ricardi Pole militis (20 H. VII.)
4. p. m. Edwardi Comitis Wiltes (*Bed.* 20 H. VII.)
5. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.* 20 H. VII.)
6. p. m. Thome Comitis Derb. (20 H. VII.)
7. p. m. Dominæ Elizabethæ Scrop de Bolton viduæ (*Bed.* 20 H. VII.)
8. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.* 20 H. VII.)
9. p. m. Johannis Grey militis Domini de Wylton (20 H. VII.)
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12. p. m. Radulphi Greystok militis (20 H. VII.)
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19. p. m. Willielmi de la Haye (22 H. VII.)
20. p. m. Thome Restwold armigeri filii et heredis Ricardi Restwold (23 H. VII.)
21. p. m. Johannis Skydmore armigeri (23 H. VII.)
22. p. m. Abrahami Sybell (23 H. VII.)
23. Inquisitio de alienatione manerii de Dunton per Edmundum Hampden militem.
24. Inquisitio super possessionibus Thome Rouland nuper Prioris domus sive monasterii Sanctæ Mariæ de Luffeld in comitatu Northampton jure domus sui (18 H. VII.)
25. Transcriptum ejusdem Inquisitionis.
26. Inquisitio tangens maneria de Northwode, Brokborow, Podyngton, Relegh, Caynho Brobury, Wrest et Flytt ac de maneriis de Harold et Hampthull alienata sine licencia Regis inde prius obtenta per Riccardum Com Kanc. (23 H. VII.)
27. Inquisitio tangens maneria de Caunton alias Canelton Sheford et Clophill alienata sine licencia Regis per eundem.
28. Inquisitio tangens manerium de Ampthill alienata sine licencia Regis per eundem et Egidium Dominum Daubeney.
29. Inquisitio tangens maneria de Sympston, Magna Brykhill et Stokehamond in comitatu Buck. alienata per Ricardum Comitem Kancie sine licencia Regis (23 H. VII.)
30. Inquisitio tangens manerium de Caldecote juxta Newport Paynell in com. Buck. que fuit Alicie Loven viduæ et postea Thome Hanchet generosi et post decessum ejus, Thome filii prædicti Thome (23 H. VII.)
31. Inquisitio tangens manerium de Blechley alienatum per Ricardum Comitem Kancie, sine licencia Regis.
32. Inquisitio tangens manerium de Snelston in comitatu Buck. alienatum per eundem Comitem sine licencia Regis.
33. Inquisitio tangens manerium de Henlow in comitatu Bedfordiæ alienata sine licencia Regis per eundem.

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Wodeford armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Margarete nuper Comitisse Richemond et Derb. (*Bed.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.* Nulla Terræ et Tenementa).
3. p. m. Anne Philipp vidue nuper uxoris David Philipp militis defuncti.
4. p. m. Thome Ramsey armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Darell armigeri.
6. p. m. Agnetis Paston vidue.
7. p. m. Humfridi Tailard generosi.
8. p. m. Egidii Daubney militis Domini Daubney.
9. p. m. Johannis Fyscher militis nuper unius Justiciariorum dicti Domini Regis de Communi Banco.
10. Inquisitio de terris et tenementis Edmundi Dudley armigeri (*Bed. Nulla*).
11. Inquisitio de terris et tenementis ejusdem (*Buck. Nulla*).
12. Inquisitio de terris et tenementis Ricardi Emson (*Bed.*)
13. Inquisitio de terris et tenementis ejusdem (*Buck.*)
14. Inquisitio de terris et tenementis ejusdem (*Buck.*)
15. Inquisicio de manerio de Byggyng quod Abbas et Conventus Monasterii Sancti Albani dimiserunt ad fermam Ricardo Emson.
16. Memorandum de Terris Tenementis bonis et catallis Felonum et Fugitivorum.

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Langston Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Grenefeld armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Godye de Kydenham.
2. p. m. Willielmi Jurdon.
3. p. m. Roberti le Straunge armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Godfrey.
5. p. m. Michaelis Poynaunt.
6. p. m. Inquisitio de terris Ricardi Emson de alta prodicione attincti.
7. p. m. Inquisitio de terris Francisci nuper Vicecomitis Lovell de alta proditione attincti.
8. p. m. Inquisitio de terris Edwardi nuper Comitis Warr. de alta proditione attincti.

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4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edmundi Cokeyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Corbett militis (*Bed.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)
3. Inquisitio de terr. et ten. Edwardi nuper Comitis Warr.

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Mordaunt armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Bulkeley armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Sylam de Luton in comitatu Bedford generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Poley.
4. p. m. Thome Englefeld militis.
5. p. m. Thome Cheyne militis.

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Acworth armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Shefford.
2. p. m. Henrici Vernon militis.
3. p. m. Johanne Domine le Straunge.
4. p. m. Willielmi Taylard consanguinei et heredis Humfridi Taylard.
5. p. m. Johannis Hanscombe.
6. p. m. Agnetis Blythe.
7. p. m. Ricardi Beauchamp militis Domini de Sancto Amando.
8. Inquisitio capta "post ingressum Willielmi Dygne in Religionem."
9. Inquisitio super possessionibus Edwardi Langley in Wotton et Silso in comitatu Bedford.

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Simonis Fitz armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Hanchet.
2. p. m. Ricardi Eston.
3. p. m. Agnetis Woodeward.
4. p. m. Edmundi Lucy militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Pate de Shytlyngton.
6. p. m. Edwardi Oliver.
7. p. m. Johannis Faldo.
8. p. m. Willielmi Byrte.
9. Inquisitio tam post mortem Thome Ramsey armigeri quam post mortem Margarete Restwold nuper uxoris dicti Thome Ramsey.
10. p. m. Humfridi Wellysburn armigeri.
11. p. m. Andree Hanchett.
12. p. m. Henrici Temple.
13. p. m. Humfridi Cokayn.
14. p. m. Thome Leventhorp.

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Greneway armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Danvers filii et heredis Johannis Danvers armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Beaffo armigeri.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Fitz Waren vidue.
4. p. m. Ricardi Pynfold de Dunstaple.
5. p. m. Johannis Morecote senioris.
6. p. m. Ricardi Cantlowe armigeri.

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Hampden armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Vernon armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardi Randalff.
3. p. m. Ricardi Greynvyle armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Brocas armigeri filii et heredis Bernardi Brocas armigeri (*Bed.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)
6. p. m. Hugonis Conwey militis.
7. p. m. Rogeri Hunt generosi.
8. p. m. Johannis Fortescu armigeri.

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Reginaldi Grey Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Perteshyll de Reyselay.
2. p. m. Johannis Broughton armigeri (*Bed.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*) [*much injured*].
4. p. m. Roberti Throkmerton militis (*Bed.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)
6. p. m. Alicie nuper Domine Morley.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Greynevile armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Tylney generosi.
2. p. m. Marie Danvers unius filiarum Johannis Danvers senioris armigeri et sororis et unius heredum Johannis Danvers filii.
3. p. m. Thome Dynham militis.
4. p. m. Thome Pygot nuper servientis Regis ad legem (*Bed.*)

5. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)
6. p. m. Willielmi Cottismore armigeri.
7. p. m. Roberti Blakwell.

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Tanfeld armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Brograve.
2. p. m. Willielmi Conquest.
3. p. m. Roberti Spenser generosi.
4. p. m. Michaelis Nevill generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Gourney de Bisschepiston.
6. p. m. Anthonii Amyott alias dicti Anthonii Peryen.
7. p. m. Willielmi Hampden.
8. p. m. Ricardi Decons armigeri.
9. De debito Willielmi Dale nuper de Hemyngford Grey in comitatu Huntingdon felonis.

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Fitz Jeffrey armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Ponyngys militis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Restwold armigeri.
3. p. m. Ricardi Decons armigeri.
4. Inquisitio de possessionibus Edwardi nuper Ducis Buckingham nuper de Thornebury in comitatu Glouc. de alta proditione attincti.
5. Inquisitio de possessionibus Thome Barnard nuper de Agmondesham et Jacobi Morden causa heretice pravitatis et relapsus eorumdem in eadem combustorum.

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Hill armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici nuper Domini Marney.
2. p. m. Henrici nuper Comitis Wiltes.
3. p. m. Thome Hawtry nuper de Ellesburgh.
4. p. m. Georgii Harvey militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Collet clerici.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Hampden armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Cavendish (*Bed.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)
3. p. m. Margerie Asshefeld vidue nuper uxoris Georgii Asshefeld armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Haddon armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Ramsey.
6. p. m. Edwardi Poynynges militis.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Routhall armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Marney militis Domini Marney. (*Buck. virtute officii.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Buck. virtute Brevis de diem clausit extremum.*)
3. p. m. Thome Lucy militis. (*Bed.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Buck.*)
5. p. m. Nicholai Vaux militis Domini Vaux. (*Bed.*)
6. p m. Ejusdem. (*Buck.*)
7. p. m. Georgii Stavely armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Butler nuper de Badmynton in comitatu Glouc. senioris armigeri.
9. p. m. Radulphi Verney junioris militis.
10. p. m. Johannis Agmondesham.
11. p. m. Johannis Seynt John militis.
12. p. m. Sibille Chamberleyn vidue nuper uxoris Ricardi Chamberleyn armigeri.
13. p. m. Thome Darrell.
14. Inquisitio de possessionibus Prioratus Canonicorum Regularium ordinis Sancti Augustini in Oxon. vulgo nominati "The Priory of St. Frideswide."
15. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii sive Prioratus Monachorum ordinis Sancti Benedicti in Tykford in comitatu Buck. nuper vulgo nominati "The Pryorye of Tykford."

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Simonis Fitz armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—23 Nov. 17.* Nov. 18 Hen. VIII.—37 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Caroli Comitis Wigorn. (*Bed.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)
3. p. m. Roberti Hynton (*Bed.* 17.)
4. p. m. Ejusdem (*Bed.* 18.)
5. p. m. Ejusdem (*Bed.* 18.)
6. p. m. Ejusdem (*Bed.* 18.)
7. p. m. Willielmi Hampden de Kymbell in comitatu Buck armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Hampden de Hartwell in comitatu Buck armigeri.
9. p. m. Ricardi Langston generosi.
10. p. m. David Phylyp militis.
11. p. m. Isaak Sybillis armigeri.
12. Inquisitio de thesauro invento apud Dunstaple in comitatu Bed. per Thomam Knyghtley de Dunstaple yoman.

* Sic.

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18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Hill armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Turryngham armigeri (*Bed.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Erneys armigeri.
4. p. m. Henrici Alen et de idiocia Roberti filii et heredis ejusdem.
5. p. m. Thome Blounte nuper de London iremonger et de idiocia Henrici filii et heredis ejusdem.
6. p. m. Walteri Cursson nuper de Waterpury in comitatu Oxon. generosi.
7. p. m. Willielmi Reed militis.
8. Inquisitio de possessionibus nuper Monasterii sive Prioratus Monachorum ordinis Sancti Benedicti in Bradwell in comitatu Buck. suppressi.
9. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii sive Prioratus Monachorum Cluniacensis ordinis Sancti Benedicti in Sandewell in comitatu Staff. suppressi.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Pigott armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

Inquisitio de possessionibus Hugonis Bennet nuper de Dagnall in comitatu Buck. nuper unius supervisorum Domini Regis, Anglice vocati one off y° sewers at y° dresser dicti Domini Regis nunc de felonia pro murdro Agnetis uxoris suæ convicti.

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Cavendissh armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—15 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Agnetis Routhall viduæ.
2. p. m. Willielmi Tanfeld armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Goldeston generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Conquest.

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Simonis Fitz armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Thrale de Luton.
2. p. m. Willielmi Caryngton de Ramsey in comitatu Hunt. filii et heredis cujusdam Thome Caryngton filii et heredis cujusdam Willielmi Caryngton avi predicti Willielmi Caryngton de Ramsey predicta.
3. p. m. Georgii Acworth de Todyngton in comitatu Bed. armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Osburne senioris nuper de Tebworth in parochia de Chalgrave in comitatu Bed.
5. p. m. Willielmi Hale de Marston senioris.
6. p. m. Ricardi Smythe nuper de Leyghton Bromswold in comitatu Hunt. generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Goldston de Stacheden.
8. p. m. Thome Pepyat de Sundon.
9. p. m. Willielmi Barnewell nuper de Hanslap in comitatu Buck.
10. p. m. Humfridi Ardys de Tanseworth in comitatu North.
11. p. m. Ricardi Hampden armigeri.
12. p. m. Radulphi Verney de Langley senioris militis.
13. p. m. Willielmi Stafford, bastardi.
14. p. m. Edwardi Watson generosi (*Bed.*)
15. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Markam armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Stanley militis attincti.
2. p. m. Humfridi Catesby militis.
3. p. m. Roberti Brudenell militis nuper Capitalis Justiciarii Domini Regis de Banco apud Westm.
4. p. m. Nicholai Wodhull armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Bewpho filii et heredis cujusdam Johannis Bewpho armigeri defuncti.
6. Inquisitio tangens Prioratum et manerium sive dominium de Wyng alias dictum Weng in comitatu Buck.

24–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Hardyng armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Michaelis Morecote.
2. p. m. Roberti Teringham filii et heredis Thome Teringham.

25–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Gyffard Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Spenser nuper de Pabenham generosi.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Rufford armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Cheyney armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Skott.
3. p. m. Willielmi Fitz William.
4. p. m. Johannis Brudenell nuper de Stoke Maundevyle in comitatu Buck. armigeri (*copy on paper*).
5. Inquisitio tangens Ecclesiam de Srinton alias dicti Shyrington in diocesi Lincoln.

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Simonis Fitz Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Lakyn militis.

2. p. m. Edwardi Greynvile armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Hall de Hornechurche in comitatu Essex.
4. p. m. Willielmi Butler militis.
5. p. m. Ricardi Cowper de Eversold in comitatu Bed.
6. p. m. Willielmi Kyrke.
7. p. m. Roberti Hanscombe.
8. p. m. Alexandri Byrlyng de Bedford Houghton in comitatu Bed.
9. p. m. Johannis Fitz Geffrey de Barford generosi.
10. p. m. Willielmi Cartwright de Lytlyngton in comitatu Bed.

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Manfeld generosi Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Dale armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis More.
3. p. m. Georgii Woodward.
4. p. m. Johannis Dyve militis.
5. Inquisitio tangens tenementa et gardina in suburbio ville de Chepyng Wycombe et tolnetum de Burnham in comitatu Buck, Gilde de Chepyng Norton in comitatu Oxon. pertinentia.

29–30 *Hen.* VIII.—Compotus Thome Decons armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johanne Fitz Jefferey vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Fitz Jefferey de Barford defuncti.
2. p. m. Johannis Lucy nuper de Mylton-Bryan in comitatu Bed. senioris defuncti.
3. p. m. Georgii Hynton generosi.
4. p. m. Domine Isabelle Dyve vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Dyve militis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Kyrke.
6. p. m. Willielmi Michell yoman.
7. p. m. Willielmi Cranfeld nuper de Barford in comitatu Bed. defuncti.
8. p. m. Thome Monoux.
9. p. m. Thome Englefeld militis nuper unius Justiciariorum domini Regis de communi Banco.
10. p. m. Henrici Ippeswell.
11. p. m. Andree Johnson alias dicti Andree Fyssher nuper de Walton juxta Aylesbury in comitatu Buck, fyssher.
12. p. m. Thome Grenewey armigeri.
13. Inquisitio de possessionibus Roberti Hobbes nuper Abbatis domus sive monasterii Beate Marie de Wooborn in comitatu Bed. alias dicti Roberti Hobbes nuper de Wooborn in comitatu Bed. clerici, de alta proditione attincti.

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Doyle armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Rogeri Corbet armigeri (*Bed.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)
3. p. m. Edmundi Brudenell armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Clark militis.
5. Inquisitio de terris Roberti Hobbes nuper Abbatis domus sive Monasterii Beate Marie de Woobourne in comitatu Bed. alias dicti Roberti Hobbes nuper de Wooborne in comitatu Bed. clerici, de alta prodicione attincti.
6. Inquisitio de terris Henrici nuper Marchionis Exon. nuper de West Horkesley alias dicto Horseley in comitatu Surr. de alta prodicione attincti.
7. Inquisitio de terris Henrici Pole nuper de Buckmer in comitatu Buck. militis nuper Domini Mountague alias dicti Henrici nuper Domini Mountague alias dicti Henrici Pole nuper de Medmenham in comitatu Buck. militis nuper Domini Mountague, de alta prodicione attincti.

31–32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Babham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 31 Jan. 31—31 Jan. 32 Hen. VIII.—3 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thorne Manfeld generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Hyll armigeri.
3. p. m. Georgii Baldry.
4. p. m. Walteri Mershe.
5. p. m. Edmundi Bray.
6. p. m. Edwardi Fowler.
7. p. m. Roberti Lee militis. (*Imperfect.*)

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Snowe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Radulphi Lane militis (*Bed.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)
3. p. m. Caroli Wyngfeld armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Burgoyn armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Elmys armigeri.
6. p. m. Jeronimi Hampden armigeri.
7. p. m. Ricardi Conqueste.

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Pauli Darell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Smyth.
2. p. m. Antonii Woodhull armigeri (*Bed.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem (*Buck.*)

4. p. m. Willielmi Gardyner armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Longvile militis.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Pygot armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Dorothee Havard nuper uxoris Ricardi Osbaldiston.
2. p. m. Rogeri Gyffard.
3. p. m. Ricardi Laken armigeri.
4. p. m. Simonis Fitz senioris generosi.

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Spencer armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Couper generosi.
2. p. m. Philippi Scudamore armigeri.
3. p. m. Georgii Monoux Civis et Aldermanni London.

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Drury armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Rotheram armigeri.
2. p. m. Godfridi Hatley.
3. p. m. Willielmi Fitz generosi.
4. p. m. Willielmi Burne.
5. p. m. Willielmi Goostwyk junioris armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Hawtre armigeri.
7. p. m. Roberti Waller de Beconesfeld.
8. p. m. Petri Compton armigeri.
9. p. m. Michaelis Dormer militis nuper civis et aldermanni civitatis London.
10. p. m. Thome Lawe armigeri.

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Pekham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Radulphi Verney militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Daunce militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Shepperd de Lytlecote.
4. De idiocia Johannis Smyth filii, et heredis Elizei Smyth et Catherine uxoris ejus unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Fyppe de Huchenden.
5. p. m. Thome Wodford generosi.
6. p. m. Humfridi Stafford militis.
7. p. m. Johannis Baldwyn militis.

38 *Hen. VIII. to* 1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Gerardi Harvy armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Burgoyne armigeri.
2. p. m. Nicholai Buckmaster.
3. p. m. Johannis Rock armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Dorset de Colbroke in comitatu Buk. generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Longe militis.

1–2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Edmundi Conquest armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Francisci FitzJeffrey armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Spencer generosi.

2–3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Semoure armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Thome Doncombe generosi.

3–4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ricardi Bury armigeri Escaetoris in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Michaelis Fyssher militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Hardyng generosi.
3. p. m. Roberti Charnok.
4. p. m. Edmundi Conquest armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Dycons alias Decons armigeri.
6. p. m. Francisci Waller de Agmondesham generosi.
7. p. m. Antonii Lee militis.
8. p. m. Willielmi Gostwyk senioris armigeri consanguinei et heredis Willielmi Gostwyk junioris armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Gostwyk militis.

4–5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Smyth armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—11 Nov. 4—11 Nov. 5 Edw. VI.—20 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Gyfford armigeri.
2. Memorandum de pannis vendicioni expositis contra formam diversorum statutorum in manus Regis seisitis.

5–6. *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Georgii Clyfford armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus 11 Nov. 5—20 Nov. 6 Edw. VI.—5 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Dormer militis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Grenwey armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Rysley de Chytwood in comitatu Buck. generosi.

4. p. m. Johannis Coke.
5. p. m. Francisci Pygott armigeri.
6. p. m. Georgii Butler armigeri.
7. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis Ham de felonia attincti.

6 *Edw. VI.* to 1 *Mary.*—Compotus Johannis Bosse *vel* Cosse Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Cheyne armigeri.
2. p. m. Edwardi Dun militis.
3. p. m. Henrici Bradschawe armigeri.

1 *Mary* to 1 and 2 *Ph. & Mary.*—Compotus Johannis Lyon armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Croke senioris armigeri.
2. p. m. Benedicti Bradshawe armigeri filii et heredis Henrici Bradshawe armigeri.
3. p. m. Sibille Hawtre vidue defuncte nuper uxoris Thome Hawtrey armigeri defuncti.
4. p. m. Edwardi Staunton de Smewnes in comitatu Buck. generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Rufford armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Cheyne generosi.
7. p. m. Willielmi Butler armigeri.
8. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis Fynche nuper de Roxton in comitatu Bed. yeoman de felonia pro murdro Thome Hunte generosi attincti et convicti.
9. Inquisitio de possessionibus ejusdem Johannis Fynche. (*A copy of the preceding.*)

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mary.*—Compotus Thome Pygott armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Snowe armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Frankysshe generosi.
3. p. m. Thome Curson armigeri.

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mary.*—Compotus Thome Wydmore armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—44 m. (*Conclusion wanting.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Jakeman nuper de Weng generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Lownde civis et groceri London.
3. p. m. Ricardi Bury de Harne armigeri.

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mary.*—Compotus Johannis Poley Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4 and 5 *Ph. & Mary* to 1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Hemmyng Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 and 2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Petri Graye armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 27 Jan. 1 Eliz.—1 Dec. 2 Eliz.—133 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Borne filii et heredis Willielmi Borne defuncti dum vixit de villa Bedford.
2. p. m. Willielmi Wygge nuper de Mentmore.
3. p. m. Willielmi Fawkener.
4. p. m. Johannis Dormer generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Pygott senioris armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Digbye armigeri defuncti filii et heredis Anne Digbye defuncte quondam uxoris Reginaldi Digbye armigeri similiter defuncti ac unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Danvers armigeri defuncti.
7. p. m. Thome Denton armigeri nuper de Hillesdon in comitatu Buck.
8. p. m. Willielmi Saunders de Pottersgrave alias Pottesgrave in comitatu Bed. generosi. (*Bed.*)
9. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Bed.*)
10. p. m. Edmundi Verney senioris armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Ventris generosi.
12. p. m. Danielis Payne de Podington in comitatu Bed. yoman.
13. p. m. Thome Hemmynge armigeri.
14. p. m. Edwardi Gostwicke de Stanford burye in comitatu Bed. generosi.
15. p. m. Francisci Morgan militis unius Justiciariorum nuper Regis et Regine ad placita coram ipsis nuper Rege et Regina tenenda assignati.
16. p. m. Benedicti Jackman generosi.
17. p. m. Thome Grendon generosi.
18. p. m. Rogeri Tetlowe nuper de North Crowley in comitatu Buck. generosi.
19. p. m. Willielmi Johnson generosi.
20. p. m. Johannis Moore generosi.
21. p. m. Johannis Hampden nuper de Kymbell magna in comitatu Buck. armigeri.
22. p. m. Johannis Langston armigeri.
23. p. m. Johannis Poley.
24. p. m. Domine Matilde Lane vidue quondam relicte Radulphi Lane militis.
25. p. m. Edwardi Braye militis.
26. p. m. Johannis Seynt John militis.
27. p. m. Jeronimi Compton.
28. p. m. Pauli Dayrell nuper de Lillyngston Dayrell in comitatu Buck. armigeri.
29. p. m. Georgii Gifford militis.
30. p. m. Gabrielis Dormer generosi.

Appendix II.

1. Ancient Compotuses of the Exchequer.

Escheators' Accounts and Inquisitions.

Bedfordshire and Buckinghamshire.

31. p. m. Antonii Cave armigeri.
32. p. m. Domine Ursule Wenman vidue.

2–3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Raunce Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Saunders generosi.

4–5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Faldo generosi Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Shepparde de Wavenden in comitatu Buck.
2. p. m. Antonii Peniston armigeri.
3. p. m. Anne Cheyney vidue nuper uxoris Thome Cheyney prenobilis ordinis Garterii militis defuncti.
4. p. m. Edwardi Butler generosi.

6–7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Ardes armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Henrici Ventris generosi.
2. p. m. Agnetis Pygotte nuper uxoris Rogeri Pygotte.
3. p. m. Edmundi Peckham militis.
4. p. m. Willielmi Dacre militis Domini Dacre de Graistock et Guylesland.
5. p. m. Agnetis Borne unius filiarum et coheredum Ricardi Borne filii et heredis Willielmi Borne defuncti dum vixit de villa Bedford.
6. p. m. Johannis Mordaunt militis Domini Mordaunt nuper de Tursey (*sic*) in comitatu Bedford.

7–8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Fysshe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
Inquisitio de terris Johannis Luke in manus Regine seisitis.

8–9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Petri Palmer Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Founten armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Johannis Doyley armigeri.

15–16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Annesley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

16–19 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Penne armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 18 Jan. 16, 28 Dec. 19 Eliz.—1. m. (*Fragmentum*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Edwardi Kirke generosi.

19–20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Baker armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

21–22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Gabrielis Fowler armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Roo armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 9 Feb. 22—16 Dec. 23 Eliz.—27 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23–24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Brockett armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Johannis Gostwycke armigeri (*imperfect*).

2–3 *Jac.* I.—Compotus Thome Harte generosi Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Jac.* I.—Compotus Georgii Dethicke armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 28 Nov. 3—28 Nov. 4 Jac. I.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments of accounts consisting of 15 membranes.

CAMBRIDGESHIRE AND HUNTINGDONSHIRE.

3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Gylmyn Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5-6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Sybnam Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. De mesuagio et terris in Overton Longvile de terris Willielmi Catesby per Abbatem et Conventum de Burgo Sancti Petri acquisitis, sine licentia Regis.
2. De manerio de Grofham cum pertinenciis in Grofham Bugden et Elyngton et aliis terris et redditibus per Abbatem beate Marie de Sautre acquisitis, &c.

6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Wafrer Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Harrys Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7-8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Jacobi Caldecote Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 5 Nov. 7—18 Nov. 8 Hen. VII.—10 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Pemberton armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Lovet.
3. p. m. Roberti Mallery. (*Hunt.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Cant.*)
5. p. m. Elizabethe Seyntemond nuper uxoris Rogeri Tocotes militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Cokeyn armigeri.
7. p. m. Nicholai Elys.
8. De possessionibus Johannis Elys fratris et heredis Nicholai Elys, ideote.
9. De bonis et catallis diversorum utlagatorum felonum et fugitivorum in comitatibus predictis.
10. Breve de terris et tenementis Roberti Mallery defuncti Antonio Mallery fratri suo et heredi restituendis.

14-15 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Folkesworth armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 5 Nov. 14—5 Nov. 15 Hen. VII.—21 m.

1. p. m. Johannis Scrop militis.
2. p. m. Anne nuper uxoris Johannis Scrop militis defuncti.

17-23 *Hen. VII.*—Compoti Edwardi Mynskype Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Desunt.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Hutton generosi. (*Cant.* 17 Hen. VII.)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
3. p. m. Thome Leder. (18 Hen. VII.)
4. p. m. Jacobi Caldecote.
5. p. m. Roberti Arnold. (19 Hen. VII.)
6. p. m. Thome Hutton clerici. (*Cant.* 21 Hen. VII.)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
8. p. m. Henrici Colett. (*Cant.*)
9. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
10. p. m. Thome Coton armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Frewyll.
12. p. m. Thome Leventhorp.
13. p. m. Gerardi Styvecle armigeri. (22 Hen. VII.)
14. De terris in Chesterton per Magistrum et Socios Collegii beate Marie et Omnium Sanctorum de Fodryngay acquisitis, licencia domini Regis inde non optenta.
15. p. m. Johannis Battysford de Chesterton. (23 Hen. VII.)
16. p. m. Isabelle Manyngham vidue.
17. p. m. Roberti Broughton militis. (*Cant.*)
18. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
19. p. m. Florencie Ashfield. (*Cant.*)
20. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)

1-2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Ansty Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Christofori Druell armigeri.
2. p. m. Margarete Comitisse Richmond et Derb.
3. p. m. De possessionibus Edmundi Dudley armigeri attincti.

2-3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Pygott armigeri Escaetoris Regis eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Domine Alianore Lucy nuper uxoris Edmundi Lucy militis et quondam uxoris Ricardi Enderby militis defuncti.
2. p. m. Thome Tirell militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Fysher militis unius justiciariorum domini Regis de Banco.

3-4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis More armigeri Escaetoris in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Forster nuper de Ramsey in comitatu Hunt. yeoman.
2. p. m. Galfridi Lokton armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Mars gentilman.

4-5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Thorysby gentilman Escaetoris in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Margarete Nuttebeme nuper de Grantham in comitatu Lincoln, nuper uxoris Willielmi Nuttebeme, et antea uxoris Ricardi Barnaby armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Sawston gentilman.
3. p. m. Nicholai Hughson gentilman.
4. p. m. Johannis Comitis Oxon.
5. Transcriptum duorum brevium de Inquirendo *ad quod damnum*, si Johannes Colet, S.T.D., Decanus ecclesie Sancti Pauli London concesserit custodibus et communitati mysterie mercerie

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in civitate London, manerium de Barton, &c., pro sustentatione cantarie juxta scholam per ipsum nuper fundatam; et duarum Inquisitionum virtute brevium predictorum captarum; Item de terris in comitatibus Essex et Hertford.

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Taylard Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Cheyne militis.
2. p. m. Roberti Bulkeley armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Penycok nuper de Wodwalton.
4. p. m. Willielmi Denton.

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Frewill armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Henrici Clovill armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Taylard filii et heredis Walteri Taylard filii Willielmi Taylard nuper de Dodyngton in comitatu Hunt. armigeri. (*Cant.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
4. p. m. Elizabethe que fuit uxor Thome Cokesey militis, ac nuper uxor Johannis Gray de Wilton, militis defunctorum; ac postea uxor Edwardi Stanley de Mountegle, militis.
5. p. m. Gerardi Stevecle armigeri.

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Castell Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Knyvet militis. (*Cant.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Forster nuper de Ramsey in comitatu Hunt. yoman.

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Thuresby armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Domine Isabelle Nevell alias dicte domine Isabelle Smyth, nuper uxoris Willielmi Smyth militis; unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Marchionis Mountagu, ac unius consanguinearum et heredum domine Isabelle de Ingoldesthorp vidue.
2. p. m. Willielmi Fyndern militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Scrope de Castlecome militis.

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Ap Rece armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Lancaster generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Brograve.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Taylard vidue nuper uxoris Willielmi Taylard de Dodyngton in comitatu Hunt. armigeri defuncti. (*Cant.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
5. p. m. Johannis Broughton armigeri. (*Cant.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
7. p. m. Johannis Fortescu armigeri.
8. p. m. Roberti Peyton militis.
9. p. m. Roberti Cotton nuper de Landewade in comitatu Cant. militis.
10. p. m. Thome Coton armigeri.
11. p. m. Henrici Chychele armigeri.

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis More armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Georgii Asshefeld armigeri. (*Cant.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
3. p. m. Ricardi Gery nuper de Royston.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Philippi Parrys armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Rokewode.
2. p. m. Edmundi Denny nuper unius Baronum de Scaccario domini Regis.
3. p. m. Johannis Wode de Fulborne.

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Castell Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Styvecley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdom comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Folkesworth.
2. p. m. Roberti Broughton armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti Bevyll generosi.
4. p. m. Radulphi Chamberleyn militis.
5. p. m. Ricardi Cholmeley militis.
6. p. m. Willielmi Chesewright nuper de Fordham.

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Halle generosi Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Colet sacre Theologie Doctoris Decani Ecclesie Cathedralis Sancti Pauli London.
2. p. m. Marione Grene nuper uxoris Thome Sanky defuncti.
3. p. m. Edwardi Stanley militis domini Mountegle.
4. p. m. Georgii Harvy militis.
5. p. m. Thome Spryng.
6. p. m. Mauricii Berkeley armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Towsland nuper de Halywell.
8. p. m. Thome Comitis Derb.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Lawrencii Taylard armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Bendvshe armigeri.
2. p. m. Mauricii Berkeley domini de Berkeley.
3. p. m. Thome Lovell militis. (*Cant.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
5. p. m. Roberti Wylughby de Broke militis.
6. p. m. Thome Fyndern armigeri in custodia domini Regis existentis ratione minoris etatis tempore mortis sue.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Pygott armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Turpyn de Knaptofte in comitatu Leicestr. armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardo Druell armigeri. (*Cant.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
4. p. m. Ricardi Colvile armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Stanley armigeri.

17—18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Castell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Vaux militis domini Vaux.
2. p. m. Thome Cotton armigeri filii et heredis Roberti Cotton militis defuncti.
3. p. m. Willielmi Clovyle armigeri.
4. p. m. Henrici Torell armigeri filii et heredis Humfridi Torell armigeri.
5. p. m. Ricardi Wyngfeld militis ordinis Garterii ac nuper Cancellarii .....

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Anthonii Hasylden armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Gracie Druell vidue nuper uxoris Ricardi Druell armigeri. (*Cant.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
3. De monasterio sive prioratu Sancti Augustini in Tonbridge in comitatu Kanc. et de possessionibus in comitatu Cantebrigg. eidem prioratui spectantibus.

19-20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Stukeley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Foster.
2. p. m. Margarete Styvcle vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Styvcle patris Gerardi Stukeley armigeri defuncti.
3. p. m. Johanne Druell unius filiarum et heredum Ricardi Druell armigeri defuncti. (*Cant.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
5. p. m. Henrici Walter.
6. p. m. Domine Margarete Mortymer.
7. p. m. Elizabethe Wood vidue.
8. p. m. Nicholai Wood de Fulburn generosi.
9. p. m. George Kirkeham armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Cutte armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Cutte militis.

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Castell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Wentworthe militis.
2. p. m. Agnetis Charnoke nuper uxoris Roberti Charnoke generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Tanfield armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Smyth generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Taylard generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Turpyn armigeri.
7. p. m. Ricardi Folkesworth.

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Druell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Hudleston armigeri filii et heredis domine Isabelle Nevill unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Marchionis Mountague, ac unius consanguineorum et heredum domine Isabelle Ingaldesthorpe vidue.

24–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Castell generosi Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Marie Pychard nuper dum vixit uxoris Edwardi Pychard generosi, vnius filiarum et heredum Georgii Hevenyngham armigeri, et Margarete uxoris ejus, unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Burgoyn nuper de Impyngton, in comitatu Cantebr. armigeri, defuncti.
2. p. m. Henrici Lorde.
3. p. m. Thome Pygott armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Spenser nuper de Pabenham generosi.
5. De valore bonorum et catallorum de quibus Escaetor onerat se gratis.

25–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Lambarte armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Antonii Hansert armigeri.
2. p. m. Roberti Sheffeld junioris militis. (*Cant.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
4. p. m. Willielmi Stotvile gentilman.
5. p. m. Thome Hildersham generosi.
6. p. m. Antonii Penycock armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Hudleston armigeri.

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8. p. m. Thome Lowthe armigeri.
9. p. m. Thome Stewkeley.
10. p. m. Rogeri Grauntofte.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Megge armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Everard armigeri.

27-28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Hutton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Rudston armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Pemberton armigeri.
2. p. m. Francisci Slade armigeri.

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Castell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Dyve armigeri.
2. p. m. Antonii Malory armigeri. (*Cant.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hunt.*)
4. p. m. Mathei Steucley.
5. p. m. Willielmi Steuecle armigeri.
6. De possessionibus Margarete Bolleyn vidue, nuper uxoris Willielmi Bulleyn militis defuncti, ac unius filiarum et coheredum nuper Comitis Ormundie, lunatice.
7. De possessionibus in Hemingford Greye et Hemingford Abbatis que fuerunt Roberti Hobbes nuper Abbatis domus sive monasterii de Woborn in comitatu Bedd. alias dicti Roberti Hobbes nuper de Woborne in comitatu Bedd. clerici, attincti.
8. Breve de concedendo officio escaetoris, eidem escaetori.

31–32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Lawrence armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Barkeley filii et heredis Mauricii Barkeley armigeri defuncti infra ætatem et in custodia Regis existentis.
2. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis.
3. p. m. Thome Castell nuper de Est Hatley armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Seyntgeorge armigeri.
5. p. m. Caroli Wyngfyld armigeri.

32-33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Cristoferi Burgoyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Gery nuper de Byrkway in comitatu Hertf.
2. p. m. Edwardi Chamberleyn militis.
3. De bonis et catallis cujusdam clerici domino Regi forisfactis.

33-34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Lawrencii Fosteri armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis More armigeri.

34-35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Ruddeston armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Sapcote militis.
2. p. m. Thome Rowse armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Sandes generosi.
4. p. m. Radulphi Lane militis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Hasilden filii Antonii Hasilden defuncti.
6. p. m. Willielmi Gery nuper de Berkewey in comitatu Hertf. generosi.
7. p. m. Thome Megges armigeri.

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Hall armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Thorsby armigeri.
2. p. m. Henrici Mynne clerici.
3. p. m. Marie Cary nuper uxoris Willielmi Stafford armigeri ac filie et sole heredis Thome nuper Comitis Wiltes et Ormond.
4. p. m. Willielmi Bowyer militis.
5. p. m. Thome Pye nuper de Elyngton.
6. p. m. Walteri Luke militis unius Justiciariorum domini Regis ad placita coram ipso domino Rege tenenda.
7. p. m. Johannis Keache.

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Wanten [?] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Henrici Awdeley generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Williams alias Crumwell militis.

37-38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Bowles armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Anne Warner nuper uxoris Roberti Warner armigeri ac preantea uxoris Thome Peryent armigeri defuncti.
2. p. m. Thome Eliott militis.
3. p. m. Thome Brakyn.

38 *Hen. VIII.*—1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Cotton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Milonis Forest armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 27 Nov. —5 Dec. 2 Edw. VI.—30 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Sanky armigeri.
2. p. m. Georgii Carleton de London generosi.
3. p. m. Edwardi Pycherd generosi.
4. p. m. Roberti Gryme nuper de villa Cantebrig.
4. p. m. Willielmi Feldynge militis.
6. p. m. Edmundi Thursby armigeri.
7. p. m. Henrici Lorde.
8. p. m. Thome Spencer generosi.

2–3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Jacobi Dyer armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 5 Dec. 2—26 Nov. 3 Edw. VI.—15 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Rose nuper civis et haberdassher London.

3–4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Henrici Pygot armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 26 Nov. 3—11 Nov. 4 Edw. VI.—16 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Lokton armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Lynne armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti Rayner nuper de civitate Peterborougheasis* in comitatu Northampt. yoman.
4. Excerptum e libro in scaccario ex parte Rememoratoris Thesaurarii remanente tangens inquisitionem, p. m. Roberti Loketon armigeri.

4–5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Cristofori Burgoyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 16 Nov. 4—11 Nov. 5 Edw. VI.—21 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Marshall.
2. p. m. Roberti Peyton militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Hynde militis.
4. p. m. Philippi Hatley nuper de villa sancti Neoti in comitatu Hunt.

5–6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ricardi Brackyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 11 Nov. 5-6 Edw. VI.—24 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Domine Constancie Ferrers vidue, nuper uxoris Edwardi Ferrers militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Frevyle armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Hutton nuper de Drydrayton in comitatu Cantebr. armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Carleton armigeri.
5. De possessionibus Johanne Fuller alias Cowper lunatice.

7 *Edw. VI.*—1 *Mar.*—Compotus Willielmi Laurence armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Bevell generosi.
2. p. m. Gabrielis Throgmorton armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Cooke nuper de Mylton in comitatu Cantabr. armigeri.

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Henrici Serle Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Ricardi Everard armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Antonii Waller.
2. p. m. Johannis Willoughbye armigeri.
3. p. m. Katerine Broughton.
4. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Vaux vidue.

4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.* and 1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Wrenne armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus [——,] 4 & 5 Ph. & Mar. [——,] 1 Eliz.—9 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Smyth nuper de Waternewton in comitatu Hunt. generosi.
2. p. m. Alia copia ejusdem inquisitionis.
3. p. m. Thome Marie Wyngfeld armigeri.
4. p. m. Domine Francisce Leder vidue nuper uxoris Oliveri Leder militis defuncti.
5. p. m. Willielmi Pooley armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Humfri.
7. p. m. Johannis Huddilston militis.
8. p. m. Willielmi Bettys nuper de Hadnham infra Insulam Elien. in comitatu Cantebr. armigeri.
9. p. m. Philippi Parrys militis.

1–2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Milsent armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 16 Feb. 1 —12 Feb. 2 Eliz.—62 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Castell generosi.

2–3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Mannoke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ade Smyth.
2. p. m. Thome Bawdwinne de Lymyngton in comitatu Southt. armigeri.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Audley de villa sancti Ivonis vidue.
4. p. m. Georgii Somersett militis.

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5. p. m. Thome Bernes generosi.
6. p. m. Thome Wyndye armigeri.

3–4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Brakyn armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome More armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardi Warde armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Battisford nuper de Chesterton in comitatu Cantebr. generosi.
4. p. m. Ricardi Waller nuper de Bassingborne in comitatu Cantabr. yeoman.
5. p. m. Johannis Bottom nuper de Paxton magna et Wolmadine uxoris ejus.

4–5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Rudston armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 5 Feb. 4. —[——] 5 Eliz.—15 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Alington armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Barne armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Higham.

5–6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Lynne armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Nicholai Luke armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Moote.

6–7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Mallory armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 26 Jan. 6 — *Dec. *—34 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Castell generosi.
2. p. m. Henrici Gatewarde.

8–9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Haggarge Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

[10–11] *Eliz.*—Compotus [ ] Tony ? Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus [ ] 10—[ ] 11 *Eliz.*—37 m. [*First two wanting.*]
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

17–18 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Rowseley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

18–19 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Beavell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 30 Jan. 18—6 Feb. 19 Eliz.—25 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

19–20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Burgoyne armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

[20–21 *Eliz.*]—Compotus Thome Edwards armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—30 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

[21–22 *Eliz.*]—Compotus Henrici Lawrence armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Farren armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitio capta coram eodem et coram Roberto Sapcotes armigero ac Georgio Edwardes generoso feodario domine Regine in comitatu Hunt.
p. m. Radulphi Aunsell de Moulesworth yoman.

24–25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Tryce armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 6 Feb. 24 —1 Feb. 25 Eliz.—46 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem in baga cum compoto.
1. p. m. Domine Anne Peter vidue nuper de Ingatstone alias Gyng Petre defuncte.
2. p. m. Johanne Wanton vidue.
3. p. m. Ricardi Waller nuper de Bassyngborne in comitatu Cantebr. yoman.
4. p. m. Ricardi Mustard alias Amye.

25–26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Pepis armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—46 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Garnett yeoman (*virtute commissionis* coram Thome Lovell armigero Johanne Peppes armigero Escaetore in comitatu Hunt. et Georgio Edwardes generoso Feodario in eodem comitatu).
2. p. m. Thome Barbour nuper de Brampton in comitatu Hunt. husbandman.
3. p. m. Thome Amy.

26–27 †*Eliz.*—Compotus Gilberti Pikering armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Sterne Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 26 Feb. 27—23 Jan. 28 Eliz.—3 m.

28–29 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Russell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

29–30 *Eliz.*—Compotus ejusdem : *Deest.*

30–31 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Walter Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 13 Jan. 30—13 Jan. 31 Eliz.—3 m.

31–32 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Throckmorton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 3 Feb. 31—3 Feb. 32 Eliz.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

32–33 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Hagar armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 9 Feb. 32 —9 Feb. 33 Eliz.—3 m.

41–42 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Tryce armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

43–42 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis St. George armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 28 Jan. 42—28 Jan. 43 Eliz.—1 m.

43–44 *Eliz.*—Compotus Christopherus Smythe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

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* Sic in orig. † No Inquisition in this Escheatry later than the 26th of Elizabeth.

CUMBERLAND AND WESTMORLAND.

1–2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ade Penyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 5 Nov. 1—5 Nov 2 Hen. VII.—19 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Humfridi Dacre domini de Dacre et Gillesland. (*Cumb.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Westm.*)

2–3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Jacobi Moresby Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Mire Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 4 Nov. 3—4 Nov. 4 Hen. VII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Broughton militis. (*Cumb.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Westm.*)
3. Inquisitio de possessionibus Thome Haryngton armigeri. (*Cumb.*)
4. Inquisitio de possessionibus ejusdem. (*Westm.*)
5. Inquisitio de possessionibus Jacobi Harington militis. (*Cumb.*)
6. Inquisitio de possessionibus ejusdem. (*Westm.*)
7. p. m. Radulphi de Graystoke militis.
8. Breve Thesaurario et Baronibus directum mandans eis ad transcriptum cujusdam inquisitionis inspiciendum.

4–5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Porter Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Alexandri Appulby Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Copland.
2. p. m. Ricardi Musgrave. (*Cumb.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Westm.*)

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Flemynge Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Layburn.
2. p. m. Domini Ricardi Lomley.
3. p. m. Edwardi Redmayn.

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Crakenthorp armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Kyrkebride armigeri.

3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Flemyng Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Hudylston militis.
2. p. m. Henrici Denton armigeri.
3. p. m. Margarete Comitisse Richmond.

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Pennyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elizabethe Moresby vidue. (*Cumb.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Westm.*)
3. p. m. Roberti Lamplught.
4. p. m. Launceloti Hutton.
5. p. m. Milonis Godmond.

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Salkeld Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 11 Nov. 5—17 Nov. 6 Hen. VIII.—15 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Wharton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Sawkeld [aut Salkeld] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Appulby nuper de Carliol. in comitatu Cumbr. generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Middelton.
3. p. m. Willielmi Raybankes.
4. p. m. Elizabethe Dacre nuper uxoris Thome Dacre militis domini de Dacre et Gillesland.

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Launceloti Salkeld Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Vernon.
2. p. m. Christofori Pykeryng militis. (*Cumb.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Westm.*)
4. p. m. Briani Stapleton de Wighall militis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Pennyngton armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Parr militis. (*Cumb.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Westm.*)
8. p. m. Johannis Pennyngton militis.

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Leybourn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Middleton et Galfridi filii ejus.

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Cumberland and Westmorland.

2. p. m. Johannis Appulby generosi.
3. p. m. Cecilie nuper uxoris Karoli Morlande et antea uxoris Johannis Appulby gentilman.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Clementis Skelton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ambrosii Crakenthorp armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Pennyngton armigeri.

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Bristo armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: [ ] 13 Hen. VIII.—7 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Rolandi Kirkby.
2. p. m. Margarete Denton nuper uxoris Henrici Denton armigeri.
3. p. m. Clementis Skelton nuper de Karliol armigeri.

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Laybourne armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 2 Feb. 13—18 Nov. 14 Hen. VIII.—7 ms.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Mabille Worseley nuper uxoris Johannis Whittyngton armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Culwen militis.

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Cuthberti Musgrave Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Thorneborough armigeri.
2. p. m. Edwardi Middelton armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Preston armigeri.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Bristowe Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Hothom militis.
2. p. m. Anne nuper uxoris Humfridi Conyngsby militis. (*Cumb.*)
3 p. m. Ejusdem. (*Westm.*)
4. p. m. Elene nuper uxoris Lanceloti Hoton armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Penyngton armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Penyngton militis.

18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Galfridi Middylton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Eglisfeld armigeri.
2. p. m. Humfridi Threlkeld armigeri.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Aglanby Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Irton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 5 Dec. 20—23 Jan. 21 Hen. VIII.—10 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Curwen armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Walteri Strikland militis.
2. p. m. Rogeri Batye generosi.
3. p. m. Nicolai Studdon.
4. p. m. Thome Ratclyf de Darwent Wayter in comitatu Cumb. armigeri.

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Rybton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Suthayk generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Suthayk.

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Skelton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Matilde Parre vidue.
2. p. m. Willielmi Pennyngton militis. (*Cumb.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Westm.*)
4. p. m. Thome nuper Marchionis Dors.

25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Brysto armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Matilde Fetherstaynhawghe.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Lamploughe Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Lamploughe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 24 Nov. 27—2 Dec. 28 Hen. VIII.—13 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Denton armigeri.
2. p. m. Nicholai Ridley militis.

30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Hutton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Cristoferi Goodmont senioris.

30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Christoferi Curwen Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

31 *Hen. VIII*—Compotus Johannis Leyghe Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Henrici Kirkby.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Brathewhate generosi Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Rose generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Skelton generosi.

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Tolson generosi Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Wil'mson senioris.
2. p. m. Thome Clifford militis.
3. p. m. Ricardi Redmayn armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Levynes armigeri.

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Lamplught armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 23 Nov. 36—7 Nov. 37 Hen. VIII.—13 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Musgrave militis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Warwyk armigeri.

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Sandford armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Gawini Ratclyff generosi.

1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Lanceletti Lancaster armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ambrosii Lancaster armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Jacobi Laybourne militis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Robynson nuper de civitate London clerici.
3. p. m. Antonii Highmore generosi.

1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Cuthberti Musgrave armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Anthonii Dukkett armigeri Escaetoris Regine: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Benson generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Willyamson generosi.

7–8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Executorum Testamenti Johannis Senehowse armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 16 Mar. 8 Eliz.—12 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments of accounts consisting of 8 membranes.

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1 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Kelly Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5–6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Faryngdon armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Fulford militis.
2. p. m. Henrici comitis Northumbr.
3. p. m. Thome Seynt Maure militis.
4. p. m. Mathie nuper uxoris Johannis Carewe armigeri.

7–8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Calys Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Caleys Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Willielmi Fokeray.

9–10 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Takyll Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Maleerbe armigeri (*Devon.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Cornub.*)
3. p. m. Thome Pomerey.
4. p. m. Thome Langeford.
5. p. m. Johannis Holbeme armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Drewe.
7. p. m. Johannis Bonvyle armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Boys.
9. p. m. Willielmi Worston.
10. p. m. Johanne Keynes.

11, 12 and 13 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Chyvals Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Antonii Wolff.
2. p. m. Thome Greston.
3. p. m. Radulphi Copleston armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Sterte.
5. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxor Petri Courteney armigeri.
6. p. m. Alicie Joyne alias dicte Alicie Bonaunter.
7. p. m. Ricardi Pomerey militis.
8. p. m. Johannis Copleston.
9. p. m. Humfridi Courteney armigeri.
10. p. m. Ricardi Tayle.
11. p. m. Willielmi Holcombe.
12. p. m. Johannis Worston armigeri.
13. p. m. Ricardi Frankecheyne.
14. p. m. Johannis Senclere.
15. p. m. Margarete Wodhull.
16. p. m. Johannis Colles.

19 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Copleston Administratoris Bonorum et Catallorum Ricardi Wode Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon., 20 Nov. 19—20 Feb. 20 Hen. VII. 2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

20 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Legh Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Wrey.
2. p. m. Johannis Rayssheleg h.
3. p. m. Walteri Cosby.
4. p. m. Johannis Corke.
5. p. m. Willielmi Cosby.
6. p. m. Thome Bowryng.
7. p. m. Willielmi Shelston.
8. Memorandum de Bonis et Catallis Felonum et Fugitivorum.
9. Breve de concedendo officio Escaetoris predicto Willielmo Legh generoso.

22–23 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Garlond Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Henrici Aissherugge nuper de Hurneford in comitatu Devon.
2. p. m. Willielmi at Ford nuper de Blackeawton in comitatu Devon.
3. p. m. Rogeri Wylyam nuper de Hurbornesford.
4. p. m. Johanne uxoris Willielmi Wykes et Henrici filii et heredis dictorum Willielmi et Johanne.

24 *Hen. VII.* to 1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Garlond Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johanne Soose nuper uxoris Johannis Soos (de Lay).
2. p. m. Johannis Blakehall nuper de Lullesford.
3. p. m. Johannis Cooke nuper de Brodehempston.
4. p. m. Thome Fode.
5. p. m. Willielmi Stute nuper de Bradlegh in comitatu Devon.
6. p. m. Simonis Carswell.
7. p. m. Nicholai Moring.

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Willyfford Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—26 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Malet armigeri.
2. p. m. Egidii Moyle armigeri.
3. p. m. Henrici Thorne.
4. p. m. Rogeri Holand armigeri.
5. p. m. Margarete Comitisse Richemond et Derb. avie Domini Regis.
6. p. m. Egidii Daubeney militis Domini Daubeney.
7. p. m. Johannis Copleston.
8. p. m. Johannis Barry.
9. p. m. Nicholai Pyne.
10. p. m. Johannis More de Columpton.
11. p. m. Humfridi Mounke.
12. p. m. Johannis Carewe de Hakcombe armigeri.
13. p. m. Margarete Nanfant vidue.
14. p. m. Edmundi Holbeme.

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Philippi Courtney Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—35 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Carewe de Hakcombe armigeri.
2. p. m. Philippi Hyndyston.
3. p. m. Alicie Wellecomb vidue.
4. p. m. Thome Cosyn.
5. p. m. Domine Johanne Maulyverer vidue.
6. p. m. Johannis Courteney armigeri.
7. p. m. Johanne Drake vidue.
8. p. m. Willielmi Assheford.
9. p. m. Thome Copleston.
10. p. m. Oliveri Kelly.
11. p. m. Nicholai Busshop.
12. p. m. Margarete Smyth.
13. p. m. Thome Eston.
14. p. m. Johannis Takell.
15. p. m. Johannis Arundell [de] Treris militis.
16. Inquisitio de possessionibus Thome Courtenay nuper comitis Devon. attincti.

3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Petri Eggecomb militis Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Cornub.: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

Inquisitio de possessionibus Thome Courtnay quondam Comitis Devon attincti.

3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Philippi Courtenay Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Tregarthyn.
2. p. m. Johannis Arundell de Efford militis.
3. p. m. Johanne Puntyngdon nuper uxoris Ricardi Dowryssh.

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Tanner Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus, 19 Nov. 4—11 Nov. 5 Hen. VIII.—21 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Sydenham.
2. p. m. Johannis Tretherf armigeri.
3. p. m. Jacobi Pomeray armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Seman.
5. p. m. Aldelmi Wode filii et heredis Ricardi Wode.
6. p. m. Edwardi Ralegh militis.
7. p. m. Ricardi Beauchamp militis nuper Domini de Sancto Amando.
8. p. m. Ricardi Trobrygge.
9. p. m. Edwardi Rychardis.
10. p. m. Nicholai Aralles.
11. p. m. Johannis Tracy clerici.
12. p. m. Georgii Vyell.
13. p. m. Willielmi Wilford.
14. p. m. Thome Giffard de Hallysbury armigeri.
15. Inquisitio de possessionibus Thomæ nuper Comitis Sar.

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Gilbert Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Greynfeld militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Ford nuper de Modbury.
3. p. m. Johannis Milaton.
4. p. m. Johannis Fry.
5. p. m. Johannis Bobych.
6. p. m. Thome Pountyngton.
7. p. m. Johannis Knollys nuper de Dartmouth.
8. p. m. Johannis Crossyng.
9. p. m. Johannis Brusard et Ricardi Brusard bastardi filii Johanne Wynkeley alias dicte Johanne Reynell.
10. p. m. Ricardi Yerd.
11. p. m. Johanne Ford nuper uxoris Johannis Ford.
12. p. m. Edwardi Courteney ar.
13. p. m. Johannis Hill armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Colles armigeri.
15. p. m. Johanne Jelys vidue.

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16. p. m. Wymundi Ralegh.
17. p. m. Johanne Willord vidue.
18. p. m. Philippi Courtenay de Lughtor armigeri.
19. p. m. Radulphi Lapthorne.
20. p. m. Hugonis Bysshop.
21. p. m. Johannis Abraham de Staverton.
22. p. m. Willielmi Vennyng nuper de Ugburgh in comitatu Devon.
23. p. m. Thome Huxham de Dertington.
24. Inquisitio de possessionibus Nicholai Kyrkham senioris armigeri de Peyngton in comitatu Devon.
25. Inquisitio de possessionibus Roberti Storygge alias dicti Storugge alias dicti Stronge de alta prodicione attincti.

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Gibbes armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Faryngdon armigeri.
2. p. m. Walteri Whiteley.
3. p. m. Willielmi Peers de Hurbourneford.
4. p. m. Edmundi Carewe militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Prust nuper de Thorre in eodem comitatu.
6. p. m. Johannis Gove.
7. p. m. Katerine Huddesfeld vidue.
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Duplicate.*)
9. p. m. Roberti Bowryng.

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Humfridi Trevylyan Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—14 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Bole senioris.
2. p. m. Roberti Shilston.
3. p. m. Nicholai Kyrkeham senioris armigeri.
4. p. m. Henrici Drewe.
5. p. m. Johannis Upton nuper de Puslynch.
6. p. m. Rogeri Hokemore.
7. p. m. Ricardi Wonston.
8. p. m. Alicie Calys nuper uxoris Willielmi Joones defuncti.
9. p. m. Elizabethe Kelly vidue.
10. p. m. Willielmi Chudlegh armigeri.
11. p. m. Willielmi Kelly armigeri.
12. p. m. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johanne nuper uxoris Jacobi domini Audeley lunatice.

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Bury de Colaton administratoris bonorum et catallorum que fuerunt Ricardi Reyngny Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon. 13 Nov. 8—10 Nov. 9 Hen. VIII. —53 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Christofori Flemmyng militis Baronis de Slane in terra Hibernie.
2. p. m. Johannis Nycke.
3. p. m. Alicie nuper uxoris Johannis Bowey, et quondam uxoris Thome Eston.
4. p. m. Johannis Pittis armigeri.
5. p. m. Thomasie Pytford filie et heredis Johannis Bourne.
6. p. m. Edwardi Drake.
7. p. m. Hugonis Chichester generosi.
8. p. m. Johannis Sedbourgh.
9. p. m. Willielmi Fulford armigeri et Nicholai Speckote armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Gruggeworthy.
11. p. m. Johannis Bale.
12. p. m. Willielmi Hokemore senioris de Magna Totton in comitatu Devon.
13. p. m. Johannis Cork.
14. p. m. Willielmi Chudlegh armigeri.
15. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Fitz-Waren vidue.
16. p. m. Nicholai Dillon armigeri.

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Smyth Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon. 10 Nov. 9—10 Nov. 10 Hen. VIII.—86 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Cristoferi Faryngdon.
2. p. m. Johannis Sedburgh filii et heredis Johannis Sedburgh de Halberton.
3. p. m. Johannis Speke militis.
4. p. m. Johanne Drure.
5. p. m. Ricardi Reigney armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Barnhous armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Fry clerici.
8. p. m. Alicie Seller vidue.
9. p. m. Agnetis Shapton.
10. p. m. Thomasine Bowring.
11. p. m. Roberti Pomerey armigeri.
12. p. m. Johanne Lotty vidue.
13. p. m. Willielmi Wyke.
14. p. m. Edithe nuper uxoris Humfridi Calwodlegh.
15. p. m. Philippi Putford.
16. p. m. Willielmi Fulford armigeri.
17. p. m. Humfridi Walrond nuper de Brodfyld armigeri.

18. p. m. Johannis Broughton armigeri filii et heredis Roberti [Broughton] defuncti (anno ix°).
19. p. m. Johannis Broughton armigeri.
20. p. m. Willielmi Strode armigeri.
21. p. m. Nicholai Speccote armigeri.

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Andree Hillersdon armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon. 10 Nov. 10—13 Nov. 11 Hen. VIII.—4 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Salteryn.
2. p. m. Johannis Hill de Penquyt in parochia de Modbury.
3. p. m. Willielmi More.
4. p. m. Willielmi Orchard.
5. p. m. Radulphi Bowryng.
6. p. m. Henrici Sture senioris de Bradlegh.
7. p. m. Agnetis Bowring vidue quondam uxoris Thome Pomerey armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Coterell senioris armigeri filii et heredis Edwardi Coterell.
9. p. m. Nicholai Snape.
10. p. m. Henrici Hanys.
11. p. m. Thome Chaluecombe.
12. p. m. Johannis Fortescu nuper de Wymston armigeri.
13. p. m. Barnardi Wattys nuper de magna Totneys.
14. p. m. Johannis Vantord armigeri.
15. p. m. Thome Wyvell.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Heydon armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon. 13 Nov. 11—16 Nov. 12 Hen. VIII.—66 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Crugge.
2. p. m. Thome Dynham militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Hamond.
4. p. m. Nicholai Holand armigeri.
5. p. m. Roberti Callegh.
6. p. m. Willielmi Webbe de Tavystoke.
7. p. m. Johannis Soper.
8. p. m. Willielmi Merwode armigeri.
9. p. m. Edmundi Larder armigeri.
10. p. m. Patricii Pollard.
11. p. m. Willielmi Fortescue nuper de Preston armigeri.
12. Inquisitio capta (*virtute officii*) ad inquirendum utrum Georgius Mugge de Dene Prior sit ideotus sive fatuus naturalis necne.

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Strowde Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon. 16 Nov. 12—2 Dec. 13 Hen. VIII.—66 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Oringie Hokemore uxoris Willielmi Hokemore.
2. p. m. Ricardi Lovering.
3. p. m. Willielmi Clyff nuper de Ermyngton.
4. p. m. Thome Sable.
5. p. m. Edwardi Elyott.
6. p. m. Johannis Trevylyan militis.
7. p. m. Thome Dymmer nuper de Plymmouth in com Devon. yoman.
8. p. m. Johannis Scoos senioris nuper de Trewyn infra parochiam de Modbury magna.
9. p. m. Thome Charde.
10. p. m. Hugonis Lutterell militis.
11. p. m. Willielmi Allerton.
12. p. m. Willielmi Langford.
13. p. m. Johannis Fortescu generosi.
14. p. m. Willielmi Att Ford nuper de Plymtre gentilman.
15. p. m. Thome Kyngwyll nuper de Thorne infra parochiam de Cheriton Episcopi.
16. p. m. Willielmi Fortescue de Wode armigeri.
17. p. m. Ricardi Ferrers armigeri.
18. p. m. Johannis Sydenham de Orchard armigeri.
19. p. m. Humfridi Calwodleigh armigeri.
20. p. m. Johannis Crokker armigeri.
21. p. m. Willielmi Reigny clerici.
22. p. m. Ricardi Hill armigeri.
23. p. m. Jacobi Watts.
24. p. m. Radulphi Kyngyston.

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicolai Kirkham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon. 2 Dec. 13—19 Nov. 14 Hen. VIII.—18 m.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Wyllughby nuper domini de Broke.
2. p. m. Ricardi Bolles.
3. p. m. Lawrencii Wadham armigeri filii et heredis apparentis Nicholai Wadham militis.
4. p. m. Thome Prideaux de Orcharton filii et heredis Johannis Prideaux nuper defuncti.
5. p. m. Johannis Coke de Thorne.
6. p. m. Willielmi Cervyngton armigeri.
7. p. m. Gregorii Fokeray armigeri.
8. p. m. Nicolai Blewet armigeri.
9. p. m. Henrici Copleston.

* This document is not in the usual form of an Escheator's account, the Membranes being united at the head. There is also an imperfect Roll for this year, containing only the new Escheats for Devon, 20 m.

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14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Bydwyll armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon. 19 Nov. 14—3 Dec. 15 Hen. VIII.—55 m. (*Imperfect.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Gunne nuper de Esculme.
2. p. m. Willielmi Catrewe.
3. p. m. Alicie Broughton et Christine Staveley.
4. p. m. Thome Beare alias Hurcknoll defuncti.
5. p. m. Ricardi Code armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Coffyn armigeri.
7. p. m. Rogeri Greynfeld armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Lapflode.
9. p. m. Thome Lyte armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Eyer.
11. p. m. Willielmi Wykys armigeri.
12. p. m. Johanne Cleyhanger vidue.
13. p. m. Ricardi Coryton armigeri.
14. p. m. Willielmi Vennyng nuper de Uggburgh in comitatu Devon.
15. p. m. Edmundi Marthewe nuper de Dodbroke gentilman.
16. Memorandum de bonis et catallis Willielmi Gybbes armigeri utlagati.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Ford armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon. 43 m. —[*Nove Escaete.*]

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Davels armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Philippe.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Hals Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Kayleway armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon. 17 Feb. 17—27 Nov. 18 Hen. VIII.—81 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Pyne.
2. p. m. Edwardi Chechester armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Frauncys.
4. p. m. Nicholai Frauncis armigeri.
5. p. m. Ricardi Damerell.
6. p. m. Johannis Harlewyn.
7. p. m. Thome Battyshyll.
8. p. m. Roberti Donnyng.
9. p. m. Johannis Sedburgh nuper de Alverton.
10. p. m. Willielmi Yewen.
11. p. m. Johannis Blakeslade nuper de Crediton.
12. p. m. Roberti Saunder alias Forde.
13. p. m. Margerie Carssewyll vidue.
14. p. m. Ejusdem.
15. p. m. Alicie Furse nuper uxoris Nicholai Furse uniusque filiarum et heredum Johannis Bustard nuper de Netherex.
16. p. m. Thome Gould nuper de Sebourgh in comitatu Somers. generosi.
17. p. m. Ricardi Wratt nuper de Bovytracy.
18. p. m. Henrici Sture armigeri.
19. p. m. Nicholai Lamprey nuper de Burlescomb.
20. p. m. Ricardi Saynthill generosi.
21. p. m. Johanne Wilford vidue.
22. p. m. Johannis Skutte.
23. p. m. Johannis Copleston de Yalhampton.
24. p. m. Thome Gorfen generosi.
25. p. m. Johannis Holbeme armigeri.
26. p. m. . . . . [*a few words only of this Inquisition remain.*]
27. p. m. Elizabethæ Sydenham.
28. p. m. Johannis Sidenham armigeri nuper de Morston in comitatu Devon. filii et heredis Johannis Sidenham de Moryston defuncti.
29. p. m. Johannis Prous de Shagford.
30. Memorandum de bonis et catallis Willielmi Asshelegh nuper de Sidbury in comitatu Devon. utlagati.

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Dynham Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon. 13 m. [*Very Imperfect.*]

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Upton nuper de Puslynch.
2. p. m. Ricardi Weke armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Legh generosi.
4. p. m. Nicholai Asshe.
5. p. m. Johannis More de Holtecombe.
6. p. m. Lodowici Pollard militis nuper unius Justiciariorum Domini Regis de Banco.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Brette armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon. 18 Nov. 19—18 Nov. 20 Hen. VIII.—68 m.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Transcriptum ejusdem Compoti.—14 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Phylypp.
2. p. m. Willielmi Hertknoll.
3. p. m. Edwardi Bampffelde armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Snellyng.

5. p. m. Nicholai Flemyng.
6. p. m. Thome Derte.
7. p. m. Roberti Morgan armigeri.
8. p. m. Alicie nuper uxoris Henrici Willoughby militis.
9. p. m. Caroli Holcomb.
10. p. m. Ricardi Langeford.
11. p. m. Johannis Alpho senioris.
12. p. m. Johannis Coffyn armigeri.
13. p. m. Ricardi Cuttlyff generosi.
14. p. m. Johannis Gyffard de Halsebury armigeri.
15. p. m. Johannis Way.
16. p. m. Johannis Henslegh armigeri.
17. p. m. Reginaldi Pym.
18. p. m. Johannis Spurway.
19. p. m. Johannis Bassett militis.
20. p. m. Johannis Carew [nuper de Haccombe armigeri].

20-21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Hext armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Christofori Stephyn.
2. p. m. Johannis Walter.
3. p. m. Willielmi Tanfyld armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Predyaux.
5. p. m. Johannis Clatworthy.
6. p. m. Katerine Bevott or Benott.
7. p. m. Thome Forde.
8. p. m. Thome Gylberd armigeri.
9. p. m. Willielmi Gorwyll.
10. p. m. Johannis Kyrkeham militis.
11. p. m. Margarete Caremenowe nuper uxoris Johannis Carmynowe armigeri ac quondam uxoris Nicholai Cokeworthe armigeri.
12. p. m. Johannis Rayscheleygh.
13. p. m. Roberti Langman.
14. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis.

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Courtenay armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon.—42 m. (*Imperfect.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Selake nuper de South Tawton et Alicie uxoris ejus.
2. p. m. Margerie Kyrton de Uggeburgh vidue.
3. p. m. Willielmi Saye militis.
4. p. m. Fulconis Prydeaux.
5. p. m. Walteri Isyngwolde.
6. p. m. Willielmi Gilberd.
7. p. m. Georgii Pyne.
8. p. m. Willielmi Fountayne nuper de Uggeborough in comitatu Devon, franklyn.

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Hexte armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon.—16 Nov. 22—20 Nov. 23 Hen. VIII. 55 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Wody fratris et heredis Willielmi Wody.
2. p. m. Johannis Cosyn.
3. p. m. Johannis Beer de Hunsham armigeri.
4. p. m. Nicholai Parker.
5. p. m. Rogeri Elford.
6. p. m. Caroli Hoppyng generosi.
7. p. m. Petri Champeneys.
8. p. m. Elizabethe Trevanyon nuper uxoris Hugonis Trevanyon ac quondam uxoris Johannis Crokker armigeri.
9. p. m. Roberti Yeo armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Kayleway armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Bydlake [generosi.]
12. p. m. Philippi Holbeme de Bawcombe.
13. p. m. Johannis Garlond.
14. p. m. Johannis Notte fatui et ideotæ consanguinei et hæredis Roberti Notte.

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Pasmere armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon.—20 Nov. 23—28 Nov. 24 Hen. VIII. 88 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Rede.
2. p. m. Willielmi Wilsden.
3. p. m. Johanne Gelet.
4. p. m. Johanne uxoris Richardi Rede.
5. p. m. Walteri Fulford.
6. p. m. Radulphi Bowring.
7. p. m. Ricardi Gibbe.
8. p. m. Henrici Soper alias Farlegh de Blakedon.
9. p. m. Humfridi Colles armigeri.
10. p. m. Thome Moleyns armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Hele.
12. p. m. Thome Tretherf armigeri.
13. p. m. Johannis Holwyll defuncti.
14. p. m. Willielmi Cokyshede.
15. p. m. Johannis Seman.
16. p. m. Johannis Bodley senioris.

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17. p. m. Johannis Boisse.
18. p. m. Roberti Mede.
19. p. m. Ricardi Courtenay armigeri.
20. p. m. Alicie Symondys vidue.
21. p. m. Johannis Cruis de Dylale.
22. p. m. Willielmi Croker filii et heredis Willielmi Croker senioris.
23. p. m. Willielmi Drew de Sharpeham generosi.
24. p. m. Johannis Greneway.
25. p. m. Thome Stowell.
26. p. m. Philippi Fulford militis.
27. p. m. Andree Frende.
28. p. m. Ricardi Lacy.
29. p. m. Thome Fry.
30. p. m. Johannis Duke generosi.
31. p. m. Johanne Beare.
32. p. m. Johannis Hyll filii et heredis Johannis Hyll de Wodcokkyswyll.
33. p. m. Johannis Talcaron.
34. p. m. Roberti Erle.
35. p. m. Thome Marchionis Dors.—5 m.
36. p. m. Domine Anne Seynt Leger.—8 m.*
37. p. m. Ricardi Heydon. (*Imperfect.*)
38. p. m. Simonis Rede.
39. p. m. Willielmi Seyntmoure armigeri. (*Imperfect.*)
40. Memorandum de bonis et catallis Johannis Wyse de Sydenham in comitatu Devon. armigeri utlagati.

24-25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Bydwell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatibus Devon. et Cornub.—28 Nov. 24—20 Nov. 25 Hen. VIII.—55 m. (*Veteres et Novæ Escaetæ in comitatu Devon.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. David Cholecombe.
2. p. m. Johannis Hoper.
3. p. m. Willielmi Wydeslade armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Attaisshe.
5. p. m. Johannis Bolles armigeri.
6. p. m. Baldewini Malet armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Hill de Buckeland armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Danvers generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Squyr.
10. p. m. Johannis Godwyn.
11. p. m. Willielmi Frye.
12. p. m. Ricardi Cole de Rude.
13. p. m. Walteri Moryn generosi.
14. p. m. Gilberti Rugg.
15. p. m. Willielmi Lotyn generosi.
16. p. m. Thome Gyfford armigeri.
17. p. m. Johannis Bury de Collaton armigeri.

25-26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Wheler armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —27 Nov. 25—20 Nov. 26 Hen. VIII. 49 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Lyddeston.
2. p. m. Johannis Bradmore.
3. p. m. Willielmi Hawkyns de Tavystoke.
4. p. m. Johannis Cole de Slade armigeri.†
5. p. m. Henrici Ford nuper de Blackeawton.
6. p. m. Henrici Sture de Bradleigh.
7. p. m. Willielmi Rondell.
8. p. m. Johannis Toser de Peynston senioris.
9. p. m. Roberti Babell de Kyngesbrigge.
10. p. m. Jacobi William.
11. p. m. Johannis Crugge generosi.
12. p. m. Johannis Polkesson.
13. p. m. Jacobi Wyse armigeri.
14. p. m. Willielmi Spealte de Widdisaller.
15. p. m. Johannis Scoos de Ley.
16. p. m. Johannis Whithere nuper de Mambury.
17. p. m. Walteri Sterte de Cornewod.
18. p. m. Thome Bremylcomb de Honychurche.
19. p. m. Johannis Downyng de Brodewode Weiger.
20. p. m. Willielmi Pruston.
21. p. m. Rogeri Deane.
22. p. m. Thome Alerton alias Searle de Dertyngton.
23. p. m. Katerine Toser de Peyngston in comitatu Devon. vidue.
24. p. m. Johannis Symon de magna Totnes.
25. p. m. Johannis Ayshe generosi.
26. p. m. Willielmi Waget.
27. p. m. Humfridi Batyn armigeri.
28. p. m. Johannis Fursse de Yerniscombe.

* Imperfect.—That this Inquisition should consist of 11 m., appears by the numbering: membranes 5, 6, and 7 are those which are now wanting.

† Very much injured: the name supplied from the old Calendar; and by comparison of the names of places in this Inquisition with the names of places held by the same family in other Inquisitions.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Humfridi Prydiaux armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—20 Nov. 26—27 Nov. 27 Hen. VIII. 42 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Walteri Cory.
2. p. m. Edwardi Brigeman.
3. p. m. Johannis Glawyn.
4. p. m. Thome White alias Beare.
5. p. m. Johannis Langedon.
6. p. m. Johannis Futtys.
7. p. m. Thome Stowford.
8. p. m. Johannis Colwill.
9. p. m. Willielmi Kelly armigeri
10. p. m. Johannis Manyng
11. p. m. Thome Darke de Uggeburgh.
12. p. m. Thome Pitford.
13. p. m. Roberti Geton.
14. p. m. Thome Ivle alias Craunbery.
15. p. m. Nicholai Badworthy.
16. p. m. Roberti Hurd.
17. p. m. Johannis Coham.
18. p. m. Roberti Beawpole.
19. p. m. Katerine Rogerman nuper uxoris Johannis Rogerman.
20. p. m. Willielmi Brand.
21. p. m. Margarete Benett vidue.
22. p. m. Walteri Gerne.
23. p. m. Johanne Warder vidue.
24. p. m. Thome Damerell de Stone.
25. p. m. Johannis Eston de Whytchurch.
26. p. m. Johannis Rawe de Brixston.
27. p. m. Ricardi Coche.
28. p. m. Edwardi Gay de Uggeburgh.
29. p. m. Johannis Prous de Westmore.
30. p. m. Ricardi Hampton nuper de parochia de Credyton.
31. p. m. Willielmi Hengston [*a few words only of this Inquisition remain*].
32. p. m. Johannis Somaster armigeri.

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Alexandri Wood armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—27 Nov. 27—27 Nov. 28 Hen. VIII. 75 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome nuper Marchionis Dors.
2. p. m. Johannis Yeard.
3. p. m. Stephani Geffrey.
4. p. m. Johannis Parcer.
5. p. m. Gilberti Lidston.
6. p. m. Margerie Whytehear.
7. p. m. Willielmi Whyteley.
8. p. m. Johanne Whytehear vidue.
9. p. m. Johannis Stenelake.
10. p. m. Johannis Brabon.
11. p. m. Rogeri Arundell armigeri.
12. p. m. Willielmi Cole.
13. p. m. Johannis Trenycke.
14. p. m. Johannis Martyn.
15. p. m. Willielmi Walrond.
16. p. m. Thome Molyneux.
17. p. m. Johanne Orchard vidue nuper relicte Willielmi Burgeyn.
18. p. m. Johannis Newcomb senioris.
19. p. m. Johannis Holdiche.
20. p. m. Rogeri Yorke servientis ad Legem.
21. p. m. Rogeri Legh de Est Alyngton.
22. p. m. Johannis Holway de Waddeton armigeri.
23. p. m. Johannis Battishill.
24. p. m. Willielmi Downyng.
25. p. m. Isabelle Clive vidue.
26. p. m. Caroli Faryngdon.
27. p. m. Johannis Cowham.
28. p. m. Andree Harry.
29. p. m. Johannis Drew de Wydfyld.
30. p. m. Johannis Toly.
31. p. m. Henrici Geffraye.
32. p. m. Mathei Eyre de Adryngton in comitatu Devon. Gentilman.
33. p. m. Alicie Coriton vidue.
34. p. m. Willielmi Courteney militis.
35. p. m. Johannis Chichester armigeri.

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Fortescue armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—27 Nov. 28—17 Nov. 29 Hen. VIII. 35 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elizabethe Bear vidue.
2. p. m. Johannis Gere filii et heredis Walteri Gere.
3. p. m. Willielmi Vycary.
4. p. m. Willielmi Stephen nuper de Boraton.
5. p. m. Johannis Hill.
6. p. m. Johannis Woleston nuper de Blackaller.

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7. p. m. Willielmi Babbe.
8. p. m. Halnethi Arscott (clerici).
9. p. m. Nicholai Kirkham armigeri.
10. p. m. Alani Hackewell de magna Tottenys.
11. p. m. Willielmi Gilbert alias Webber de Chestowe
12. p. m. Thome Mathewe senioris.
13. p. m. Johannis Erle.
14. p. m. Johannis Bobage de Chagford.

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Inquisitiones captæ coram Petro Eggecombe milite Escaetore et Feodario Domini Regis Ducatus sui Cornubie et comitatus ejusdem.

1. p. m. Johanne Arundell vidue.
2. p. m. Willielmi Courteney militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Tregyan armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Roscarrok armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Wyot.
6. p. m. Johannis Chechester armigeri.
7. p. m. Willielmi Monke.
8. p. m. Thome Danvers armigeri.
9. p. m. Willielmi Carewe militis.
10. p. m. Thome Lamelyn armigeri.

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Fortescue armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 56 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Stowford generosi.
2. p. m. Henrici See generosi.
3. p. m. Henrici nuper Ducis Richemond.
4. p. m. Roberti Hoker.
5. p. m. Ricardi Kensham nuper de Bryxton in comitatu Devon. generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Byckeford nuper de Byckeford infra parochiam de Plympton Mary in comitatu Devon. senioris.
7. p. m. Rogeri Phylypp de Thorelston.
8. p. m. Thome Chubbe.
9. p. m. Edwardi Walsshe de Lynham infra parochiam de Yalmeton.
10. p. m. Roberti Maynerd de Lamerton.
11. p. m. Johannis Spealte de Wyddesaller.
12. p. m. Johanne Arundell vidue.
13. p. m. Johannis Seyntabyn nuper de Alfoxton in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
14. p. m. Philippi Stoford.
15. p. m. Willielmi Carewe militis.
16. p. m. Andree Luttrel militis.
17. p. m. Willielmi Denysche.
18. p. m. Willielmi Sampford armigeri.
19. p. m. Tristrami Hengstecot armigeri.
20. p. m. Johannis Upton.
21. p. m. Johannis Shere.
22. p. m. Johannis Michelmore de Kyngiston in comitatu Devon.
23. p. m. Johannis Barre nuper de Wynscote.
24. p. m. Johannis Vele de Carswyll.
25. p. m. Willielmi Cosby senioris.
26. p. m. Johannis Fortescu de Spridleston.
27. p. m. Johannis Scoos de Mylton.
28. p. m. Johannis Wode armigeri.
29. p. m. Johannis Gey.
30. p. m. Humfridi More armigeri.
31. p. m. Thome Raynold armigeri.

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Drake armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatu Devon: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

Inquisitio de possessionibus Henrici nuper Marchionis Exon. nuper de West Horkeslay alias dicta Horseley in comitatu Surr. attincti.

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Inquisitiones captæ coram Petro Eggecombe milite Feodario et Escaetore Domini Regis Ducatus sui Cornubie.

1. p. m. Willielmi Pentyre armigeri.
2. p. m. Nicholai Carmynowe armigeri.
3. p. m. Margarete Erysy vidue.
4. p. m. Johannis Kyllygrewe armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Skeynek.
6. p. m. Rogeri Corbett armigeri.
7. p. m. Edwardi Pomerey militis.
8. p. m. Johanne Sydenham vidue.
9. p. m. Katerine Carmynowe vidue.
10. p. m. Margarete Kendall nuper uxoris Willielmi Kendall jam defuncti.
11. p. m. Johannis Ford armigeri.
12. Inquisitio de possessionibus Ricardi Quinterell de Leskerd yeoman, vel de Leskerd pardoner, de alta prodicione attincti.
13. p. m. Inquisitio de possessionibus Willielmi Kendall de Westuarght in comitatu Cornub. gentylman alias dicti Willielmi Kendall de Duloe in comitatu Cornub. armigeri alias dicti Willielmi Kendall in comitatu Cornub. gentylman alias dicti Willielmi Kendall de Treworgye in comitatu Cornub. gentylman alias dicti Willielmi Kendall armigeri, de alta prodicione attincti.
14. Inquisitio de possessionibus Henrici nuper Marchionis Exon. nuper de West Horkesley alias dicti Horseley in comitatu Surr. attincti.

15. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis Grygge de Trenant in parochia de Menhyvet in comitatu Cornub. tanner alias dicti Johannis Grygge de Trenant predicta in comitatu prædicto husbondman alias dicti Johannis Grygge de Trenant prædicta in comitatu predicto yoman, felonis.

31–32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Haydon armigeri Escaetoris Regis in comitatibus Devon. et Cornub.—22 Nov. 31—16 Jan. 32 Hen. VIII. 43 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Payn nuper de Surton.
2. p. m. Willielmi Slannyng de Plympton.
3. p. m. Roberti Maynerd de Lamerton.
4. p. m. Johannis Brygeman.
5. p. m. Willielmi Holbeme.
6. p. m. Walteri Raynold nuper de Malston armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Dertt de Deverigge.
8. p. m. Willielmi Collyng de Wodelond generosi.
9. p. m. Willielmi Pentyer in comitatu Cornub. armigeri.
10. p. m. Ricardi Carwithian.
11. p. m. Thome Peard generosi.
12. p. m. Dionysie Bydwyll nuper uxoris Johannis Bydwyll.
13. p. m. Johannis Irysshe generosi.
14. p. m. Thome Blakehall de Lytelhempston.
15. p. m. Thome Tylly.
16. p. m. Johannis Preston senioris.
17. p. m. Thome Copleston de Yalhampton.
18. p. m. Johanne Courtenay vidue relicte Walteri Courtenay.
19. p. m. Thome Hacche armigeri.
20. p. m. Roberti Cary de Cokyngton armigeri.

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Fortescue armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—16 Jan. 32—22 Nov. 33 Hen. VIII. 47 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Brytt armigeri.
2. p. m. Jacobi Browghton.
3. p. m. Nicholai Wadham militis.
4. p. m. Anthonii Worth nuper de Waysthefeld gentylman.
5. p. m. Johannis Gyfford armigeri.
6. p. m. Roberti Fortescu armigeri.
7. p. m. Martini Ferres armigeri.
8. p. m. Ricardi Warr militis.
9. p. m. Johannis Coblegh armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Shilston armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Harte.
12. p. m. Thome Kytson militis.
13. p. m. Andree Hillarsdon.

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Pasmere armigeri nuper Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—22 Nov. 33—27 Nov. 34 Hen. VIII. 48 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Hugonis Flemyng.
2. p. m. Johannis Browne de Langtre senioris generosi.
3. p. m. Georgii Boys.
4. p. m. Johannis Welbroke alias Yollond.
5. p. m. Walteri Boys generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Jelys junioris.
7. p. m. Thome Stucley militis.
8. p. m. Rogeri Wode.
9. p. m. Thome Cole armigeri.
10. p. m. Thome Warre armigeri.
11. p. m. Willielmi Hukemore de magna Totton generosi.
12. p. m. Philippi Courteney.
13. p. m. Richardi Squyer.
14. p. m. Johannis Seccombe.
15. p. m. Johannis Harewode.
16. p. m. Ricardi Facy.
17. p. m. Thome Beare.
18. p. m. Nicholai Willoughby armigeri.
19. p. m. Johannis Stawell de Cotheiston in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
20. p. m. Johannis Arscot de Holeysworthy.
21. p. m. Edmundi * Farryngdon.
22. p. m. Nicholai Turner.

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Inquisitiones captæ coram Hugone Trevanyan milite Escaetore Domini Regis comitatus Cornub. ac Feodario Domini Edwardi Principis Anglie Filii et heredis apparentis dicti Domini Regis.

1. p. m. Arthuri Kemys armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardi Penros.
3. p. m. Willielmi Kendall nuper de Duloo in comitatu Cornub. generosi ante obitum suum de alta proditione attincti.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Dyllan armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—27 Nov. 34—23 Nov. 35 Hen. VIII. 42 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

* Written "Edwardi" on its first occurrence in the Inquisition.

Appendix II.

1. Ancient Compotuses of the Exchequer.

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1. p. m. Ricardi Mayhow.
2. p. m. Ricardi Bury.
3. p. m. Ricardi Yeard nuper de Bradlegh in comitatu predicto armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Wyse armigeri.
5. p. m. Edwardi Sidenham armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Sherman.
7. p. m. Thome de Soulemount armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Cranbury.
9. p. m. Johannis Mayne de Ermyngton in comitatu Devon.
10. p. m. Ricardi Langisford.
11. p. m. Johannis Laverance.
12. p. m. Thome Weleghe.
13. p. m. Willielmi Upton.
14. p. m. Ricardi Pollard militis.
15. Breve de concedendo officio Escaetrie Regis in comitatibus predictis Roberto Dyllam armigero.

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Yearde armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—23 Nov. 35—15 Nov. 36 Hen. VIII. 38 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Bull senioris.
2. p. m. Johannis Worthyall.
3. p. m. Ricardi Drew generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Rowe servientis ad Legem.
5. p. m. Anthonii Pollard armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Gunne nuper de Est Culme.
7. p. m. Johannis Pasmere.
8. p. m. Johannis Carswell.
9. p. m. Roberti Hone.
10. p. m. Thome Parker.

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Anthonii Harvey armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Worthyall generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Calle.
3. p. m. Wilmote Bennett vidue.
4. p. m. Willielmi Jule alias Cranby.
5. p. m. Johannis Tristram junioris nuper de Baunton generosi.
6. p. m. Pauli Smyth.
7. p. m. Johannis Wekes generosi.
8. p. m. Henrici Trecarell armigeri.
9. p. m. Thome Foughell nuper de Fowelscombe.
10. p. m. Johannis Gay armigeri.
11. p. m. Philippi Champernoun militis.
12. p. m. Johannis Arundell de Laneherne.
13. p. m. Johannis Fulford militis.
14. p. m. Johannis Cooke armigeri.
15. p. m. Johannis Hext armigeri.
16. p. m. Ejusdem.

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Humfridi Prydeaux armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Burleghe nuper de Biggebury generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Bury generosi.
3. p. m. Gilberti Kyrke.
4. p. m. Johannis Blackedon generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Trevylian armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Whittyngton armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Tollyslo.
8. p. m. Johannis Martyn alias Honychurche.
9. p. m. Thome Vautard.
10. p. m. Johannis Leghe alias Rugge senioris.
11. p. m. Willielmi Mannyng.
12. p. m. Ricardi Prye armigeri.
13. p. m. Beatricis Stowford filii et heredis Willielmi Stowford.
14. p. m. Georgii Carew militis.
15. p. m. Antonii Monke.
16. p. m. Willielmi Harrys armigeri.
17. p. m. Tristrami Larder armigeri.
18. p. m. Johannis Scose de Ley.
19. p. m. Thome Carewe armigeri.
20. p. m. Johannis Cole.
21. p. m. Johannis Vyell armigeri.
22. p. m. Willielmi Carswyll armigeri.
23. p. m. Georgii Ralegh armigeri.

38 *Hen. VIII.* to 1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Henrici Fortescu armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

p. m. Otonis Gilbert armigeri.

1–2 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Simonis Worthe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—76 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Andree Bowrman de Combe Davy generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Barnehowse de Marsshe armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Stapledon.
4. p. m. Willielmi Button armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Clerke de Alleston.
6. p. m. Johannis Trevy de Yealmeton.
7. p. m. Willielmi Rede de Hanger.
8. p. m. Johannis Treyp.
9. p. m. Willielmi Drewe de Brugh in comitatu Devon.
10. p. m. Johannis Chaunterell generosi.
11. p. m. Johannis Reynold nuper de Estogewell in comitatu Devon armigeri.
12. p. m. Edwardi Draper.
13. p. m. Johannis Chalvecombe alias Notecombe.
14. p. m. Johannis Southcote armigeri.
15. p. m. Henrici Beaumont armigeri.
16. p. m. Jacobi Chechester armigeri.
17. p. m. Margarete nuper uxoris Rogeri Gyfford militis.
18. p. m. Jacobi Richardys generosi.
19. p. m. Johannis Copleston de Plympton.
20. p. m. Lawrencii Prouz armigeri.
21. p. m. Thome Hunte de Exon.
22. p. m. Michaelis Malett armigeri.
23. p. m. Willielmi Yeard de Yeard in parochia de Ilfardcombe in comitatu Devon.

2–3 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Henrici Chiverton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—5 Dec. 2—12 Nov. 3 Ed. VI. 26 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Thome Tremayne armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—12 Nov. 3—11 Nov. 4 Ed. VI. 67 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4–5 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Rogeri Prideaux armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Thome Speke militis.

5–6 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Thome Hatche armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Arundell militis de felonia attincti.
2. p. m. Johannis Gunne nuper de Est Colme in comitatu Devon.
3. p. m. Margarete Bury.
4. p. m. Roberti Dert de Deurudge.
5. p. m. Thome Barry de North-Tawton.
6. p. m. Nicholai Uppeton armigeri.
7. p. m. Walteri Warwyck generosi.
8. p. m. Willielmi Courtney armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Revell.
10. p. m. Nicholai Asshe generosi.
11. p. m. Johannis Masyn de Cornewode.
12. p. m. Johannis Yeard generosi.
13. p. m. David Bocombe senioris.
14. p. m. Ricardi Mayne de Ermyngton.
15. p. m. Johannis Whiston.
16. p. m. Johannis Ford de Blackeawton in comitatu Devon. senioris.
17. p. m. Thome Kyrkeham armigeri.
18. p. m. Ricardi Mallet armigeri.
19. p. m. Oliveri Frankelyn armigeri.
20. p. m. Petri Courtenay militis.
21. p. m. Edwardi Richardes generosi.
22. p. m. Silvestri Sedborow generosi.
23. p. m. Ricardi Strode de Newynham in comitatu Devon. armigeri.
24. Inquisitio de possessionibus David Bockham fatui et ideotæ.

6 *Ed. VI.* to 1 *Mary.*—Compotus Antonii Bery armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—20 Nov. 6 Ed. VI.—28 Nov. 1 Mar. 45 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 *Mar.*—1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Marci Slader armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—28 Nov. 1 Mar.—8 Dec. 1 and 2 Ph. & Mar. 54 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Fortescue de Wymston armigeri.
2. p. m. Hugonis Pollard militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Hylhay de Newton-Abbott.
4. p. m. Johannis Rugge alias Legh generosi.
5. p. m. Elizabethe Penfound.
6. p. m. Johannis Pote generosi.
7. p. m. Walteri Wrey generosi.
8. p. m. Johannis Wheler.
9. p. m. Johannis Legh de Legh generosi.
10. p. m. Johannis Bassett armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Sagett.
12. p. m. Johannis Courteney generosi.
13. p. m. Thome Hacche armigeri.

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1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Rudgewaye armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Pers.
2. p. m. Nicholai Cove generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Holbeme de Bawcombe [generosi].
4. p. m. Nicholai Hele.
5. p. m. Johannis Fitz armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Wutton de Engleborne.
7. p. m. Oliveri Tremayne armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Wulcott.
9. p. m. Margarete . . . . . filie et heredis Nicholai Kyrkeham armigeri ac quondam uxoris Johannis Barnehouse armigeri defuncti.
10. p. m. Nicholai Cervyngton armigeri.

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Eveleigh Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 and 4—5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Petre armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—10 Nov. 3 and 4—17 Feb. 5 and 6 Ph. & Mar. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Gale.
2. p. m. Bartholomei Fortescue armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis White.
4. p. m. Thome Beaple de Thornebery.
5. p. m. Vincencii Drake.
6. p. m. Johannis Huxham.
7. p. m. Ricardi Tremayne armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Gyles armigeri.
9. p. m. Nicholai de Assheforde armigeri.
10. p. m. Alexandri Woode armigeri.
11. p. m. Ricardi Mayhowe armigeri.
12. p. m. Elizabethe Gravener vidue.
13. p. m. Edmundi Specott armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Kelley armigeri.
15. p. m. Thome Stapulhill.

5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.* to 1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Forde armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Yeo Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—14 Nov. 1— * 2 Eliz. 72 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Haydon armigeri.
2. p. m. Caroli Courtney armigeri.

2–3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Leonardi Loveys armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus * 2 * 3 Eliz. 50 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Phillipp.
2. p. m. Willielmi Danell de Malboroughe.
3. p. m. Johanne Harwarde vidue.
4. p. m. Johannis Juell generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Flemyngg capellani.
6. p. m. Johannis Burgoyn.
7. p. m. Ricardi Eyre.
8. p. m. Thome Arscote generosi.
9. p. m. Wlilielmi Furse filii Willielmi Furse generosi.
10. p. m. Thome Moyle militis.
11. p. m. Humfridi Lygh generosi.
12. p. m. Ricardi Nicoll de Shebbere in comitatu Devon.
13. p. m. Ricardi Bydwyll armigeri.
14. p. m. Willielmi Hole.
15. p. m. Thome Denys militis.
16. p. m. Petri Cove generosi.
17. p. m. Willielmi Lanxforde.
18. p. m. Lodowici Hache armigeri.
19. p. m. Johannis Arrundell de Trereise militis.
20. p. m. Johannis Crokker armigeri.
21. p. m. Ricardi Hamlyn.
22. p. m. Johannis Brewen.
23. p. m. Elizabethe Lowman.
24. p. m. Willielmi Choldiche de Cornewood.
25. p. m. Edmundi Gourge armigeri.
26. p. m. Hugonis Sloly.

6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Gregorii Hockemore armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Gaverocke filii et heredis Johannis Gaverocke generosi.
2. p. m. Georgii Travers.
3. p. m. Antonii Harvy armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Francklyn generosi.

* Sic.

5. p. m. Thome Carewe armigeri.
6. p. m. Alexandri Arrundell armigeri ideotæ.
7. p. m. Philippi Denys armigeri.
8. p. m. Stephani Shener de Dertington.
9. p. m. Johannis Arscott de Ekeboclond in comitatu Devon. generosi.
10. p. m. Johannis Charlys armigeri. (*Fragmentum.*)
11. p. m. Willielmi Knapman senioris.
12. p. m. Jacobi Leigh de Leigh in comitatu Devon. generosi.

6–7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Philippi Stewre armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus "pro anno finiente in festo Michaelis anno vij°. Eliz. Regine."—84 m. [*One memb. wanting.*]

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Katerine Knollyng nuper uxoris Roberti Knollyng de South-Milton.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Furlong uxoris Johannis Furlong nuper de Tamerton.
3. p. m. Johannis Wise armigeri.
4. p. m. Ejusdem.
5. p. m. Nicholai Bery de Berynarber in comitatu Devon. armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Chalodon alias Corye.
7. p. m. Johannis Babell de Kyngesbridge.
8. p. m. Petri Lake.
9. p. m. Georgii Hunt de civitate Exon.
10. p. m. Cristofori Sanford generosi.
11. p. m. Ricardi Blount militis.
12. p. m. David Stephyn nuper de Thurleston in comitatu Devon franklyn.
13. p. m. Johannis Cole.
14. p. m. Johannis Androwe senioris de Modbury in comitatu Devon. yoman necnon post mortem Johanne Irishe quondam uxoris cujusdam Johannis Androwe filii et heredis ipsius Johannis Androwe ac postea uxoris Nicholai Irishe.
15. p. m. Jane Longe vidue.
16. p. m. Rogeri Gill.

7–8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Strowde armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Marwood de Halberton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Jacobi Coffyn armigeri.
2. p. m. Petri Seyntehill armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Pomerye militis.
4. p. m. Thome Carie de Cokyngton in comitatu Devon. armigeri.
5. p. m. Henrici Fortescue nuper de Preston armigeri.
6. p. m. Henrici Hewishe generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Holbeme junioris armigeri.
8. p. m. Edwardi Haydon generosi.
9. p. m. Edwardi Courteney armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Prydyaux de Orcharton armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Walrond junioris armigeri.

10–11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Barnardi Smith armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Hurst de civitate Exon. mercatoris.
2. p. m. Johannis Docton generosi.

11–12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Stowforde armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus * 11— * 12 Eliz.—86 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. . . . . .
2. p. m. Johannis Champneys generosi.
3. p. m. Thome Copleston de Yerd . . . . .
4. p. m. Johannis Luppyngcott generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Chechester militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Hyllersdon armigeri.

13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Marshall armigeri Escaetoris Regine in comitatu Devon.—21 m. (*Imperfect.*) [*Novæ Escaetæ com. Devon.*]

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Rogeri Hunt nuper de civitate Exon. mercatoris.
2. p. m. Christoferi Chudley armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Mallett armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Upton alias Uppeton nuper de Puslynche in comitatu Devon. armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Adams de Waton alias Wadeton in comitatu Devon. generosi.
6. p. m. Edwardi Knolles armigeri.
7. p. m. Walteri Chellyswiche.
8. p. m. Roberti Charles armigeri.
9. p. m. Willielmi Perye generosi.
10. p. m. Johannis Luscombe de Rattrye in comitatu Devon. generosi.
11. p. m. Margerie Warweke vidue.
12. p. m. Johannis Walsshe de Lynham.

13–14 or 14–15 *Eliz.*—Compotus Anthonii Leygh armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—24 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Snelling generosi. (Ann. 14)

* Sic.

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Devonshire and Cornwall.

15–16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Whiddon armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—53 m.

1. p. m. Simonis Francke.
2. p. m. Ricardi Drewe.
3. p. m. Willielmi Gear.
4. p. m. Johannis Skerdon.
5. p. m. Elicii Harte.
6. p. m. Johannis Pyne generosi.
7. p. m. Willielmi Towell.
8. p. m. Petri Trewman.
9. p. m. Thome Trobridge generosi.
10. p. m. Johannis Brounsdon.
11. p. m. Thome Estbrooke.
12. p. m. Antonii Honychurche armigeri.
13. p. m. Agnetis Nossetor.
14. p. m. Johannis Blake.
15. p. m. Johannis Casely.
16. p. m. Willielmi Slamyng nuper de Newton Ferers generosi.
17. p. m. Johannis Peperell.
18. p. m. Baldwini Acklande generosi.
19. p. m. Willielmi Andrewe de Bydyford in comitatu Devon. merchaunte.
20. p. m. Ricardi Cole armigeri.
21. p. m. Hugonis Hele de Newton-Ferrers.
22. p. m. Johannis Burye dudum de Coleton in comitatu Devon.
23. p. m. Thome Poddicombe.

16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Cottell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in comitatu Devon: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Saunder de Swymbridge.
2. p. m. Johannis Drewe armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Windham de Orcharde in comitatu Somers. militis.
4. p. m. Oliveri Hill de Shilston in comitatu Devon. armigeri.

16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Trevanion armigeri Escaetoris Regine in comitatu Cornub: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

p. m. Thome Arrundell de Clyston armigeri.

17–18 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jeronimi Mayowe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—30 Nov. 17— * 18 Eliz.—48 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Humfridi Bonevyle de Ivybridge in comitatu Devon. armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Clotworthie senioris armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Radford generosi.
4. p. m. Galfridi Totthyll armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Lande.

18–19 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Hopwell armigeri Escaetoris in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19–20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Carye armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.— * 19 * 20 Eliz.—50 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Hugonis Trevilian de West Harewood in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Honychurche.
3. p. m. Roberti Quarme de Westallington in comitatu Devon.
4. p. m. Amicii Chechester de Arlington in comitatu Devon. armigeri.
5. p. m. Ricardi Saverye generosi.
6. p. m. Ricardi Deane de Newton Sancti Petroci generosi.
7. p. m. Domine Margarete Throkmorton vidue.
8. p. m. Henrici Clifford armigeri.

20–21 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Harrys armigeri Escaetoris Regine in comitatu Devon.—28 Apr. 20—26 Jan. 21 Eliz.—54 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Allani Saverye de Magna Tottnesse in comitatu Devon. generosi.
2. p. m. Arthuri Champernowne militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Vyvyan de Trelawarren in comitatu Cornub. armigeri.

20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Carye armigeri Escaetoris Regine in comitatu Cornub: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

p. m. Alicie Nanfan defuncte unius filiarum et coheredum Thome Whittington armigeri et eciam nuper uxoris Johannis Nanfan armigeri.

21–22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Coffyn armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—26 Jan. 21—4 Feb. 22 Eliz.—81 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Hender armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23–24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Herle armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—6 Feb. 23—30 Nov. 24 Eliz.—5 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24–25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Hugonis Sare armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

* Sic.

25–26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Thompson armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Forde armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—9 Dec. 26—9 Dec. 27 Eliz.—4 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Humfridi Nicholl armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—23 Dec. 27—23 Dec. 28 Eliz.—4 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28–29 *Eliz.*—Compotus Hugonis Sare armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

29–30 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Germine armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—29 Nov. 29—4 Dec. 30 Eliz.—1 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–31 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Petre armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

31–32 *Eliz.*—Compotus . . . Forrest . . . Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus . . 31–19 . . 32 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32–33 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Lybbe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Newton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34–35 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Woodley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—27 Nov. 34—22 Nov. 35 Eliz.—1 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35–36 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Spealte armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—22 Nov. 35—22 Nov. 36 Eliz.—1 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments of accounts consisting of 18 membranes.

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2–3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Wentworth armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Ughtred militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Wombewell armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Darell militis.
4. p. m. Roberti Hunt.
5. p. m. Cristoferi Conyers militis.
6. p. m. Radulphi Nevyll nuper Comitis Westmerl.
7. p. m. Johannis Woderove.
8. p. m. Edwardi Pylkyngton.

10 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Everingham Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Willielmi Filii Willielmi militis.

11 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Roberti Pilkington Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Johannis Fitz Herry armigeri.

13–14 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Heslarton Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edmundi Bedyngfeld militis.
2. p. m. Thome Metham militis.
3. p. m. Ricardi Westhorp.
4. p. m. Briani Rouclyff.
5. p. m. Johannis Key.
6. p. m. Johannis Scrop militis.
7. p. m. Willielmi Skargyll.
8. p. m. Ricardi Yorke militis.
9. p. m. Jacobi Pykeryng armigeri.
10. p. m. Radulphi Constable armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Dawney.
12. Literæ patentes de concedendo Officio Escaetoris in eodem comitatu Thome Heslarton prædicto.
13–14. Duo Brevia tangentia compotum predicti Thome Heslarton.
15. "Bona et Catalla utlagatorum in comitatu Ebor. tempore Thome Haslerton nuper Escaetoris in comitatu Ebor."

24 *Hen. VII.* to 1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Crowch Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicolai Rudston filii et heredis ac tenentis terrarum et tenementorum Walteri Rudston jam defuncti nuper Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—29 Nov. 1—20 July 2 Hen. VIII.—19 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Baxster Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—21 July 2—28 Nov. 3 Hen. VIII.—46 m. (*Slightly imperfect*).
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Stokys armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Saynt Quyntyn armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Gascoyng de Laysyngcroft armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Holme.
5. p. m. Johannis Hamerton.
6. p. m. Thome Pykeryng armigeri.
7. p. m. Georgii Hastynges.
8. p. m. Johannis Hedon armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Holme filii et heredis Johannis Holm nuper de Wyton in Holdernes armigeri ac consanguinei et heredis cujusdam Roberti Holme nuper de Paulsholme armigeri.
10. p. m. Ricardi Whetley senioris.
11. p. m. Thome Hopton armigeri.
12. p. m. Johannis Eure armigeri.
13. p. m. Rogeri Kelk armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Ufflete.
15. p. m. Willielmi Nevyll armigeri.
16. p. m. Percivalli Amyas.
17. p. m. Henrici Ughtred militis.
18. p. m. Edwardi Redmayn.
19. p. m. Margarete Laurence vidue.
20. p. m. Johannis Kydall.
21. p. m. Johannis Melton militis.
22. p. m. Johannis Gilliot militis.
23. p. m. Ricardi Lomley.
24. p. m. Alexandri Drax armigeri.
25. p. m. Radulphi Normanvile.
26. p. m. Leonis Percy militis.
27. Inquisitio de possessionibus Edmundi de la Pole nuper Comitis Suff. de alta prodicione attincti et convicti.

3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Hugonis Serleby Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—28 Nov. 3—28 Nov. 4 Hen. VIII.—37 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Crake Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—23 m. (*Imperfect*).

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Knyght armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edmundi Clapham.
2. p. m. Walteri Hawkesworth armigeri.
3. p. m. Georgii Atkyrk civis et Aldermanni civitatis Ebor.
4. p. m. Alani Caterall.
5. p. m. Johannis Place.
6. p. m. Willielmi Lawrence.
7. p. m. Domine Agnetis Danby vidue.
8. p. m. Johannis Hastynges nuper filii et heredis Georgii Hastynges militis.
9. p. m. Briani Tunstall armigeri.
10. p. m. Thome Conyers de Wetby.
11. p. m. Alexandri Anger generosi.
12. p. m. Willielmi Boswell de Chete armigeri.
13. p. m. Edwardi Redmayne armigeri.
14. p. m. Thome Fitz William armigeri.
15. p. m. Edwardi Copley.
16. p. m. Willielmi Fairfax armigeri.
17. p. m. Thome Metham militis filii et heredis cujusdam Thome Metham militis.
18. p. m. Johannis Yngilby armigeri.
19. p. m. Johannis Gower militis filii et heredis Thome Gower militis.
20. p. m. Johannis Clervaux.
21. Inquisitio de possessionibus Hugonis Clyderowe capellani in Suthclyffe.

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Savile Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—15 Nov. 6—15 Nov. 7 Hen. VIII.—54 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Radulphi Bigod militis.
2. p. m. Thome Elys armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Ledys.
4. p. m. Thome Crathorne armigeri.
5. p. m. Edwardi Crisacre armigeri.
6. p. m. Roberti Henrison.
7. p. m. Georgii Cotom de Esyngton.
8. p. m. Johannis Roos de Routhe armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Sayntquyntyn armigeri.
10. p. m. Alexandri Paslowe armigeri
11. p. m. Thome Doddesworth.
12. p. m. Thome FitzWilliam militis.
13. p. m. Thome Redmayne nuper de Dossall [pro Bossall] in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
14. p. m. Thome Wales.
15. p. m. Thome Wortley militis.
16. p. m. Ricardi Aldburgh militis.
17. p. m. Johannis Hamerton armigeri.
18. p. m. Roberti Burnand.
19. p. m. Nicholai Morton armigeri.
20. p. m. Thome Fraunke nuper de Kneton.
21. p. m. Radulphi Scrope militis Domini le Scrope de Upsall.
22. p. m. Thome Aslaby armigeri.
23. p. m. Johannis Wytham.
24. p. m. Roberti Friston nuper de Normanton.

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Cholmely Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Hen. VIII*—Compotus Johannis Poleyn Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—24 Nov. 8—10 Nov. 9 Hen. VIII.—3 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Asheby de Richemond.
2. p. m. Walteri Hawkisworth armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Storke militis.
4. p. m. Ricardi Kighley armigeri.
5. p. m. Briani Roche.
6. p. m. Edmundi Clapam nuper de Clapdale alias dicta Clapam in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
7. p. m. Willielmi Claipeham armigeri.
8. p. m. Oswaldi Leventhorp.
9. p. m. Radulphi Crathorn armigeri.
10. p. m. Percivalli Lyndeley armigeri.
11. p. m. Radulphi Fitz Randolf militis.
12. p. m. Thome Assheby de Rychemond.
13. p. m. Willielmi Ledes.
14. p. m. Wilhelmi Fitz William de Sprotburgh armigeri.
15. p. m. Johannis Sandforth armigeri.
16. p. m. Johannis Constable de Holmeton armigeri.
17. p. m. Ricardi Yong.
18. p. m. Milonis Newby.
19. p. m. Cristofori Kendall.
20. p. m. Johannis Lawrence armigeri. (*Fragmentum.*)

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Meryng Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Beverley Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

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1. p. m. Thome Dodsworth.
2. p. m. Willielmi Scargill militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Seyntpawle junioris armigeri.
4. p. m. Elizabethe Brigham.
5. p. m. Marmaduci Thweyng armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Nawton armigeri.
7. p. m. Marmaduci Constabyll militis.
8. p. m. Cristofori Calverley.
9. p. m. Lucie nuper uxoris Ricardi Westhorp.
10. p. m. Hugonis Wombewell.
11. p. m. Thome Beckwith armigeri.
12. p. m. Wichardi Harbotill armigeri.
13. p. m. Cristofori Danby militis.
14. p. m. Roberti Risheworth senioris generosi.
15. p. m. Thome Parre militis.
16. p. m. Johannis Fitz Randolf armigeri.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Gargrave Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—14 Nov. 11—14 Nov. 12 Hen. VIII.—26 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p m. Edmundi Talbot armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Pawger.
3. p. m. Thome Babthorp armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Maleveray.
4. p. m. Johannis Norton militis.
6. p. m. Thome Conyers militis filii et heredis Christofori Conyers filii et heredis Willielmi Conyers.
7. p. m. Henrici Thwaytes militis.
8. p. m. Roberti Mountnay armigeri.
9. p. m. Roberti Layton armigeri.
10. p. m. Briani Palmes servientis ad Legem.
11. p. m. Radulphi Ryther militis
12. p. m. Simonis Dygby armigeri.

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Danby Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—6 Nov. 12—16 Nov. 13 Hen. VIII.—27 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Eland armigeri.
2. p. m. Jacobi Strangways nuper de Harlessey militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Beckwith de Clynt armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Maleverer militis
5. p. m. Walteri Thorneholme armigeri
6. p. m. Johannis Anne senioris.
7. p. m. Ricardi Watson nuper de Lesthos [pro Lofthouse].
8. p. m. Radulphi Dyghton.
9. p. m. Willielmi Wyvell armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Mirfeld armigeri.
11. p. m. Henrici Pudsey senioris armigeri.
12. p. m. Percivalli Thornton de Tyresale generosi.
13. p. m. Thome Fairefax de Walton militis.
14. p. m. Guidonis Willesthorp armigeri.
15. "Post narracionem Rogeri Wombewell armigeri ne habitum religiosum assumpsit apud Montem Grace in comitatu predicto."
16. Inquisitio de possessionibus Edwardi nuper ducis Buckingham de alta prodicione attincti.

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Leonardi Bekwyth Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—14 Nov. 13—18 Nov. 14 Hen. VIII.—29 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Sanderson.
2. p. m. Guidonis Dawney militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Tyrwyght militis.
4. p. m. Ricardi Woderove militis.
5. p. m. Ricardi Chomeley militis (*virtute officii sui*).
6. p. m. Ricardi Cholmondeley militis (*virtute brevis de diem clausit extremum*).
7. p. m. Johannis Pennyngton senioris militis.
8. p. m. Thome Wyndham militis.
9. p. m. Willielmi Normanvile armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Cutte militis.*

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Sotehill Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—18 Nov. 14—3 Dec. 15 Hen VIII.—1 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Stanley militis Domini Mountegle.
2. p. m. Roberti Willughby militis Domini Broke.
3. p. m. Cristofori Kelke armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Boynton armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Hesketh armigeri.
6. p. m. Radulphi Nevyll de Thorntonbrig armigeri.
7. p. m. Cristoferi Ward militis.
8. p. m. Johannis Baxter armigeri.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Legh Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—3 Dec. 15—[23 Nov.] 16 Hen. VIII.—19 m.

* These Inquisitions are still contained in the original pouch along with the account, and are consequently in the most beautiful and perfect state.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Akirk.
2. p. m. Edwardi Crysacre armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Anlaby.
4. p. m. Ricardi Rokeby militis.
5. p. m. Thome Legh armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Rokeby armigeri.
7. p. m. Georgii Hamerton armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Vavasour nuper de Hessilwood armigeri.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Trygott Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—23 Nov. 16—23 Nov. 17 Hen. VIII.—36 m. (*Slightly imperfect*).

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Paulett militis.
2. p. m. Johanne Dawney vidue.
3. p. m. Margarete Tocottes.
4. p. m. Johannis London armigeri.
5. p. m. Radulphi Rokeby armigeri.
6. p. m. Anne nuper uxoris Humfridi Conyngesby militis et antea uxoris Jacobi Pykeryng armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Lacy armigeri.
8. p. m. Roberti Conyers.
9. p. m. Johannis Hothom nuper de Scorburgh militis.
10. p. m. Roberti Flemyng de Sharleston generosi.
11. p. m. Thome Lowell militis.
12. Inquisitio de possessionibus Georgii nuper Ducis Clarencie attincti.

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Smetheley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Marmaduci Constable de Clyff armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Holme armigeri.
3. p. m. Georgii Staveley armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Stokes nuper de Bykerton in comitatu predicto armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi FitzWilliam filii et heredis Thome FitzWilliam de Aldewarke in comitatu predicto armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Tolcottes armigeri.
7. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis Laton de Sproxton armigeri de felonia et murdro uxoris sue convicti.

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Green Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Nicholai Skyers nuper de Todwyke armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi FitzWilliam armigeri.
3. p. m. Johanne Wymbyshe nuper uxoris Johannis Wymbishe armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Rither.
5. p. m. Jacobi Strangways de Ormsby in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
6. p. m. Roberti Evers de Belton in insula de Axholm in comitatu Lincoln armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Baildon armigeri.
8. p. m. Nicholai Eland.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Hogeson armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—18 Nov. 19—5 Dec. 20 Hen. VIII.—2 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Flemmyng nuper de Wath in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
2. p. m. Radulphi Westrop armigeri.
3. p. m. Hugonis Clyderhowe clerici.
4. p. m. Johannis Malory militis.
5. p. m. Thome Lancton de Huddilston armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Dalby clerici.
7. p. m. Henrici Gascoigne generosi.
8. p. m. Niniani Markenfeld militis.
9. p. m. Johannis Ryther.
10. p. m. Johannis Twyselton.
11. p. m. Willielmi Ingilby armigeri.
12. p. m. Radulphi Reresby armigeri.
13. p. m. Johannis Wykersley.
14. p. m. Georgii Harbotell armigeri.
15. p. m. Domine Johanne Hylyerd vidue.
16. p. m. Rogeri Flower armigeri.
17. p. m. Thome Kyddall armigeri.
18. p. m. Willielmi Constable de Carethorp militis.
19. Inquisitio de possessionibus Francisci Lovell nuper vicecomitis Lovell attincti.
20. Inquisitio de possessionibus ejusdem.

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Christopheri Bradford armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—5 Nov. 20—15 Nov. 21 Hen. VIII.—57 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Skevyngton militis.
2. p. m. Radulphi Aunger armigeri.
3. p. m. Alicie Hothom vidue.
4. p. m. Adami Hopperton.
5. p. m. Willielmi Mershall.
6. p. m. Ricardi Battersby.
7. p. m. Cristine uxoris Johannis Silkeston.
8. p. m. Domine Johanne Rokeby vidue.

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9. p. m. Roberti Westerdale.
10. p. m. Thome Delaryver de Brandisby armigeri senioris.
11. p. m. Willielmi Frank armigeri.
12. p. m. Ricardi Wentworth militis.
13. p. m. Francisci Nevile.
14. p. m. Edmundi Dalton.
15. p. m. Willielmi Seyntquyntane.
16. p. m. Walteri Percehav.
17. p. m. Gylberti Topcliffe.
18. p. m. Radulphi Bygod militis.
19. p. m. Walteri Frost armigeri.
20. p. m. Dorothee nuper uxoris Willielmi Copley armigeri.
21. p. m. Willielmi Saxton.
22. p. m. Thome Beverley generosi.
23. p. m. Ricardi Yorke militis.
24. p. m. Ejusdem.
25. p. m. Thome Marler armigeri.
26. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis.
27. p. m. . . . . .
28. p. m. Johannis Cutt armigeri.

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edmundi Copyndale armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—15 Nov. 21—16 Nov. 22 Hen. VIII.—65 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Wentworth armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—16 Nov. 22—22 Dec. 23 Hen. VIII.—46 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Ricardes.
2. p. m. Edwardi Popeley.
3. p. m. Cristoferi Fulthorp armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Lacy de Cromewelbothome senioris armigeri.
5. p. m. Margarete Percy.
6. p. m. Thome Vavasour armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Box.
8. p. m. Margarete Frost vidue.
9. p. m. Margarete Barton defuncte nuper uxoris Johannis Barton armigeri.
10. p. m. Margarete Metcalff nuper uxoris Jacobi Metcalf militis unius filiarum et heredum Thome Pigot armigeri.
11. p. m. Roberti Aske militis.
12. p. m. Willielmi Bulmer militis.
13. p. m. Isabelle Wentworth filie et heredis Willielmi Willisthorp armigeri ac quondam uxoris Antonii Craik armigeri.
14. Inquisitio de perquisitione terrarum sine licentia Regis per Johannem Dyxson de Foxholes super le Wolde, infra regnum Scotie natum.

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Mansell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—22 Dec. 23—28 Nov. 24 Hen. VIII.—43 m. [*Novæ Escaetæ.*]

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Thurisby.
2. p. m. Cristofori Conyers de Brotton in Clevelond in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
3. p. m. Matilde Parr vidue.
4. p. m. Josselini Percy armigeri.
5. p. m. Percivalli Thorneton de Tyresall generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Rudston militis.
7. p. m. Johannis Roclyff.
8. p. m. Thome nuper Marchionis Dorset.
9. p. m. Hugonis Blakey.
10. p. m. Roberti Amyas armigeri.
11. p. m. Anne Conyers vidue nuper uxoris Willielmi Conyers armigeri.
12. p. m. Willielmi Bulmer militis.
13. p. m. Gervasii Salvayn.
14. p. m. Johannis Snawsell armigeri.
15. p. m. Johannis Popley nuper de Wolley.
16. p. m. Johannis Ellerker armigeri.
17. p. m. Anne Askewe.
18. p. m. Elizabethe Jenkynson nuper uxoris Ricardi Jenkynson.
19. p. m. Walteri Griffith militis.

24–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Grene armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—28 Nov. 24—28 Nov. 25 Hen. VIII.—47 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

25–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Cristoferi Lassells armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Alicie Foljambe nuper uxoris Jacobi Foljambe ac unius sororum et heredum Willielmi FitzWilliam armigeri et unius filiarum et heredum Thome FitzWilliam de Aldewarke armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Styllyngton armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Sayre armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Thornton.
5. p. m. Johannis Thorpe armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Docwra.
7. p. m. Antonii Menvile.
8. p. m. Radulphi Salven militis.

9. p. m. Margarete Metcalfe nuper uxoris Jacobi Metcalfe militis unius filiarum et heredum Thome Pygott.
10. p. m. Rogeri Rockley armigeri.
11. Inquisitio de terris acquisitis pro gilda Sancti Botulphi in Ecclesia de Bossall.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Antonii Hawmond armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—18 Nov. 26—25 Nov. 27 Hen. VIII.—41 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Radulphi Pulleyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—25 Nov. 27—2 Dec. 28 Hen. VIII.—25 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Meres nuper de * in comitatu * generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Steade.
3. p. m. Georgii Flynton generosi.
4. p. m. Margarete Boynton vidue.
5. p. m. Johannis Meres nuper de Awborne in comitatu Lincoln. armigeri.
6. p. m. Georgii Snathe de Wrenthorpe in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
7. p. m. Walteri Bubwith.
8. p. m. Willielmi Waldby.

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Grene armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—2 Dec. 28—27 Nov. 29 Hen. VIII.—51 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Rischworth nuper de Colley armigeri.
2. p. m. Briani Hastinges militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Balne.
4. p. m. Alexandri Dyneley.
5. p. m. Thome Metham armigeri.
6. p. m. Roberti Saynton de Toweton in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
7. p. m. Henrici Drapoure nuper de Waddesworth.
8. p. m. Antonii Eltoftes armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Burgh nuper de Flansaw.
10. p. m. Hugonis Hothom.
11. p. m. Seth Snawsell armigeri.
12. p. m. Johanne Cycill vidue nuper uxoris David Cycill ac filie et heredis Thome Roos de Dovesby in comitatu Lincoln. armigeri.
13. p. m. Willielmi Frost armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Wombwell de Wath armigeri.
15. p. m. Ricardi Aldeburgh armigeri.
16. p. m. Roberti Wilberffose generosi.
17. p. m. Thome Cleisby generosi.
18. p. m. Ricardi Tempest militis.
19. p. m. Henrici Hamerton armigeri.
20. p. m. Walteri Calverley militis.

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Fox armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—27 Nov. 29—24 Nov. 30 Hen. VIII.—77 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p m. Thome Wayd.
2. p. m. Guidonis Ratcliff armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Hanson.
4. p. m. Radulphi Carre de villa Novi Castri super Tinam mercatoris.
5. p. m. Georgii Salvayn armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Thuresby.
7. p. m. Johannis Styllyngton armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Wensley.
9. p. m. Johannis Burton militis.
10. p. m. Hugonis Oversall nuper de Kingeston super Hull.
11. p. m. Cristofori Norton.
12. p. m. Johanne Hamerton vidue.
13. p. m. Ricardi Boith de Beverley.
14. p. m. Willielmi Gascoigne armigeri.
15. p. m. Wilfridi Holme armigeri.
16. p. m. Thome Baxster de Bolton super Derne iu comitatu Ebor. generosi.
17. p. m. Roberti Thorpe.
18. p. m. Ricardi Longley. (*Fragmentum.*)
19. p. m. Thome Witham armigeri.
20. p. m. Edwardi Huddeswell.
21. p. m. Willielmi Redmayn armigeri.
22. p. m. Johannis Balne.
23. p. m. Ricardi Blaunchard.
24. Inquisitio de possessionibus Ade Sedbarr nuper Abbatis monasterii de Jervaux attincti.
25. Inquisitio de possessionibus Ricardi Harrison nuper Abbatis monasterii de Kirkstede in comitatu Lincoln. alias dicti Ricardi Haryson nuper de Kyrkstede in comitatu Lincoln. attincti.
26. Inquisitio de possessionibus Willielmi Wode nuper Prioris Monasterii de Brydlyngton attincti.
27. Inquisitio de possessionibus Nicholai Hethe nuper Prioris domus sive monasterii Sancte Trinitatis de Lenton in comitatu Nott. alias dicti Nicholai Hethe nuper de Lenton in eodem comitatu clerici attincti.
28. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis Bulmer nuper de Wilton militis attincti.
29. Inquisitio de possessionibus Roberti Constable nuper de Flaymburgh in comitatu Ebor. militis attincti.

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30. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis Halom nuper de Calkhill in comitatu Ebor. yoman.

31. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis Wyvell nuper de Osgodby in comitatu Ebor. generosi attincti.

32. Inquisitio de possessionibus Francisci Bygott nuper de Sedryngton in comitatu Ebor. militis alias dicti Francisci Bygod nuper de Sederyngton in comitatu Ebor militis attincti.

33. Inquisitio de possessionibus Thome Darcy nuper de Templehurst in comitatu Ebor. militis Domini Darcey alias dicti Thome Darcy nuper de Templehirst in comitatu predicto militis attincti.

34. Inquisitio de possessionibus Georgii Lumley armigeri attincti.

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Christofori Thomlynson Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—23 Nov. 30—20 Nov. 31 Hen. VIII.—96 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Butler de Nunnyngton in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Blakeburne.
3. p. m. Hugonis Cledero.
4. p. m. Edmundi Halder.
5. p. m. Jacobi Stansfield armigeri.
6. p. m. Roberti Bowmer.
7. p. m. Radulphi Bayn.
8. p. m. Johannis Sudyby.
9. p. m. Willielmi Gascoign senioris armigeri.
10. p. m. Mathei Harwode.
11. p. m. Radulphi Wyclyff armigeri.
12. p. m. Briani Ecclesfeld.
13. p. m. Thome Sotehill armigeri.
14. p. m. Henrici Inkersell de Giltwite.
15. p. m. Georgii Cecill generosi.
16. p. m. Gerardi Elwyn.
17. p. m. Arthuri Pylkyngton armigeri.
18. p. m. Jacobi Metcalf militis.
19. p. m. Roberti Lothorpp.
20. p. m. Willielmi Golthorp.
21. p. m. Thome Monoux.
22. p. m. Oswaldi London.
23. p. m. Crystofori Conyers militis Domini Conyers.
24. p. m. Christofori Thyrkeld armigeri.
25. p. m. Roberti Creake armigeri.
26. p. m. Radulphi Pulleyn armigeri.
27. p. m. Willielmi Meynell.
28. p. m. Rogeri Halder.
29. p. m. Johannis Wyvell generosi.
30. p. m. Willielmi Schargill de Roche armigeri.
31. p. m. Georgii Hussey armigeri.
32. p. m. Rogeri Tocottes armigeri.
33. p. m. Radulphi Eure militis.
34. p. m. Thome Metham militis.
35. Inquisitio de possessionibus Richardi Harrison nuper Abbatis monasterii de Kyrkestede in comitatu Lincoln. alias dicti Ricardi Harrison nuper de Kerkestede in comitatu predicto clerici.

31–32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Wentworth armigeri Escaetoris Begis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Thorpe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—29 Nov. 32—19 Nov. 33 Hen. VIII.—55 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Norman nuper de Gateforthe in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Appulgarth generosi.
3. p. m. Gilberti Scott armigeri.
4. p. m. Alicie Lacy vydue.
5. p. m. Johannis Kayme unius heredum manerii de Rysom in Holdernes in comitatu Ebor. ac heredis Johanne Kayme nuper uxoris Edmundi Kayme ac unius filiarum et heredum Willielmi Rysom nuper de Rysom in Holdernes in comitatu predicto.
6. p. m. Thome Boswell nuper de Ardysley in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
7. p. m. Cristofori Clapham armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Grenefeld generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Pulleyn de Kelynghall armigeri.
10. p. m. Ricardi Beamont senioris armigeri.
11. p. m. Ricardi Heydon nuper de Marton generosi.
12. p. m. Petri Frothengham de South Frothengham in Holdernes.
13. p. m. Willielmi Hurtskey.
14. p. m. Ricardi Twyng generosi.
15. p. m. Roberti Wilcokes de Hull generosi.
16. p. m. Roberti Watterton militis.
17. p. m. Willielmi Rokby generosi.
18. p. m. Roulandi Place armigeri.
19. p. m. Henrici Girlyngton.
20. p. m. Stephani Grundall.
21. p. m. Domine Anne Hussye vidue ac nuper uxoris Radulphi Hungate armigeri.
22. p. m. Willielmi Levenyng.
23. p. m. Johannis Wright armigeri

24. p. m. Cristofori Newporte armigeri.
25. p. m. Domine Johanne Constable.
26. p. m. Gregorii Conyers armigeri.
27. p. m. Hugonis Hastynges militis nuper de Elsyng in comitatu Norff.
28. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis Michell nuper de Pekerynglyth in comitatu Ebor. husbondman attincti et morte traditi.
29. Transcriptum ejusdem.

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Hastyngs armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edwardi Cowper.
2. p. m. Johanne Bradfurthe vidue nuper uxoris Thome Bradfurthe.
3. p. m. Johannis Constable armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Eland nuper de Kyngston super Hull militis.
5. p. m. Ricardi Bowreman.
6. p. m. Johannis Foythed generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Sotheby.
8. p. m. Nicholai Talbot generosi.
9. p. m. Thome Lasinby generosi.
10. p. m. Margerie Rowkby vidue nuper relicte Radulphi Rowkby defuncti unius trium filiarum et heredum Radulphi Danby armigeri similiter defuncti.
11. p. m. Roberti Pylkyngton armigeri.
12. p. m. Johannis Constable de Halsam in comitatu Ebor. alias dicti Johannis Constable de Burton Constable in comitatu Ebor. militis.
13. p. m. Jacobi Strangways junioris militis filii et heredis Thome Strangways militis.
14. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis Bulmer attincti.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Barton Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Caroli Jackson armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Bilborough.
2. p. m. Thome Wortlay armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Wentworth militis.
4. p. m. Henrici Skelton generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Haldisworth de Astay in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
6. p. m. Alexandri Castleford.
7. p. m. Henrici Huntt generosi.
8. p. m. Willielmi Arthyngton.
9. p. m. Caroli Stansfeld.
10. p. m. Johannis Anne de Frykley in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Tempest militis.
12. p. m. Thome Johnson militis.
13. p. m. Johannis Bassett armigeri.
14. p. m. Willielmi Danby armigeri.
15. p. m. Radulphi Headlam armigeri.
16. p. m. Georgii Segiswike generosi.
17. p. m. Bartholomei Thwyng.
18. p. m. Willielmi Tomson.
19. p. m. Johannis Drake nuper de Horleygren.
20. p. m. Johannis Dawman.
21. p. m. Nicholai Lambert armigeri.
22. p. m. Henrici Pudsay de Barforth armigeri.
23. p. m. Willielmi Dalton armigeri.
24. p. m. Roberti Hurtskye generosi.
25. p. m. Willielmi Blytheman armigeri.
26. p. m. Thome Brome de Wath.
27. p. m. Stephani Constable.
28. p. m. Ricardi Foscroft.
29. p. m. Ricardi Redman armigeri.
30. p. m. Johannis Rawson nuper de Neusom Grange in parochia de Ouston.
31. p. m. Johannis Storthes.
32. p. m. Johannis Ward.
33. p. m. Johannis Wakefeld.
34. p. m. Ricardi Mennell.
35. p. m. Ricardi Ward.
36. p. m. Johannis Melton militis.
37. p. m. Johannis Wirrall nuper de Doncaster armigeri.
38. p. m. Willielmi Bladworth.
39. p. m. Thome Foxcroft de Soureby.
40. p. m. Jacobi Crathorne armigeri.
41. p. m. Radulphi Ellerker armigeri.
42. p. m. Ezachie Clyffton armigeri.
43. p. m. Walteri Grymeston armigeri.
44. p. m. Henrici Pudsay de Barfurthe armigeri.
45. p. m. Johannis Aske armigeri.

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Bowes Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Constable Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

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38 *Hen. VIII.* to 1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Raynold armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—6 m. (*Imperfect*).

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Everingham armigeri.
2. p. m. Jacobi Counstable generosi.
3. p. m. Thome Pylley.
4. p. m. Johannis Thorpe.
5. p. m. Rogeri Sotheby generosi.
6. p. m. Anne Cheyney unius filiarum Johannis Holme ac nuper uxoris Willielmi Cheyne armigeri.
7. p. m. Ricardi Northorpe de Northorpe yoman.
8. p. m. Domine Jane Maliuerey.
9. p. m. Johannis Flemyng.
10. p. m. Johannis Popley.
11. p. m. Johannis Copley.
12. p. m. Alicie Cowke.
13. p. m. Thome Bossewell nuper de Connysburgh in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
14. p. m. Roberti Collyne capellani.
15. p. m. Willielmi Plumpton armigeri.
16. p. m. Henrici Newarke armigeri.
17. p. m. Willielmi Malorye militis.
18. p. m. Thome Luttone de Knaptone in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
19. p. m. Willielmi Dowman nuper de Poklyngton generosi.
20. p. m. Ricardi Creeke armigeri.
21. p. m. Ricardi Burdett armigeri.
22. p. m. Roberti Hunte generosi.
23. p. m. Johannis Huddelston militis.
24. p. m. Alicie Brigge . . . . Plesley in comitatu Not. vidue.
25. p. m. Willielmi Kyllyngbeke de Chapell Allerton.
26. p. m. Johannis Haystynges armigeri.

1–2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Anthonii Hamond armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ranulphi Gyrlyngton generosi.
2. p. m. Margarete Conyers nuper uxoris Johannis Conyers de Huton super Wyske armigeri.
3. p. m. Ricardi Lyster.
4. p. m. Willielmi Femare.
5. p. m. Cristoferi Burghe armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Cawton.
7. p. m. Johannis Waytt.
8. p. m. Ricardi Deane nuper de Migeley in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
9. p. m. Willielmi Adamson.
10. p. m. Ricardi Sunderland nuper de Migeley in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
11. p. m. Ricardi Tanckard generosi.
12. p. m. Willielmi Hundegate armigeri.
13. p. m. Johannis Gomersall.
14. p. m. Johannis Wellesborne militis.
15. p. m. Johannis Lamyng.
16. p. m. Johannis Sherewoodde de Barnesley generosi.
17. p. m. Roberti Tyrwhite senioris militis.
18. p. m. Johannis Bekerton nuper de Ricall in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
19. p. m. Johannis Thurgurlande nuper de Lyely in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
20. p. m. Radulphi Aunger armigeri.
21. p. m. Antonii Villers armigeri.
22. p. m. Johannis Dygbye armigeri.
23. p. m. Edwardi Saltmershe armigeri.
24. p. m. Francisci Bulmer.
25. p. m. Willielmi Eure militis Domini Eure.
26. p. m. Jacobi Strangways de Ormysbye in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
27. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Nevyll vidue defuncte unius filiarum et heredum Willielmi Boswell armigeri.

2–3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Roberti Waterhouse Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thomæ Green armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elizabethe Skrymsher.
2. p. m. Lawrencii Smythe.
3. p. m. Roberti Wormeley.
4. p. m. Ricardi Wayte.
5. p. m. Willielmi Arthyngton generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Seyntpawle generosi.
7. p. m. Thome Key nuper de Huddersfield senioris.
8. p. m. Hugonis Westhorpe generosi.
9. p. m. Thome Frost armigeri.
10. p. m. Henrici Gouxhill.
11. p. m. Ricardi Fenton.
12. p. m. Stephani Tempest armigeri.
13. p. m. Johannis Ellerker militis.
14. p. m. Briani Stapylton nuper de Burton Jorce in comitatu Not. militis.
15. p. m. Johannis Vavasour armigeri.
16. p. m. Gracie Foythed.

17. p. m. Radulphi Dransfield armigeri.
18. p. m. Thome Markyngfelde armigeri.

4–5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Davell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5–6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Anne Thomlynson et Petri Thomlynson executorum testamenti et ultime voluntatis Christofori Thomlynson armigeri nuper Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu.—11 Nov. 5—20 Nov. 6 Edw. VI.—39 m. (*Imperfect*).

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Marmaduci Thwynge generosi.
2. p. m. Laurencii Cutteler.
3. p. m. Roberti Haldenbye armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Conyers armigeri.
5. p. m. Edwardi Parker.
6. p. m. Roberti Ussher nuper de Fetherston.
7. p. m. Roberti Wadington generosi.
8. p. m. Thome Browne.
9. p. m. Willielmi Butteler de Nonnington in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
10. p. m. Charoli Dransfeld armigeri.
11. p. m. Georgii Wastnes armigeri.
12. p. m. Willielmi Rayner nuper de Lyverseige.
13. p. m. Katerine Rossell.
14. p. m. Brigitte Mallett nuper uxoris Willielmi Mallett.
15. p. m. Anthonii Crofte.
16. p. m. Johannis Frankishe generosi.
17. p. m. Rogeri Ewrey armigeri.
18. p. m. Nicholai Palmes de Naburne in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
19. p. m. Thome Ricard generosi.
20. p. m. Michaelis Wilbore generosi.
21. p. m. Johannis Rokbye armigeri.
22. p. m. [Caroli Brandon.]
23. p. m. Radulphi Graye de Barton in Rydall in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
24. p. m. Johannis Acclam de Moreby Hall in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
25. p. m. Willielmi Gascoigne nuper de Gawthorpe militis.
26. Inquisitio de possessionibus Elene Lyster vidue nuper uxoris Christofori Lyster armigeri defuncti et filiæ et unius heredum Johannis Claton armigeri defuncti, lunaticæ.

6 *Edw. VI.* to 1 *Mar.*—Compotus Willielmi Lawson armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1-2 *Mar.*—Compotus Cristoferi Lepton Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Phil. et Mar.*—Compotus Thome Herdewyk armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Briani Wormall nuper de Barkysland.
2. p. m. Caroli Morton nuper de Baddesworthe armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Giege.
4. p. m. Cristoferi Myrfeld armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Hall de Swyllyngton generosi.
6. p. m. Henrici Wildon.
7. p. m. Jacobi Rasby.
8. p. m. Johannis Herdwicke.
9. p. m. Willielmi Babthorpe militis.
10. p. m. Roberti Bowis militis.
11. p. m. Radulphi Westbye nuper de Raynfield generosi.
12. p. m. Henrici Savell de Copley armigeri.
13. p. m. Thome Snawsell generosi.
14. p. m. Johannis Swynhowe nuper de Wadworth generosi.
15. p. m. Radulphi Ewrie.
16. p. m. Johannis Rayny.
17. p. m. Ricardi Musgrave militis.
18. p. m. Radulphi Horsseman de Monkefryston.
19. p. m. Thome Barkeley domini Barkeley Mowbray et Segrave filii et heredis Thome Barkeley domini Barkeley Mowbray et Segrave.
20. p. m. Thome Gascoigne nuper de Burghe Wallis armigeri.
21. p. m. Ricardi Wilcoke de Holand generosi.
22. p m. Petri Bancke de Allerton Bywatter in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
23. p. m. Willielmi Middelton militis.
24. p. m. Ricardi Pachet nuper de Mygeley.
25. p. m. Johannis Routh.
26. p. m. Johannis Coppyndale armigeri.
27. p. m. Hugonis Normavell generosi.
28. p. m. Roberti Strelly armigeri.
29. p. m. Walteri Hawkesworth armigeri.

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Phil. et Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Key Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eodem comitatu * 2 and 3—13 Nov. 3 and 4 Phil. et Mar.—2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Margerie Gyrlington.
2. p. m. Cristofori Mallorye armigeri.

* Sic.

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3 and 4—4 and 5 *Phil. et Mar.*—Compotus Willielmi Mallett armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4 and 5 *Phil. et Mar.* to 1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Hamonde armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Mathei Wentworthe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Vescy.
2. p. m. Thome Furnasse de Boothes yoman.
3. p. m. Thome Conyers generosi.
4. p. m. Roberti Trigot armigeri.
5. p. m. Niniani Staveley armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Vincent armigeri.
7. p. m. Caroli Stockes nuper de Tickhill.
8. p. m. Briani Bradford nuper de Standley generosi.
9. p. m. Anthonii Stockdall nuper de Topcliff.
10. p. m. Johannis Wycliffe nuper de Langthorne.
11. p. m. Roberti Palmer.
12. p. m. Michaelis Wentworthe armigeri cofferarii hospicii Marie nuper Regine Anglie.
13. p. m. Lanceloti Layton.
14. p. m. Isabelle nuper uxoris Michaelis Wentworthe de Otes in comitatu Essex armigeri.
15. p. m. Radulphi Bullmer militis.
16. p. m. Marmaduci Constable armigeri.
17. p. m. Leonelli Portington armigeri.
18. p. m. Willielmi Hawkisworthe nuper de Gonnildthwayte in comitatu Ebor.
19. p. m. Ricardi Empryngham armigeri.
20. p. m. Conanti Barton.
21. Transcriptum ejusdem.
22. p. m. Edwardi Lawton generosi.
23. p. m. Francisci Selowe nuper de Snaynton.
24. p. m. Galfridi Barnibie nuper de Denbie in comitatu Ebor.
25. p. m. Willielmi Wilberforsse generosi.
26. p. m. Johannis Pecke nuper de civitate London.
27. p. m. Ricardi Wilkinson nuper de Rodyshall.
28. p. m. Thome Pagett.
29. p. m. Georgii Dawneye armigeri.
30. p. m. Johannis Rede nuper de Greate Thirkylbye in comitatu Ebor.
31. p. m. Radulphi Ellarkar militis.
32. p. m. Thome Vyncent.
33. p. m. Radulphi Barnebye de Barnebye armigeri.
34. p. m. Roberti Mallett.
35. p. m. Francisci Hastinges militis (*virtute Brevis de diem clausit extremum*).
36. p. m. Ejusdem (*virtute Brevis de melius inquirendum*).
37. p. m. Edmundi Haryson.
38. p. m. Godfridi Foliambe armigeri.
39. p. m. Marmaduci Clarionett.
40. p. m. Lionelli Reisby armigeri.
41. p. m. Roberti Evers de Belton in comitatu Lincoln. armigeri.
42. p. m. Johannis Heslerton nuper de West Heslerton.
43. p. m. Johannis Lake nuper de Normanton generosi.
44. p. m. Ricardi Bowes armigeri.
45. p. m. Walteri Wylfett nuper de Howden generosi.
46. p. m. Roberti Jackson de Galnethorpe yoman.
47. p. m. Willielmi Frost nuper de Aketon.
48. p. m. Roberti Constable militis.
49. p. m. Thome Dalleyriver armigeri.
50. p. m. Marmaduci Thwaytes armigeri.
51. p. m. Johannis Ellwes nuper de Willsicke.
52. p. m. Roberti Morley.
53. p. m. Radulphi Basforthe generosi.
54. p. m. Thome Langdayle armigeri.
55. p. m. Francisci Wandisford armigeri.

2–3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Conyers armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Rogeri Raysinge nuper de Grinthorpe generosi.
2. p. m. Georgii Bowlmer generosi.
3. p. m. Edwardi Stowper nuper de Staynton.
4. p. m. Willielmi Crake armigeri nuper de Foston.
5. p. m. Cassandrie nuper uxoris Johannis Vavasor armigeri.
6. p. m. Petri Kaye.
7. p. m. Anne Conyers unius filiarum et coheredum Christoferi Conyers armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Stephenson nuper de Whitgift generosi.
9. p. m. Petri Stubley nuper de Heith yoman.
10. p. m. Petri Owres alias Petri Coke.
11. p. m. Thome Lasenbye de Huntington generosi.
12. p. m. Christoferi Place armigeri.
13. p. m. Ricardi Broughe filii et heredis apparentis Willielmi Brough de * in comitatu Lincoln. generosi.

* Sic.

14. p. m. Willielmi Graye mercatoris.
15. p. m. Johannis Vavasour armigeri.
16. p. m. Willielmi Fayrfax filii et heredis Guidonis * armigeri filii et heredis Thome Fairfax nuper servientis ad legem.
17. p. m. Georgii Thwing de Over Homlesey armigeri.
18. p. m. Willielmi Turton.
19. p. m. Roberti Connyers armigeri.
20. p. m. Margarete Conyers infra etatem existentis unius filiarum et coheredum Johannis Conyers militis Domini Conyers.
21. p. m. Henrici Gascoigne militis.
22. p. m. Ricardi Hochonson armigeri.
23. Inquisitio de possessionibus Thome Worrall armigeri lunatici.

3–4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Stephani Holforde armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Lanceloti Holtby.
2. p. m. Johannis Hedon nuper de Beverley armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Nandicke.
4. p. m. Johannis Keyme unius heredum manerii de Rysom in Holdernes in comitatu predicto.
5. p. m. Alani Watson.
6. p. m. Henrici Bleiston alias Blayster nuper de Etton.
7. p. m. Francisci Twynge generosi filii et heredis cujusdam Radulphi Twynge.
8. p. m. Christofori Maude generosi.
9. p. m. Hugonis Creake de Huggaet generosi.
10. p. m. Thome Bemond armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Hepworth.
12. p. m. Roberti Browene nuper de Beverley.
13. p. m. Matilde Counstable vidue.
14. p. m. Martini Rosse generosi nuper de Pighill.
15. p. m. Willielmi Graye.
16. p. m. Thome Wolffe.
17. p. m. Henrici Mennell generosi.
18. p. m. Johannis Hunt generosi.
19. p. m. Johannis Wood generosi.
20. p. m. Anne Brokesbanke.
21. p. m. Radulphi Greves de Hunshelf yoman.
22. p. m. Anthonii Hipperon generosi.
23. p. m. Roberti Skelton generosi.
24. p. m. Johannis Forster.
25. p. m. Elizabethe Ashburne nuper uxoris Marmaduci Constable de Wassom in comitatu Ebor. et una filiarum et coheredum Roberti Stokes.
26. p. m. Antonii Hunter generosi.
27. p. m. Johanne Garbaray nuper de Beverley.
28. p. m. Rogeri Dawson nuper de Dewsberye in comitatu Ebor.
29. p. m. Cutberti Savell nuper de Mirfeld in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
30. p. m. Georgii Sandwithe generosi.
31. p. m. Willielmi Hancocke nuper de Cornfilde in comitatu Lanc. yoman.
32. p. m. Ricardi Peke de Wakfeld armigeri.
33. p. m. Arthuri Darcye militis.

5–6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Hamond armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Mennell servientis ad Legem.
2. p. m. Johannis Blancharde (*virtute Brevis de diem clausit extremum*).
3. p. m. Ejusdem (*virtute Brevis de melius inquirendum*).
4. p. m. Ricardi Kaye.
5. p. m. Roberti Evers armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Dunwell.
7. p. m. Alexandri Stockdaill marcatoris.
8. p. m. Johannis Forster.
9. p. m. Johannis Tempest de Brestwissell armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Bosvyle generosi.
11. p. m. Willielmi Hawkesworth.
12. p. m. Willielmi Darley.
13. p. m. Georgii Wherton nuper de Helthwaythill in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
14. p. m. Willielmi Goldesbrough generosi.
15. p. m. Cristoferi Routh.
16. p. m. Ricardi Thorneton nuper de Tyersall generosi.
17. p. m. Willielmi Cartwrighte alias Vicars.
18. p. m. Willielmi Rither de Harwood armigeri.
19. p. m. Arthuri Banckes nuper de Whixley generosi.
20. p. m. Jacobi Brokisbanke.
21. p. m. Radulphi Pollard generosi.
22. p. m. Johannis Myleson nuper de Ferybrigg.
23. p. m. Johannis Bayrstow nuper de Ovenden.
24. p. m. Milonis Newton generosi.
25. p. m. Isabelle Gessam nuper uxoris Johannis Gessam.
26. p. m. Johannis Mawde generosi.
27. p. m. Roberti Percye armigeri.
28. p. m. Johannis Wentworth armigeri.

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29. p. m. Georgii Lockwood nuper de Barrow.
30. p. m. Henrici Addison.
31. p. m. Hamondi Whichecote armigeri.
32. p. m. Thome Thwayte de Marston in comitatu civitatis Ebor. armigeri.
33. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johanne Trigott vidue nuper uxoris Thome Trygott armigeri defuncti ac filie et heredis Roberti Burton de Burton in comitatu Ebor. armigeri, lunatice.

6–7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Christopheri Nelson armigeri Escaetoris Regni in eodem comitatu.—31 Jan. 6—31 Nov. 7 Eliz.—2 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici comitis Westmerl.
2. p. m. Thome Layton.
3. p. m. Thome Leyland armigeri.
4. p. m. Anthonii Baynebrigge generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Dobson de Calthorne in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
6. p. m. Petri Skarborowe de * in comitatu Ebor.
7. p. m. Roberti Blome nuper de Middlewood infra villatam ville de Darfelde in comitatu Ebor.
8. p. m. Christoferi Chewe generosi.
9. p. m. Alicie Mallam nuper uxoris Willielmi Mallam de Elleslake.
10. p. m. Willielmi Blackburne.
11. p. m. Thome Northines.
12. p. m. Radulphi Clayton nuper de Bagden infra villam de Denby.
13. p. m. Anne Tomlinson nuper uxoris Cristoferi Tomlinson.
14. p. m. Radulphi Rokeby armigeri.
15. p. m. Willielmi Brakenbury armigeri.
16. p. m. Edmundi Skearne nuper de Hotham in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
17. p. m. Roberti Claye.
18. p. m. Willielmi Mallam.
19. p. m. Johannis Overton.
20. p. m. Johannis Cudworthe nuper de Estefelde infra villatam de Thurgolande.
21. p. m. Briani Ledes nuper de North Mylforth armigeri.
22. p. m. Georgii Crewer nuper de Cawton in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
23. p. m. Nicholai Scotte nuper de Ecclesfeld.
24. p. m. Roberti Rushworth.
25. p. m. Willielmi Hobson.
26. p. m. Isabelle Plompton.
27. p. m. Willielmi Crayke armigeri.

7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Beverley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Briani Hamond, Johannis Leyghe, Hugonis Cresewick, Sampsonis Ereswek et Johannis Holmes armigerorum et Petri Tyndall generosi administratorum bonorum et catallorum Willielmi Tyndall armigeri nuper Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu.—19 Nov. 8—12 Nov. 8 Eliz.—85 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Gascoigne armigeri nuper de Laysingcroft.
2. p. m. Henrici Ferrer.
3. p. m. Thome Salven nuper de Hemyngburgh in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
4. p. m. Christoferi Baynbrigg.
5. p. m. Roberti Beiston armigeri.
6. p. m. Georgii Rauson nuper de Skeffling yoman.
7. p. m. Henrici Currer nuper de Kyldewycke in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
8. p. m. Jacobi Childe nuper de Leversage.
9. p. m. Christoferi Estofte armigeri.
10. p. m. Henrici Savell de Bradley generosi.
11. p. m. Thome Goldesburgh nuper de Goldesburgh in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
12. p. m. Thome Hodgeson.
13. p. m. Roberti Popley nuper de Wolley generosi.
14. p. m. Johannis Lambert nuper de Skipton armigeri.
15. p. m. Johannis Egglesfeld nuper de Sutton super Derwent in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
16. p. m. Johannis Tempest militis.
17. p. m. Thome Swayle generosi.
18. p. m. Johannis Birnand armigeri.
19. p. m. Willielmi Vavaser de Hassillwood in comitatu Ebor. militis.

8–9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Anthonii Smethley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu.—12 Nov. 8—15 Nov. 9 Eliz.—59 m. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Towx de Garton in comitatu Ebor.
2. p. m. Gracie Monckton nuper de Drewton vidue.
3. p. m. Thome Taylor nuper de Fraystroppe in comitatu Ebor.
4. p. m. Christopheri Kendall de North Leverton generosi.
5. p. m. Radulphi Gower nuper de Richmond in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Anlaby nuper de Etton in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Thornehyll de Fyxebye in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Gascoigne nuper de Gawthorpe armigeri.
9. p. m. Ejusdem.
10, p. m. Lancelotti Morwin nuper de Flotmanby in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
11. p. m. Willielmi Waldby.
12. p. m. Henrici Thompson de Esholde in comitatu Ebor.

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13. p. m. Roberti Metham de Locton in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
14. p. m. Christopheri Thorpe nuper de Thorp juxta Welwyck in Holdernes in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
15. p. m. Thome Franke de Cransmore.
16. p. m. Henrici Martyn nuper de Leedes in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
17. p. m Francisci Constable de Shereburne in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
18. p. m. Roberti Walworth generosi.
19. p. m. Georgii Haull generosi.
20. p. m. Radulphi Yeawarte generosi.
21. p. m. Roberti Foster.
22. p. m. Edmundi Bygott nuper de Malton in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
23. p. m. Willielmi Acclome de Morebie in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
24. p. m. Johannis Shirwoode nuper de Wenton.
25. p. m. Thome Barton nuper de Whenby armigeri.
26. p. m. Roberti Fraunces de Burneby in comitatu Ebor.
27. p. m. Willielmi Bracebrigge.
28. p. m. Ricardi Eddrington nuper de Holme in Spaldingmore in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
29. p. m. Willielmi Nuttall.
30. p. m. Rogeri Kellytt.
31. p. m. Nicholai Downes nuper de Etton in comitatu Ebor. husbandman.
32. p. m. Ricardi Bubwith generosi.
33. p. m. Willielmi Richardson nuper de Burneby.
34. p. m. Johannis Wormeley.
35. p. m. Rogeri Rasynge generosi.
36. p. m. Ricardi Hodgeson.

9–10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Oswaldi Metcalf armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu.—35 m. [*Novæ Escaetæ.*]

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Tyndall generosi.
2. p. m. Georgii Conyers militis.
3. p. m. Thome Rookebye armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Wood generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Lawson armigeri.
6. p. m. Guidonis Babthorpe armigeri.
7. p. m. Willielmi Blithman generosi.
8. p. m. Francisci Palmes armigeri.
9. p. m. Guidonis Fairfax armigeri.
10. p. m. Cecilie Wandisford nuper uxoris Christoferi Wandisford generosi et unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Fulthropp armigeri.
11. p. m. Rogeri Marshail generosi.
12. p. m. Ricardi Haldowre.
13. p. m. Thome Crathorne armigeri.
14. p. m. Cristoferi Bowes de Apleton.
15. p. m. Antonii Watson.
16. p. m. Briani Bancke nuper de Petworthe in comitatu Sussex.
17. p. m. Thome Yonge nuper Archiepiscopi Ebor.
18. p. m. Nicholai Jenkynson.
19. p. m. Cristoferi Bynckes.

10–11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Caroli Jackson armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu.—81 m. (*Imperfect.*)

1. p. m. Radulphi Greaves (*virtute officii sui capta*).
2. p. m. Radulphi Greaves de Hunshelf yoman (*virtute brevis de melius inquirendum*).
3. p. m. Thome Nycols.
4. p. m. Roberti Freare.
5. p. m. Francisci Hewyt de Wales generosi.
6. p. m. Thome Nettleton generosi.
7. p. m. Lanceloti Howe.
8. p. m. Nicholai Jenkinson yoman.
9. p. m. Willielmi Barkstone generosi.
10. p. m. Hugonis More.
11. p. m. Willielmi Danbye nuper de magna Leke.
12. p. m. Roberti Perkyn clerici.
13. p. m. Henrici Preistley.
14. p. m. Hugonis Atkinson nuper de Castleford.
15. p. m. Henrici Mesburne.
16. p. m. Georgii Tomlynson armigeri.
17. p. m. Walteri Stricklande armigeri.
18. p. m. Thome Eastofte armigeri.
19. p. m. Thome Estofte generosi.
20. p. m. Johannis Yorke militis.
21. p. m. Radulphi Bynnes.
22. p. m. Thome Wharton militis Domini Wharton.

11–12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Beverley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu.—14 Nov. 11.—16 Oct. 12 Eliz.—120 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Roger nuper de Bristall generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Birkeby de Selby mercatoris.
3. p. m. Johannis Garbraye nuper de Beverley yoman.
4. p. m. Henrici Dixson generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Baxster generosi.
6. p. m. Thome Horsley nuper de Fymmer yoman.
7. p. m. Francisci Thorppe de Birdsalle generosi.

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8. p. m. Johannis Shitelworthe nuper de Lyversedge.
9. p. m. Johannis Ellerton de Boythorpe yoman.
10. p. m. Georgii Conyers nuper de Pynshinthorpe.
11. p. m. Thome Savile de Copley armigeri.
12. p. m. Nicholai Huddelsay yoman.
13. p. m. Georgii Conyers armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Illingworthe de Illingworth.
15. p. m. Johannis Hemyngwey nuper de Southern.
16. p. m. Leonardi Stockdale generosi.
17. p. m. Ricardi Cutler nuper de Dodeworthe yoman.
18. p. m. Cuthberti Brere yoman.
19. p. m. Ricardi Woode nuper de Westparke howse in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
20. p. m. Willielmi Hussey nuper de North Duffelde armigeri.
21. p. m. Johannis Whitley de Ovenden.
22. p. m. Johannis Northroppe nuper de Hatfelde.
23. p. m. Thome Sysson.
24. p. m. Roberti Haldisworthe de Askey yoman.
25. p. m. Barnardi Paver.
26. p. m. Jacobi Foxcrofte nuper de Sourbye in comitatu Ebor.

13–14 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Wood armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Cristoferi Danbye militis.

14–15 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Power Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

15–16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Barnebie armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu.—41 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Burneley de Morley.
2. p. m. Anthonii Marke.
3. p. m. Thome Barnebye generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Talbot generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Robynson nuper de London generosi.
6. p. m. Rogeri Gartside generosi.
7. p. m. Thome Hodgeson de Allerton-grange.
8. p. m. Johannis Mountney generosi.
9. p. m. Ricardi Mickelthwayte.
10. p. m. Henrici Kighley.
11. p. m. Willielmi Elys armigeri.
12. p. m. Willielmi Scotte.
13. p. m. Johannis Riche.
14. p. m. Roberti Gybson nuper de Tilverhall in comitatu Lincoln.
15. p. m. Thome Hemsworthe.
16. p. m. Elizabethe Barghe uxoris Ricardi Barghe defuncti.
17. p. m. Johannis Marshall generosi.
18. p. m. Roberti Killingbeck generosi.
19. p. m. Jacobi Corker.
20. p. m. Johannis Croseland de Northe Croseland.
21. p. m. Hugonis Lacye armigeri.
22. p. m. Jarvasii Storthes de Storthes Hall in comitatu Ebor.
23. p. m. Francisci Wooderofe de Wolley nuper armigeri.
24. p. m. Willielmi Tanckerd armigeri.
25. p. m. Elinore Plumpton.
26. p. m. Johannis Atherton militis.
27. p. m. Ricardi Whetley nuper de Woolley generosi.
28. p. m. Elinore Seyntquyntyn.
29. p. m. Ricardi Sunderland.
30. p. m. Radulphi Aslabye.

16–17 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Thurgerland armigeri Deputati Johannis Dighton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Beaumont armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Readman nuper de Gatefulfurthe in comitatu Ebor generosi.
3. p. m. Cristoferi Lownde.
4. p. m. Cristoferi Redshawe generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Martynne.
6. p. m. Thome Man.
7. p. m. Nicholai Bateman nuper de Kendall in comitatu Westmerl. generosi.
8. p. m. Ricardi Gybson nuper de Brookfoole infra villatam de Southowrome in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
9. p. m. Johannis Hamerton armigeri.
10. p. m. Anthonii Hipperone.
11. p. m. Johannis Armitage generosi.
12. p. m. Arthuri Kaye armigeri.
13. p. m. Roberti Cotes.
14. p. m. Johannis Richerdson.
15. p. m. Johannis Harrison generosi.
16. p. m. Mathei Richardson.
17. p. m. Cristoferi Metcalf militis.
18. p. m. Arckenwaldi Birkbye.
19. p. m. Gilberti Watson generosi.
20. p. m. Thome Moreton.

17–18 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Layton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu.—84 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Waterton armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Danbie generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Nicholson.
4. p. m. Willielmi Bulmer.
5. p. m. Percivalli Phelipp generosi.
6. p. m. Willielmi Siggesweke de civitate London habardasher.
7. p. m. Roberti Tristram.
8. p. m. Ameri Burdett armigeri.
9. p. m. Rogeri Burghe armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Scarburghe generosi.
11. p. m. Roberti Fournes.
12. p. m. Henrici Cockcrofte.
13. p. m. Ambrosii Beckwith generosi.
14. p. m. Rogeri Fretwell.
15. p. m. Johannis Prior yoman.
16. p. m. Thome Mapples.
17. p. m. Roberti Thwaytes generosi.

18–19 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Bradford armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Radulphi Raysinge.
2. p. m. Willielmi Norman nuper de Gaitfurth generosi.
3. p. m. Lionelli Rayner nuper de Lyversedge.
4. p. m. Francisci Gascoyne armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Burton nuper de Ingarthorpe generosi.
6. p. m. Cristoferi Sampson.
7. p. m. Willielmi Webster nuper de Flamburghe armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Fournesse de Shelf yoman.
9. p. m. Johannis Lasingbye.
10. p. m. Ricardi Newesham.
11. p. m. Ricardi Bentley nuper de North Owram.
12. p. m. Ricardi Walker.
13. p. m. Ricardi Morton.
14. p. m. Adami Lockwood nuper de Thurstoland.
15. p. m. Johannis Wodhouse.
16. p. m. Willielmi Hewet de Farneburne.
17. p. m. Johannis Pogson.
18. p. m. Cristoferi Thirkeld nuper de Brincke.
19. p. m. Henrici Hancocke nuper de Secrofte.
20. p. m. Johannis Shirte nuper de Cawthorne.
21. p. m. Georgii Brigham nuper de Brigham armigeri.
22. p. m. Jacobi Broke nuper de Adwellton.
23. p. m. Willielmi Bordall nuper de Eringden.
24. p. m. Edwardi Kellett nuper de Nunneburneholme generosi.
25. p. m. Thome Gamble nuper de Rothwell yoman.
26. p. m. Ricardi Baylye generosi.
27. p. m. Johannis Weste nuper de Aghton infra parochiam de Aston in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
28. p. m. Roberti Banester nuper de Skelbroke generosi.
29. p. m. Ricardi Birkenshay.
30. p. m. Anthonii Menell armigeri.
31. p. m. Roberti Rawson nuper de Sturton Graunge generosi.
32. p. m. Roberti Morton generosi.
33. p. m. Johanne Trigot alias Jane Trigot vidue nuper de Highe Burton.
34. p. m. Thome Malet alias Mallet nuper de Normanton.
35. p. m. Thome Mawde alias Mahaut generosi.
36. p. m. Launceloti Bullocke generosi.

19–20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Dighton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Wheatley nuper de Emley Woodhouse in comitatu Ebor. yoman.
2. p. m. Johannis Banke consanguinei et unius heredum Elizabethe filie Georgii Atkynson defuncti nuper uxoris Ricardi Burghe defuncti.
3. p. m. Thome Craven.
4. p. m. Willielmi Chambre nuper de Compton yoman.
5. p. m. Ricardi Speight nuper de Earles Heaton yoman.
6. p. m. Johannis Hobson nuper de Idle yoman.
7. p. m. Willielmi Wilkynson nuper de Skyrcote yoman.
8. p. m. Willielmi Blackburne nuper de Hothersfeyld.
9. p. m. Ricardi Barghe nuper de Castelford.
10. p. m. Thome Clyff nuper de Skyrcottes yoman.
11. p. m. Antonii Smethley nuper de Thorpe Brantingham in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
12. p. m. Willielmi Levytt generosi.
13. p. m. Johannis Waddisworth generosi.
14. p. m. Ricardi Banester nuper de Barnoldiswick Cotes in Craven generosi.
15. p. m. Anne West vidue.

20–21 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Dowman armigeri Escaetotis Regine in eodem comitatu.—91 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Sowthebye generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Byrdhede generosi nuper de Purston.
3. p. m. Roberti Snydall nuper de Bentley.

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4. p. m. Johannis Paver nuper de Braham generosi.
5. p. m. Francisci Constable armigeri.
6. p. m. Rogeri Eglesfield nuper de Barton in Willouse generosi.
7. p. m. Gilberti Hunte generosi.
8. p. m. Ricardi Jobson.
9. p. m. Georgii Rodes alias Syever nuper de Myrfeld.
10. p. m. Thome Headlye.
11. p. m. Thome Storre nuper de Skerthmywell (Skerthyngwell) yoman.
12. p. m. Johannis Seale.
13. p. m. Willielmi Couke nuper de Askerne yoman.
14. p. m. Johannis Estkricke nuper de Brighton.
15. p. m. Johannis Strangways.
16. p. m. Roberti Waterhous armigeri.
17. p. m. Cristofori Clarke yoman.
18. p. m. Thome Hanson.
19. p. m. Thome Yonge generosi.
20. p. m. Johannis Flemynge.
21. p. m. Thome Beckwithe nuper de Clinte armigeri.
22. p. m. Thome Vicares de Scawsebye.
23. p. m. Thome Shipton nuper de Attinwick alias Atwicke in Holdernes.
24. p. m. Jacobi Rasbye de Kirkesmeaton yoman.
25. p. m. Willielmi Amber nuper de Norton yoman.
26. p. m. Edwardi Barkeston nuper de Barkeston in comitatu Ebor. generosi.
27. p. m. Anne Vavasor vidue nuper uxoris Jacobi Vavasor nuper de Thornethorpe generosi.
28. p. m. Willielmi Londesdayle nuper de Selby Draper.
29. p. m. Thome Riplingham.
30. p. m. Cristoferi Marler.
31. p. m. Francisci Gascoigne armigeri.
32. p. m. Percivalli Hobson de Dodworthe yoman.
33. p. m. Willielmi Gascoigne nuper de Thorpe super montem armigeri.
34. p. m. Ricardi Waterhouse nuper de Prestley.
35. p. m. Willielmi Wowell (Wombwell) nuper de Wombwell armigeri.
36. p. m. Roberti Rockley nuper de Rocklay in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.

21–22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Lawrencii Meres armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodam comitatu: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Petri Knarsbroughe.
2. p. m. Michaelis Walker.
3. p. m. Johannis Perkinson.
4. p. m. Johannis Skarbroughe nuper de Sutton.
5. p. m. Thome Musgrave de Leedes.
6. p. m. Petri Sale.
7. p. m. Ricardi Slater.
8. p. m. Johannis Ellis nuper de Bradley in Craven.
9. p. m. Johannis Lemynge.
10. p. m. Edwardi Crofte nuper de Gildersum.
11. p. m. Roberti Mayson.
12. p. m. Johannis Hall nuper de Kighley.
13. p. m. Johannis Lofthowse nuper de Broughton in Craven.
14. p. m. Roberti Mosses nuper de Leathley yoman.
15. p. m. Stephani Clough nuper de Broughton in Craven.
16. p. m. Milonis Cloughe nuper de Okeworthe.
17. p. m. Ricardi Dicson.
18. p. m. Willielmi Smith nuper de Kirkebye Malserd yeoman.
19. p. m. Willielmi Rogerson nuper de Elom in parochia de Byngeley.
20. p. m. Johannis Stancliff de Ovenden.
21. p. m. Gilberti Haldesworthe.
22. p. m. Edwardi Butler nuper de Morten Banckes in parochia de Bingley.
23. p. m. Radulphi Rudd nuper de Killinghall.
24. p. m. Thome Waid de Ossit.
25. p. m. Michaelis Wylden.
26. p. m. Roberti Hall.
27. p. m. Willielmi Lyster.
28. p. m. Hugonis Burton.
29. p. m. Willielmi Scott nuper de Excope.
30. p. m. Johannis Wylson nuper de Marton super Moram.
31. p. m. Georgii Haldisworthe.
32. p. m. Johannis Sotheby de Darrington.
33. p. m. Edmundi Sturdy generosi.
34. p. m. Willielmi Mathew.
35. p. m. Willielmi Boye.
36. p. m. Johannis Hardye senioris nuper de Halifax.
37. p. m. Willielmi Speighte.
38. p. m. Roberti Ellerton nuper de Acklam "clir."
39. p. m. Nicholai Skelton.
40. p. m. Ricardi Wentworth nuper de Holling Hirst generosi.
41. p. m. Thome Chace.
42. p. m. Roberti Lutton.
43. p. m. Ricardi Preston nuper de Garton.
44. p. m. Johannis Dicconson nuper de Killinghall.
45. p. m. Johannis Wright.
46. p. m. Roberti Owstebye nuper de Heslington husbandman.

47. p. m. Thome Gibson de Ireby in comitatu Lancastr. generosi.
48. p. m. Roberti Shippabothome nuper de Bridlington generosi.
49. p. m. Johannis Horsfall nuper de Rodwells End alias Radwalhawge.
50. p. m. Johannis Northend.
51. p. m. Johannis Awdesley.
52. p. m. Thome Bradley nuper de Coningley.
53. p. m. Johannis Constable.
54. p. m. Randalli Watter.
55. p. m. Johannis Clarke.
56. p. m. Johannis Savell.
57. p. m. Willielmi Mording nuper de Helperthorpe.
58. p. m. Roberti Wetherherde.
59. p. m. Roberti Beauland nuper de Exlaye.
60. p. m. Ricardi Kente nuper de Stanley yoman.
61. p. m. Roberti Wylson de Leedes.
62. p. m. Ricardi Cutler.
63. p. m. Willielmi Rodley nuper de Woodhouse in Northebyerley.
64. p. m. Ricardi Loncaster nuper de Newsome.
65. p. m. Ricardi Rayner nuper de Lyversedge parva.
66. p. m. Briani Bentley generosi.
67. p. m. Willielmi Preston nuper de Ayrton yeoman.
68. p. m. Thome Grenwood nuper de Hepstonstall.
69. p. m. Willielmi Graver.
70. p. m. Alani Hudson.
71. p. m. Johannis Mawide.
72. p. m. Thome Gargrave nuper de Bolton generosi.
73. p. m. Anthonii Wightman.
74. p. m. Thome Grenewod nuper de Oxon.
75. p. m. Johannis Conyers nuper de Huton super Wyske armigeri.
76. p. m. Georgii Wylkynson nuper de Claxton.
77. p. m. Willielmi Thorpe armigeri.
78. p. m. Willielmi Hesslerton nuper de Huton super Derwent generosi.
79. p. m. Roberti Mirfelde nuper de Phippingeparke generosi.
80. p. m. Willielmi Browne.
81. p. m. Thome Bysshoppe.
82. p. m. Ricardi Laicock de Towton yoman.
83. p. m. Willielmi Franke generosi.
84. p. m. Roberti Leache.
85. p. m. Thome Whalley.
86. p. m. Johannis Sugden.
87. p. m. Roberti Medleye nuper de Shelffe.
88. p. m. Thome Layton generosi.
89. p. m. Willielmi Atkinson nuper de Killinghall.
90. p. m. Willielmi Jessoppe senioris.
91. p. m. Edwardi Salley nuper de Conningeley.
92. p. m. Willielmi Copley generosi.
93. p. m. Ricardi Brearey nuper de Uskell.
94. p. m. Nicholai Denman de Newell Grange generosi.
95. p. m. Johannis Midgeley.
96. p. m. Ricardi Ingle nuper de Rotheram nayler.
97. p. m. Lawrencii Illingworthe.
98. p. m. Ricardi Redman.
99. p. m. Johannis Kay nuper de Neswicke.
100. p. m. Thome Gower armigeri.
101. p. m. Johannis Sherewood nuper de Walkington.
102. p. m. Marie Tunstall vidue.
103. p. m. Johannis Thwinge nuper de Over Hemilsey generosi.
104. p. m. Cristoferi Morehouse.
105. p. m. Marie Lasingby.
106. p. m. Johannis Wells de Trumflete yoman.
107. p. m. Leonardi Weste armigeri.
108. p. m. Radulphi Crofte generosi.
109. p. m. Roberti Vicarman nuper de Haistropp yoman.
110. p. m. Pauli Hogg nuper de Selbye yoman.

24–25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Christopheri Nelson armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

25–26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Radulphi Rokesbye armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu, 8 Dec. 25—26 Nov. 26 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Browne armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu, 26 Feb. 26—26 Feb. 27 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Darley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Eliz.*—Compotus Radulphi Moore armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34–35 *Eliz.*—Compotus Adami Midlam armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu, 29 Nov. 34—29 Nov. 35 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

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35–36 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Hutton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu, 22 Nov. 35—22 Nov. 36 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

36–37 *Eliz.*—Compotus Christopheri Aske armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eodem comitatu, 3 Dec. 36—8 Feb. 37 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

37–38 *Eliz.*—Compotus Timothei Whittingham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

40–41 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Holmes armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

41-42 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Payler armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eodem comitatu, 12 Dec. 41—12 Dec. 42 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments of accounts consisting of 29 membranes.

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12–13 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Gray Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13–14 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Metkalf nuper Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate.—3 Feb. 13—3 Feb. 14 Hen. VII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Scrope militis.

14–15 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Elwold Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17–18 *Hen VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Thornton Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Metcalf nuper aldermanni civitatis Ebor.
2. p. m. Johannis Ingilby armigeri.

24 *Hen. VII.* to 1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Essex Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Hen VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Shawe Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 1—3 Feb. 2 Hen. VIII.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Thwaytys armigeri.
2. p. m. Henrici Ughtred militis

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Bartrami Dawson Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3-4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Burton et Matilde uxoris ejus executorum testamenti Georgii Kyrk defuncti nuper Majoris et Escaetoris in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 3—3 Feb. 4 Hen. VIII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome White Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 4—3 Feb. 5 Hen. VIII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5-6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Thornton Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Fairfax unius Justiciariorum Domini Regis de communi Banco.

6–7 *Hen VIII.*—Compotus Thome Drawsword Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Hall Majoris et Escaetoris in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 7—3 Feb. 8 Hen. VIII.—7 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Georgii Atkirk civis et aldermanni.

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Dogeson Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 8—3 Feb. 9 Hen. VIII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Wright Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Alani Staveley Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Parkour Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 11.—3 Feb. 12. Hen. VIII.—5 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Guidonis Willesthorp.
2. p. m. Thome Fayrefax de Walton militis.

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Bankhouse Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Pauli Gillour Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Drawserd Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 14—3 Feb. 15 Hen. VIII.—2 m.

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* Several of the Inquisitions returned by the Lord Mayor of York are in the Pouches, with the Accounts.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Norman Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 15—3 Feb. 16 Hen. VIII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Kyrke.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Barker Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 16—3 Apr. 17 Hen. VIII.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17–18 *Hen VIII.*—Compotus Petri Jaxson Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Stokes armigeri.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Mason Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Whitfeld Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 20—3 Feb. 21 Hen. VIII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Lawson militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Dayson Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

31–32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Dogeson armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 31—3 Feb. 32 Hen. VIII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Hekkylton Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Henrici Rither armigeri.

35-36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Petri Robynson Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 35—3 Feb. 36 Hen. VIII.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Blytheman armigeri.

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Dene Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 36—3 Feb. 37 Hen. VIII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Harrington Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Goldthorpe.
2. p. m. Willielmi Yaxley (*nulla Terr. seu Ten.*).
3. p. m. Briani Snawsell (*nulla Terr. seu Ten.*).

3–4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Parsivalli Craforthe Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 3—3 Feb. 4 Eliz.—12 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Francisci Gale nuper de Acome Grange in comitatu civitatis Ebor.
2. p. m. Ricardi Smyth yoman.
3. p. m. Willielmi Fairfax militis.

5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Lawson Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Thwate armigeri.

6–7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Sympson Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 6—3 Feb. 7 Eliz.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Beane Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 7—3 Feb. 8 Eliz.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Watson Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

9–10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Peacocke Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 9—3 Feb. 10 Eliz.—14 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Shipton nuper de Knapton.
2. p. m. Thome Harper aldermanni civitatis Ebor.
3. p. m. Willielmi Gascoigne nuper de Gawthorpe armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Forster nuper de Tadcastre.
5. p. m. Briani Snawsell de Bilton in comitatu civitatis Ebor.

10-11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Copeland Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 10—3 Feb. 11 Eliz.—7 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Lawson armigeri.

11–12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Beckwith Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 11—3 Feb. 12 Eliz.—5 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

12–13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Ealond armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 12—3 Feb. 13 Eliz.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

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13–14 *Eliz.*—Compotus Gregorii Pecock armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

14–15 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Allen armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 14—3 Feb. 15 Eliz.—7 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1 p. m. Thome Myddleton nuper de civitate Ebor. tanner.

15–16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Christopheri Herbert Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

16–17 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Maskewe Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17–18 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Harryson Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

18–19 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Richardeson Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 18—3 Feb. 19 Eliz.—4 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19–20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Dyneley Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 19—3 Feb. 20 Eliz.—5 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Hugonis Graves Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate . . 9 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Andree Oglethorpe generosi.

2. p. m. Lawrencii Grene.

20–21 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Crypling Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 20—3 Feb. 21 Eliz.—8 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Francisci Gascoigne armigeri.

21–22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Askewithe armigeri Majoris et EseaetorisR egine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Robynson armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 22—3 Feb. 23 Eliz.—4 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23–24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Brooke armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

25–26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Christoferi Maltby armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Appleyarde armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 26—3 Feb. 27 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Andree Trewe armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 27—3 Feb. 28 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28–29 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Maye armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 28—3 Feb. 29 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

29–30 *Eliz.*—Compotus Radulphi Richardson armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 4 Feb. 29—3 Feb. 30 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–31 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Birkby armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 30—3 Feb. 31 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

31–32 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Jacksonne Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, 3 Feb. 30—3 Feb. 31 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35–36 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Askwyth armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, a festo Sancti Michaelis anno 35 usque idem festum anno 36 Eliz.—1 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

36–37 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Harrison armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

37–38 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Robynson armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate, a festo Sancti Michaelis anno 37 usque idem festum anno 38 Eliz.—1 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

38–39 *Eliz*—Compotus . . . . Brooke armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Circa Finem Regni Eliz.—Compotus . . . . . Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate.—5 m. (*Much injured.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments of accounts consisting of 10 membranes.

TOWN OF KINGSTON-UPON-HULL.

5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Lawrencii Swattok Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in villa de Kyngeston super Hull: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1 p. m. Henrici Comitis Northumbr.

8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Roberti Chapman Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Hapsham Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa a crastino festi Sancti Michaelis anno 10 usque idem crastinum anno 11.—4 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1 p. m. Briani Stapilton de Wighall militis.

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Stephani Clare Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa a crastino festi Sancti Michaelis anno 22 usque idem crastinum anno 23.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Thompson Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Harryson Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Browne Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa a festo Sancti Michaelis anno 30, usque idem festum anno 31.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodam: *Desunt.*

31–32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Thriscrosse Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32-33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus ejusdem Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rosæ Eland viduæ executricis testamenti Johannis Eland militis defuncti nuper Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa a festo Sancti Michaelis anno 33 usque festum Sancti Michaelis anno 34.—1 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Petri Macus Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ corem eodem: *Desunt.*

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ESSEX AND HERTFORD.

2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Tey Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Jacobi Songer Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Benstede armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Benstede militis.
2. p. m. Humfridi Sakevyle.
3. p. m. Elizabethe nuper uxoris Georgii nuper Ducis Clarencie.
4. p. m. Roberti Broun.
5. p. m. Johannis Sulyard militis.
6. p. m. Thome Rogers. (*Hertf.*)
   Alia Inquisitio p. m. ejusdem.
7. De possessionibus Thome Pylkyngton militis attincti.
8. p. m. Edwardi Broket armigeri.
9. p. m. Willielmi Tanfeld armigeri.
10. p. m. Johanne Rawson vidue.
11. p. m. Johannis Hawkyn.
12. Inquisitio capta virtue brevis Regis de *ad quod dampnum* de manerio de Groves cum pertinenciis Willielmo Palmer clerico, persone ecclesie parochialis sancti Benedicti de Gracechurch, London, ac gardianis sive custodibus bonorum et ornamentorum ecclesie predicte concesso ad inveniendum capellanum.
13. De possessionibus Johannis nuper comitis Lincoln attincti.
14. De possessionibus Ricardi Charleton militis attincti.

6–7 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Cope Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Dysney nuper de Norton Dysney in comitatu Lincoln armigeri.
2. p. m. Lawrencii Reynsforth militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Pecoke nuper de Theydon Garnon.
4. p. m. Johannis Norres armigeri.
5. p. m. Hugonis Sha nuper de London mercer.

7–9 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Jacobi Songer Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elizabethe domine de Sancto Amando uxoris Rogeri Tocotes armigeri (7 Hen. VII.).
2. p. m. Thome Bourghchier senioris militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Scot armigeri.
4. p. m. Emme que fuit uxoris Henrici Torell armigeri (8 Hen. VII.).
5. p. m. Willielmi Marchionis Berkeley.
6. p. m. Alicie que fuit uxor Edwardi Dodyngsels militis et ejusdem Edwardi.
7. p. m. Hugonis Nalynghurst armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Scrop de Masham militis (9 Hen. VII.).
9. p. m. Thome Leventhorp armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Welbek.
11. p. m. Katerine nuper uxoris Ricardi Haute militis.
12. p. m. Johannis Stanford.
13. Copia brevis de restitutione possessionum ejusdem Johannis Stanford, Thome Leventhorp filio et heredi Johanne que fuit uxor ejusdem Johannis.
14. p. m. Thome Leventhorp.

9–10 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Smyth Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Veer armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Langford armigeri.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Brandon vidue.
4. p. m. David Mortymer.
5. p. m. Johanne nuper uxoris Johannis Dynne.
6. p. m. Anne que fuit uxor Egidii Wellesburn.
7. p. m. Ricardi Sheldon.
8. p. m. Willielmi Covert.
9. p. m. Willielmi Felton generosi.
10. p. m. Juliane que fuit uxor Edmundi Sha militis.

13–16 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Smyth Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. De possessionibus Johannis Godston nuper de Reynham in com. Essex. armigeri fatui lunatici furiosi et mentis confracti* (14 Hen. VII.).
2. Alia inquisitio de possessionibus ejusdem Johannis.
3. p. m. Ricardi Lee (14 Hen. VII.).
4. p. m. Thome Ferrers cheveler.
5. p. m. Margarete Churcheyard vidue nuper uxoris Edwardi Kelom armigeri.
6. p. m. Oliveri Seynt John armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Godstone.
8. p. m. Thomasie Hopton vidue.
9. p. m. Elizabethe nuper uxoris Willielmi Stanley militis. (*Essex.*)
10. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
11. p. m. Johannis Rykyls nuper de Eslingham in comitatu Kanc. gentilman.
12. p. m. Johannis Scrop militis.
13. p. m. Johannis Acton de comitatu Salop gentylman.

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* In pede inquisitionis:—
Vacat ista inquisitio ex precepto Baronum ob insufficienciam ejusdem, et alia sufficiens inquisitio coram dicto escaetore de premissis capta est ut patet in eadem huic proximo annexa.

14. De possessionibus Thome filii et heredis Johannis Gippe nuper de Navestoke in comitatu Essex. yeoman, idiote.

15. De possessionibus Johannis Radclyff nuper de Attilburgh in comitatu Norff. militis alias dicti Johannis Radclyff militis domini Fitzwater attincti.

16. p. m. Johannis Hevenyngham militis (15 Hen. VII.).

17. p. m. Willielmi Marowe armigeri.

18. p. m. Thome Leventhorp. (*Essex.*)

19. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)

20. p. m. Thome Cotton.

21. p. m. Willielmi Tenderyng armigeri (16 Hen. VII.).

22. p. m. Thome Shelley de London mercer.

23. p. m. Willielmi Trussell militis.

24. De possessionibus Willielmi Barley nuper de Albury in comitatu Essex. armigeri.

17–19 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Cooke armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi nuper comitis Wiltes et p. m. Elizabethe nuper uxoris Thome Cheyne militis (17 Hen. VII.).

2. p. m. Thome Marchionis Dors. (18 Hen. VII.).

3. p. m. Johannis Gerveys gentilman.

4. p. m. Willielmi Marowe armigeri.

5. p. m. Willielmi Marchionis Berkeley. (*Essex.* 19 Hen. VII.).

6. Copia abbreviata ejusdem inquisitionis.

21 *Hen. VII.*—1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Steyke Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Colet nuper de London militis (*Essex.* 21 Hen. VII.)

2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)

3. p. m. Thome Floyde.

4. p. m. Thome Frowyk militis nuper Capitalis Justiciarii domini Regis de Communi Banco (22. Hen. VII.).

5. p. m. Thome Pulteney militis.

6. p. m. Radulphi Josselyn.

7. p. m. Thome Mounteney armigeri.

8. p. m. Andree Prior.

9. p. m. Henrici Warner armigeri.

10. p. m. Johannis Cornewalis.

11. p. m. Reginaldi Bismere.

12. p. m. Johannis Trussell filii et heredis Edwardi Trussell armigeri. (*Essex.*)

13. Alia inquisitio p. m. ejusdem. (*Essex*).

14. p. m. Willielmi Marowe gentilman.

15. De possessionibus prioratus, monasterii, domus et ecclesie Sancti Johannis Baptiste conventualis canonicorum de Bikenaker, que devenerunt domino Regi tanquam escaeta ratione mortis Edmundi Godyng ultimi Prioris, qui obiit absque aliquo conventu canonicorum, aut aliquo canonico in prioratu extunc existente.

16. p. m. Cristine Botyll nuper uxoris Thome Darell (23 Hen. VII.).

17. p. m. Cristine uxoris Roberti Tyrell militis et quondam uxoris Edwardi Makwilliam armigeri.

18. p. m. Humfridi Tyrell armigeri.

19. De possessionibus Willielmi Water nuper de Hatfeld Regis yoman ideote.

20. p. m. Johannis Berdefeld armigeri.

21. De possessionibus Edwardi nuper Comitis Warr. de Warrewyk in comitatu Warr. attincti.

22. p. m. Nicholai Baryngton (24 Hen. VII.).

23. p. m. Jacobi Kelam generosi (1 Hen. VIII.).

24. p. m. Rogeri Lyghtfote et Agnetis uxoris ejus.

25. p. m. Thome Bawde militis.

26. p. m. Christoferi Hawes civis et aldermanni London.

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Bradbury Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Clementis Naylynghurst armigeri.

2. p. m. Thome Bradbury. (*Essex.*)

3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)

4. p. m. Henrici Teye militis.

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Mattok Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Baker generosi.

2. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Pownd vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Pownd militis.

3. p. m. Domine Katerine Langley vidue.

4. p. m. Margarete nuper Comitisse Richemond. et Derb.

5. p. m. Thome Leventhorp nuper de Whethamsted in Hertf. gentilman.

3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Frowyk armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1 p. m. Johannis Leventhorp armigeri. (*Essex.*)

2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)

2. p. m. Johannis Bury.

4. p. m. Johannis Rysley militis.

5. De manerio sive dominio de Waltham sancte Crucis.

6. De possessionibus Francisci Lovell Vicecomitis Lovell attincti anno primo Hen. VII., proficua quorum possessionum Johannes Comes Oxon percepit.

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4-5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Clovyle armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Seynt John nuper de Ewell in comitatu Surr. armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Ferres militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Aspelon.
4. p. m. Roberti Corbet militis. (*Essex.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
6. p. m. Thome Tyrell militis.
7. p. m. Johannis Comitis Oxon. (*Essex.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
9. De possessionibus Thome nuper Comitis Sar.
10. Transcriptum ejusdem.
11. *Vide* Inquisitiones in Com. Cant. et Hunt. de ann. 4 et 5 Hen. VIII.

5-6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Turbervyle armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Clovyle armigeri.
2. p. m. Roberti Southwell militis.
3. p. m. Margarete Bewpre et Nicholai Bewpre.
4. p. m. Johannis Berdfeld junioris filii Thome Berdfeld et consanguinei et heredis Johannis Berdefeld armigeri defuncti.
5. p. m. Willielmi Browne junioris civis et aldermanni London.
6. p. m. Thome Cheyne militis.
7. p. m. Thome Fitz Williams armigeri.

6-7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Puryent Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7-8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Knyghton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—26 Nov. 7—12 Nov. 8 Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Imperfect*).

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Capell militis. (*Essex.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
3. p. m. Domine Matilde Ferrers alias dicte Matilde Agard.
4. p. m. Ricardi Welbek.
5. p. m. Edwardi Sulyard armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Hanchet.
7. p. m. Andree Hanchet.
8. De dampno domino Regi vel al. per concessionem manerii de Piriton alias Odynsellys, &c.

8-9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Makwilliam armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Fyndern militis.
2. p. m. Humfridi Torell armigeri.
3. p. m. Agnetis Morton vidue. (*Essex.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
5. p. m. Elizabethe Chamberleyn vidue.
6. p. m. Thome Purfote.
7. p. m. Agnetis Leventhorp nuper uxoris Thome Leventhorp. (*Essex.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
9. p. m. Petri Cristmas.
10. p. m. Johannis Cooke armigeri.
11. p. m. Ricardi Alen nuper de Hadley.
12. p. m. Willielmi Alen nuper de Raylegh.

9-10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Sakvyle armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Cotton nuper de Lanwade in comitatu Cantebr. militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Fortescu armigeri. (*Essex.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
4. p. m. Ricardi Harper junioris armigeri filii et heredis Ricardi Harper senioris armigeri.
5. p. m. Roberti Peyton militis.
6. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Screne vidue.
7. p. m. Ricardi Harper senioris armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Broughton armigeri.
9. p. m. Ricardi Braughyng senioris.
10. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Cobbeham nuper uxoris Roberti Sowthwell militis defuncti, ac postea uxoris Thome Cobbeham militis domini de Cobbeham.
11. p. m. Johannis Goldyngham senioris armigeri.
12. p. m. Margerie Hobbard.
13. p. m. Elizabethe Scrop vidue.
14. p. m. Willielmi Litton armigeri.

10-11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Skypwith armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Alicie nuper domine Morley.
2. p. m. Johannis Browghton armigeri.
3. p. m. Hugonis Oldhom nuper Exon. episcopi.

4. p. m. Edwardi Bensted militis.
5. p. m. Roberti Neuporte armigeri.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Aleyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Humfridi Gatton nuper de Saunford in le Hope in comitatu Essex gentilman.
2. p. m. Ricardi Gery nuper de Royston in comitatu Cantebr.
3. p. m. Henrici Patmere nuper de London draper. (*Essex.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
5. p. m. Katerine Marshall.
6. p. m. Roberti Newport armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Cristmas nuper de Colcestria merchaunt.

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Poyntz Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Bartholomei Wyndowte armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Cutte militis. (*Essex.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
4. p. m. Cecilie Bedell vidue.
5. p. m. Willielmi Clopton armigeri.
6. De possessionibus Edwardi Ducis Bukyngham nuper de Thornebery in comitatu Glouc.

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Andrei Edmonds armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Domine Margarete Tey vidue.
2. p. m. Edmundi Gelget generosi.
3. p. m. Ricardi Bolles armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Laurence de Neuswelles.
5. p. m. Edmundi Felton.
6. p. m. Roberti Sorell.
7. p. m. Roberti Yngoo generosi.
8. p. m. Johannis Colett clerici.
9. p. m. Johannis Norreys.
10. p. m. Willielmi Tyrwhit militis.
11. p. m. Johannis Marshall armigeri.
12. p. m. Willielmi Barlee armigeri. (*Essex.*)
13. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
14. p. m. Johannis Colt armigeri.
15. p. m. Johannis Spencer militis.
16. p. m. Radulphi Latham.
17. De terris in Langdon et Horndon on the Hill cuidam monasterio spectantibus.

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Clyfford civis et merceri London et Isabelle uxoris ejus quam Johannes Ver miles vicecomes comitatuum Essex et Hertf. in crastino clausi Pasche anno 17 Regis nunc Henrici viij retornavit . . . executricem testamenti Johannis Sayer nuper Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—28 Nov. 14— . . Nov. 15 Hen. VIII.—50 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Franke armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Fenrother nuper Civis et Aldermanni London.
2. p. m. Thome Fyndern armigeri.
3. De possessionibus in comitatu Essex, quas Johannes Digon olim Magister Hospitalis Capelle sive Cantarie de Melton juxta Gravysende in comitatu Kanc. tenuit.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Strangman armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus [16]—[ ] 17 Hen. VIII.—11 m. (*Fragmentum.*) The lower portion perfect for Hertford.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Sawyer armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Barley armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Marny militis nuper domini Marny.
4. p. m. Alicie Cotton vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Cotton.
5. p. m. Johannis Josselyn armigeri.
6. p. m. Radulphi Verney junioris militis.

Inquisitiones de possessionibus domorum religiosorum dissolutorum, viz.:—

7. Prioratus Sancti Benedicti in Stanesgate.
8. Prioratus Sancti Augustini in Thoby.
9. Prioratus Sancti Augustini in Typtre.
10. Prioratus Sancti Augustini in Blakamore. (*Essex.*)
11. Ejusdem monasterii. (*Hertf.*)
12. Abbatie Sancti Augustini in Liesnes in comitatu Kanc.
13. Prioratus Sancti Augustini in Wykes.
14. De alienatione tenementi, &c., in Thundersle.

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Warner Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Foster armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Shelley armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Poynez armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Scott armigeri.

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4. p. m. Johannis Barrett armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Tyler militis.
6. p. m. Rogeri Darcy armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Cutte militis.
8. De possessionibus Edmundi Shaa armigeri lunatici.
9. De possessionibus Prioratus Sancti Benedicti in Horkesley parva dissoluti.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Aleyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Leventhorp armigeri. (*Essex.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Waldegrave militis.
4. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis.
5. p. m. Nicholai Archer nuper de parochia de parva Heny.
6. p. m. Johannis Strangeman et Marie Strangeman nuper uxoris ejusdem Johannis Strangeman filie et heredis Roberti Ingoo.
7. p. m. Georgii Waldegrave armigeri.

De possessionibus domorum religiosorum dissolutorum, viz.:—

8. Prioratus monialium apud Pray.
9. Prioratus Sancti Augustini in Blakamore.
10. Abbatie Sancti Augustini in Lyesnes in comitatu Kanc.
11. Prioratus Sancti Augustini in Typtre.
12. Prioratus Sancti Augustini in Wykys.
13. De terris manerio de Downhall pertinentibus, datis Capelle de Rayle sine licentia Regis.

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Higham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Cutte armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Cutte militis.

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Francisci Clovyle Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Mordaunt Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Newport Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Harrys armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edmundi Shaa armigeri.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Brokett armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. De prioratu de Latton dissoluto.
2. De eodem prioratu.

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Hyde Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Kempe Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Edmonds Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Brokett armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Hanchett generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Hevenyngham militis.

31–32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Skypwyth Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Radulphi Rowlett junioris generosi Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Averell nuper de London goldsmyth.
2. p. m. Ricardi Wood nuper de Bromefeld generosi.
3. p. m. Antonii Hygham generosi.
4. p. m. Ricardi Ratclyffe armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Sulyard militis nuper unius consiliariorum Regis.
6. p. m. Thome Fyche generosi.
7. p. m. Edwardi Chamberleyn militis.
8. p. m. Thome Pulteney militis.

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Brokett armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Bury armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Griffini Dune militis.
2. De possessionibus Thome Philpott lunatici filii et heredis Petri Philpott militis.

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Smyth armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Christofori Roydon generosi.
2. p. m. Lawrencii Vese de Brentwood generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Cowman generosi.
4. p. m. Thome Knyghton de Bayforde in comitatu Hertf. armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Baker.
6. p. m. Willielmi Bowyer militis.
7. p. m. Edwardi Aylnott armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Rysshton armigeri servientis ad legem.
9. p. m. Marie Cary nuper uxoris Willielmi Stafford armigeri filie et sole heredis Thome nuper Comitis Wiltes ac Ormonde.
10. p. m. Willielmi Stydolle generosi.
11. p. m. Thome Addyngton civis et pelliparii London.
12. p. m. Willielmi Ellys.
13. De possessionibus Stephani Hassenbergh alienigene exeuntis extra regnum sine licentia Regis.

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Heigham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Hawse alias Chamber.
2. p. m. Johannis Lymsey armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti Foster de Litylbirche in comitatu Essex armigeri.
4. p. m. Briani Tuke militis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Myllward alias Alexander. (*Hertf.* 37 Hen. VIII.)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.* 38 Hen. VIII.)
7. p. m. Henrici Audeley.
8. p. m. Johannis Shawarden generosi.
9. p. m. Willielmi Haidon.
10. p. m. Radulphi Verney militis.

38 *Hen. VIII.*—1 *Edw.* VI.—Compotus Willielmi Ayloffe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Prest armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardi Heigham armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Garrard generosi.
4. p. m. Ricardi Long militis.
5. p. m. Ricardi Breme armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Cannon civis et mercatoris scissoris London.
7. p. m. Pauli Withipoule civis et mercatoris scissoris London.
8. p. m. Johannis Seyntclere militis.
9. p. m. Caroli Tuke armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Maxey generosi.

1–2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Chisshull armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Fan generosi.
2. p. m. Bartholomei Barons de London mercer.
3. p. m. Willielmi Aprice generosi.
4. p. m. Johanne Freer vidue.
5. p. m. Francisci Pulteney armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Denham militis.
7. p. m. Petri Cutt armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Broke.
9. p. m. Johannis Goldyng armigeri.

2–3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Edwardi Bury armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Humfridi Terrell armigeri.
2. p m. Johannis Elton de Cosall in comitatu Notyngh. et Alicie Elton uxoris ejus coheredis Johannis Godston nuper de Warlefrankys.
3. p. m. Willielmi Garland generosi.
4. p. m. Ricardi Jenour armigeri.
5. p. m. Petri Cutt armigeri.
6. p. m. Radulphi Stepneth armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Legatt senioris nuper de Hornechurch valetti Corone Regis.

3–4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Smyth armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Jacobi Michell nuper de Estgrenewiche in comitatu Kanc. generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Byrche.
3. p. m. Walteri Cely generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Stane de Packylsam.
5. p. m. Galfridi Lukyn.
6. p. m. Willielmi Browne armigeri.
7. p. m. Anthonii Denny militis. (*Essex.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
9. p. m. Willielmi Roche militis.
10. p. m. Willielmi Bradbury armigeri. (*Essex.*)
11. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)

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4–5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Forster armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Clementis Harleston militis.
2. p. m. Marie Horssey.
3. p. m. Johannis Gardyner armigeri.
4. p. m. Henrici Parker nuper de Berden armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Hunte.
6. p. m. Thome Paston militis.
7. p. m. Alicie Salyng.
8. p. m. Johannis Shelley armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Reston clerici.
10. p. m. Alexandri Chibborn de Orsett armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Lukyn generosi.
12. p. m. Johannis Fyloll generosi.
13. p. m. Willielmi Lunsforthe armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Holmested.
15. p. m. Walteri Scott armigeri.
16. p. m. Marie Higham vidue.
17. p. m. Antonii Brugge generosi.
18. p. m. Johannis Elton generosi.
19. p. m. Johannis Bronn armigeri. (*Essex.*)
20. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.*)
21. p. m. Ricardi White generosi.
22. p. m. Willielmi Marche armigeri.
23. De possessionibus Edwardi Naylynghurst lunatici.

5–6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Seyntclere armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Pirton militis.
2. p. m. Marie Higham nuper uxoris Ricardi Higham et quondam uxoris Johannis Colte armigeri.
3. p. m. Morgani Phelipp alias dicti Morgani Wolffe.
4. p. m. Johannis Core civis et groceri London.
5. p. m. Robarti Flyngaunt generosi.
6. p. m. Edwardi Leventhorp armigeri. (*Essex.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Hertf.* 3 m.)

6–7 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Teye armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Osborne generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Marche generosi.
3. p. m. Domine Johanne Dennye vidue nuper uxoris Anthonii Dennye militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Coker junioris.
5. p. m. Arthuri Clerk generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Tendring yoman.
7. p. m. Johannis Cary militis.
8. p. m. Johannis Warner generosi.
9. p. m. Clementis Smyth.

1 *Mar.*—1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Francisci Barley armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Newport senioris de Sandon in comitatu Hertf. armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Averell.
3. p. m. Thome Ayloff armigeri.
4. p. m. Reginaldi Whitebrede generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Addyngton armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Moryce armigeri.
7. De idiocia Randulphi Addyngton.
8. p. m. Johannis Bowgham nuper de London pandoxatoris.
9. p. m. Jacobi Clovyle generosi.

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Swallowe armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Elizabethe Stane.
2. p. m. Willielmi Goodwyn armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti Coker.
4. p. m. Thome Tyrell generosi.
5. p. m. Roberti Tyrrell nuper de Burbroke armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Comitis Bed.
7. p. m. Ricardi Stane.
8. p. m. Willielmi Coker nuper de Haseleigh in comitatu Essex yoman, qui pro diversis heresiis et falsis opinionibus apud civitatem Cantuar. combustus fuit usque ad mortem. (*Essex.*)
9. Alia inquisitio p. m. Ejusdem Willielmi. (*Essex*).
10. p. m. Johannis Cutte militis.

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Roberti Harrys armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Sponer nuper de Markyshall in comitatu Essex generosi.
2. p. m. Henrici Grubbe.
3. p. m. Cristofori Alleyn armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Taverner armigeri.

5. p. m. Johannis Shawrden.

6. p. m. Jacobi Gedge nuper de Shenfeld in parochia de Gingmergeret armigeri filii et heredis Margarete nuper uxoris . . . . . London et nuper uxoris Georgii Gyffard de Myddell Claydon in comitatu Buck. militis et consanguinei et unius heredum Johannis Bardefeld senioris quondam de Gingmargeret predicta armigeri defuncti videlicet filie Thome Bardefeld fratris predicti Johannis Bardefeld senioris.

7. p. m. Edwardi Grene militis.

8. p. m. Johannis Coke de London armigeri.

9. p. m. Thome Vaughan generosi.

10. p. m. Edwardi Bowland generosi.

11. p. m. Ricardi Duncombe generosi.

12. p. m. Laurencii Warren civis et auri fabri London.

13. p. m. Willielmi Ibgrave armigeri.

14. p. m. Agnetis Alen.

15. p. m. Johannis Hampden militis.

16. p. m. Ricardi Hassilwoode.

17. p. m. Thome Legat armigeri.

18. p. m. Radulphi Marshall generosi.

19. p. m. Egidii Capell militis.

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Nicholai Bristo [aut Brystowe] Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 3 and 4—7 Feb. 4 and 5 Ph. & Mar.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Forster nuper de Lytylbyrche armigeri.

2. p. m. Rogeri Wentworth armigeri.

3. p. m. Ricardi Page militis.

4. p. m. Francisci Strangman generosi.

5. p. m. Johannis Daniell de Messing armigeri.

6. p. m. Johannis Sammes yoman.

7. p. m. Henrici Warner de Fynchyngfeld generosi.

8. p. m. Johannis Cocke armigeri.

9. p. m. Randulphi Latham de Upmyster armigeri.

10. p. m. Nicholai Clare.

11. p m. Willielmi Harrys.

12. p. m. Johannis Maynard armigeri.

13. Inquisitio de etate probanda Rogeri Scotte filii et heredis Walteri Scotte nuper de Leighes parva generosi defuncti.

4 and 5—5 and 6 *Ph. & Mary.*—Compotus Johannis Wiseman de Felsted armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Darcye prenobilis ordinis garterii militis domini Darcye de Chiche.

2. p. m. Johannis Cockes nuper de Redborne armigeri.

3. p. m. Lanceloti Madeson.

4. p. m. Thome Armiger generosi.

5. p. m. Willielmi Kyrton armigeri.

6. p. m. Willielmi Latham armigeri.

7. p. m. Roberti Rochester militis.

8. p. m. Julini Morgan alias dicti Julini Wolf.

9. p. m. Willielmi Rochester armigeri.

10. p. m. Ricardi Carter.

11. p. m. Johannis Abell.

12. p. m. Rogeri Higham armigeri.

13. p. m. Thome Leigh generosi.

14. p. m. Johannis Brokett militis.

15. p. m. Thome Franke senioris armigeri.

16. p. m. Roberti Ryche armigeri.

17. p. m. Thome Audeley senioris armigeri.

18. p. m. Johannis Sakevyle armigeri.

19. p. m. Johannis Haselwoode.

20. p. m. Thome Penne armigeri.

21. p. m. Thome Lawrence.

22. p. m. Willielmi Mannock armigeri.

23. p. m. Antonii Hevenyngham militis.

24. p. m. Ricardi Hardekyn generosi.

25. p. m. Ricardi Stane.

26. p. m. Thome Cornewall generosi.

27. De occisione cervorum &c. sine warranto per Ricardum Barnes forestarium sive custodem infra forestam Regis et Regine de Waltham. Item de destructione boscorum &c.

1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Kenelmi Throgmorton Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Wyseman de Canfeld armigeri.

2. p. m. Stephani Beckingham armigeri.

3. p. m. Johannis Wyseman de Felsted armigeri.

4. p. m. Edwardi Elrington armigeri.

5. p. m. Willielmi Hunte.

6. p. m. Georgii Browne armigeri.

7. p. m. Georgii Stoneard armigeri.

8. p. m. Johannis Lynsell nuper de Roxwell generosi.

9. p. m. Willielmi Barners.

10. p. m. Roberti Fannyng yeoman.

11. p. m. Thome Ibgrave armigeri.

12. p. m. Hugonis Denys armigeri.

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13. p. m. Edwardi Breame.
14. p. m. Georgii Maxey generosi.
15. p. m. Willielmi Harres armigeri.
16. p. m. Anne Darcey vidue.
17. p. m. Willielmi Heigham armigeri.
18. p. m. Johannis Hasteler.
19. p. m. Willielmi Belfeld generosi.
20. p. m. Ricardi Morryson militis.
21. p. m. Elizabethe Bedyngfeld que fuit uxor Roberti Bedingfield armigeri et antea uxor Thome Darcy senioris armigeri.

7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Stepneth Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Baker armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Miller senioris nuper de Takeley.
2. p. m. Henrici Gardener nuper de London fyshmonger.
3. p. m. Willielmi Roke generosi.
4. p. m. Rogeri Apulton armigeri.
5. p. m. Georgii Cristemas nuper de Colcester armigeri.
6. p. m. Radulphi Stepneth generosi.

8–9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Ferrers armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Waylett.
2. p. m. Willielmi Pragill de Westham.
3. p. m. Stephani Wyseman nuper de Magna Waltham generosi.
4. p. m. Roberti Bragg de Bulmer yoman.
5. p. m. Ricardi Haselwood.
6. p. m. Edwardi Leventhorp armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Browne armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Stubbing.
9. p. m. Johannis Lyttell.
10. p. m. Michaelis Powltney armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Cole de Markeshall armigeri.
12. p. m. Thome Myldmaye armigeri.

10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Hunte armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti More generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Tey armigeri.
3. p. m. Anthonii Broune militis nuper unius justiciarorum Regine de Communi Banco, et post mortem domine Johanne nuper uxoris ejusdem Anthonii.
4. p. m. Ricardi Stocke de Ugley yoman.
5. p. m. Willielmi Clopton de Lyston armigeri.
6. p. m. Cecilie Hunter nuper uxoris Johannis Hunter preantea uxoris Gerardi Harman generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Wentworthe de Gosfelde militis.

11–12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Christoferi Allen armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Burrell armigeri.
2. p. m. Nicholai Hunt armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Cardinall armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Maynard aldermani ville Colcestr.
5. p. m. Johannis Harleston armigeri.

[16–17] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Cooke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17–18 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Cock armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 17—6 Feb. 18 Eliz.—8 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[18–19] *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Stonarde armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[20–21] *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Ram armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

21–22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Pulter armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 17 Dec. 21—17 Dec. 22 Eliz.—7m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[22-23] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Grimesdiche armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23–24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Radulphi Ratclif armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 9 Dec. 23—9 Dec. 24 Eliz.—7 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24–25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Beckingham armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 17 Dec. 24—17 Dec. 25 Eliz.—7 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[26–27] *Eliz.*—Compotus Nicholai Bashe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Francke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus· 16 Dec. 27—28 Nov. 28 Eliz.—3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[28–29] *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Curle armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

29–30 *Eliz.*—Compotus Philippi Glascock armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 29 Nov. 29—3 Jan. 30 Eliz.—3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[30–31] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Wallenger armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[32–33] *Eliz.*—Compotus Anthonii Barland armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Meade armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Dec. 33—12 Dec. 34 Eliz.—3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[34–35] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Morrison armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 [*Jac. I.*].—Compotus Ricardi Freeman armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 8—28 Nov. 9. Jac. I.—1 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments consisting of 2 membranes.

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1–2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Tame Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 5 Nov. 1—5 Nov. 2 Hen. VII.—13 m. Item Duplicamentum veterum escaetarum.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Leversegge.
2. p. m. Walteri Heron de Tedbury.
3. p. m. Henrici Ferrers clerici.
4. p. m. Johannis Derherst.
5. p. m. Johannis domini Stourton.
6. p. m. Rogeri Kemys armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Arundell militis.
8. p. m. Johanne Barre vidue.
9. p. m. Ricardi Forster nuper de parva Sodbury armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Slawghter.
11. p. m. Johannis Wykes.
12 & 13. Duo brevia de concedendo officio Escaetoris eidem Willielmo Tame.
14. Breve de restitutione terrarum Henrici Ferrers clerici.

[2–3] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Stephani Stone Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Lewelyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 4 Nov. 3—6 Nov. 4. Hen. VII.—10 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Wykes.
2. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis.
3. p. m. Thome Beaumont.
4. De possessionibus Johannis Kendall de alta prodicione attincti.

4–5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Edmundi Mulle Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 6 Nov. 4—6 Nov. 5 Hen. VII.—9 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Langley armigeri.
2. p. m. Roberti Basset.
3. p. m. Isabelle filie Johannis Barre que fuit uxor Humfridi Stafforde nuper Comitis Devon defuncti nuper filii et heredis Willielmi Stafford armigeri dudum uxor Thome Bourghchier senioris militis filii Henrici nuper Comitis Essex.

[5–6] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Stephani Stoon armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Marston Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 5 Nov. 6—5 Nov. 7 Hen. VII.—8 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Walteri Brokhampton.
2. p. m. De precio bonorum et catallorum utlagatorum.

7–8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Edmundi* Mull Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 5 Nov. 7—18 Nov. 8 Hen. VII.—14 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elizabethe Seyntemounde nuper uxoris Roberti Tocotes militis.
2. p. m. Thome Bourghchier senioris militis.
3. p. m. Thome Lovet.
4. p. m. Willielmi Lucy militis.
5. p. m. Edwardi Vicecomitis Lisle.
6. p. m. Johannis Seymour armigeri.
7. p. m. Willielmi Marchionis Berkeley.

9 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Freme Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10–20 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Grenehill Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Devereux domini Ferrers.
2. p. m. Johannis Lynnet.
3. p. m. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis.
4. p. m. Thome Geffrey.
5. p. m. Johannis Wroughton armigeri (13 Hen. VII.).
6. p. m. Roberti Twysill (17 Hen. VII.).
7. p. m. Roberti Russell armigeri (18 Hen. VII.).
8. p. m. Edmundi Langley.
9. p. m. Edmundi et Walteri Langley.
10. p. m. Davidis Mathewe (19 Hen. VII.).
11. p. m. Cecilie nuper uxoris Johannis Josselyn armigeri.
12. p. m. Johannis Arthur.
13. p. m. Thome Higford armigeri.

21 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Freme Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[21–22] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Grenehill Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Huntley Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 6 Nov. 22—21 Apr. 24 Hen. VII.—23 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Tracy.

* Sometimes called Robert in the Inquisitions.

2. p. m. Willielmi Harward.
3. p. m. Henrici Weston.
4. p. m. Roberti Basset.
5. p. m. Cristofori Wyncote.
6. p. m. Thome Rouse.
7. p. m. Willielmi Bele.
8. p. m. Roberti Halle.
9. p. m. Johannis Vampage.
10. p. m. Ricardi George.
11. p. m. Thome Lygon.
12. p. m. Thome Hawkyns.
13. p. m. Johannis Mompesson armigeri.
14. De quibusdam possessionibus Willielmi nuper Marchionis Berkeley.
15. p. m. Willielmi Juyn.
16. p. m. Thome Archard.
17. p. m. Hugonis Beamount armigeri.
18. p. m. Thome Somervile armigeri.
19. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxor Edmundi Gorges.
20. p. m. Willielmi Twynyo armigeri.
21. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis.
22. p. m. Willielmi Vele.
23. De possessionibus Thome Ive lunatici.
24. De possessionibus Simonis Mountfort nuper de Colshull in comitatu Warr. militis attincti.
25. De valore bonorum Johannis Greyle utlagati.

1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Huntley Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 30 Jul.—29 Nov. 1 Hen. VIII. —12 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Rede nuper de Bodyngton generosi.
2. p. m. Domine Alicie Berkeley vidue nuper uxoris Edwardi Berkeley militis defuncti.
3. p. m. Willielmi Cassy junioris gentilman.

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Yate Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Elyngbrigge et Johannis Elyngbrigge filii ejusdem Thome.
2. p. m. Alicie Codryngton vidue.
3. p. m. Johannis Burnell nuper de Chepyng Sobbury gentilman.
4. p. m. Thome Bythewey filii et heredis Johannis Bythewey.
5. p. m. Johannis Norwode.
6. p. m. Johannis Draycote alias Tanner.
7. p. m. Johannis Roberts de Erlyngham yoman.
8. p. m. Ricardi Weeley.
9. p. m. Johanne Hamond nuper uxoris Laurencii Hamond.
10. p. m. Thome Mill.
11. p. m. Laurencii Teste.
12. p. m. Margarete Cheyny vidue (capta apud Cirencestr).
13. p. m. Ejusdem (capta apud Durseley).
14. p. m. Willielmi Thorp filii Johannis Thorp.
15. De possessionibus quas Thomas nuper abbas Monasterii de Malmysbury in comitatu Wiltes tenuit.
16. De possessionibus in Neynton et Baggepath concessis Monasterio de Bradenestoke in comitatu Wiltes.
17. De manerio de Sesyncote quod Edwardus Greveile secundo die Junii anno primo Hen. VIII. intravit et "Ricardum Empson virtute doni totaliter expulit."

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Egidii Basset armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 28 Nov. 2—28 Nov. 3 Hen. VIII.—13 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Burnell de Yate.
2. p. m. Katerine Ogan nuper uxoris Henrici Ogan.
3. p. m. Georgii Polen.

[3–4] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Kemys armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Lygon senioris de Matrisfeld in comitatu Wygorn armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Olyffe.
3. p. m. Ricardi Beauchamp domini Beauchamp militis.
4. p. m. Egidii Brugge militis.
5. p. m. Alexandri Bradwey.
6. p. m. Edmundi Gorges militis.
7. p. m. Isabelle Norton.
8. p. m. Ricardi Lynnet.
9. p. m. Thome Ive.
10. p. m. Rogeri Norwodde armigeri.

[4–5] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Porter Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Ralegh militis.
2. p. m. Walteri Rowdun.
3. p. m. Cristofori Throkemerton armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Berkeley armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Burnell nuper de Chepyng Sobbury gentilman.
6 & 7. Duo brevia tangentia compotum Escaetoris.

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5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Huntley, Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 11 Nov. 5—15 Nov. 6 Hen. VIII.—5 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Morton militis.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Tylney.
3. p. m. Willielmi Grevell nuper unius Justiciariorum Regis de communi Banco.
4. De exitibus diversorum maneriorum et aliarum possessionum in comitatu Glouc. et March. Wall. de quibus idem Johannes Huntley Escaetor ibidem onerat se.

[6–7] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Throkmorton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Ayleworth.
2. p. m. Elizabethe que fuit uxor Edwardi Staneley de Monntegle militis ac nuper uxor Thome Cokesey militis defuncti.
3. p. m. Edmundi Wykys armigeri.
4. De manerio de Lyttylton super Sabrinam &c. monasterio de Malmysbury in comitatu Wiltes spectante.

[7–8] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Poole armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 9 Nov. 7—5 Nov. 8 Hen. VIII.—27 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Vampage armigeri.
2. p. m. Margarete Bruges vidue.
3. p. m. Johannis Stanshawe.
4. De possessionibus Johannis Kendale nuper Secretarii Ricardo nuper Duci Glouc. attincti (anno 1 Hen. VII.) concessis Willielmo Trefry uni generosorum hostiariorum Camere Regis.

[8–9] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Antonii Bradston armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Scrope de Castelcombe in comitatu Wiltes militis.
2. p. m. Agnetis Jeochym vidue.

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Wye armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 10 Nov. 9—10 Nov. 10 Hen. VIII.—22 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Eustachii [Fitzherbert gent.].
2. p. m. Christofori Savage armigeri.
3. p. m. Henrici Ogan gentilman.
4. p. m. Ricardi Pole armigeri
5. p. m. Johannis Paunssefote armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Roudun.
7. p. m. Edwardi Willoughby armigeri.

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Porter Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 10 Nov. 10—14 Nov. 11 Hen. VIII.—16 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Alicie Denys vidue nuper uxoris Walteri Denys militis.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Comitisse Kildar nuper uxoris Geraldi Comitis Kildar.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Shepward generosi Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Hathewaye generosi.
2. Breve tangens eandem inquisitionem.

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Hunteley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem [ ] 12– [ ] 13 Hen. VIII.—4 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johanne Huddilston.
2. p. m. Johannis Daunt generosi.
3. p. m. Thome Smert generosi.
4. p. m. Margerie Daunt vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Daunt generosi defuncti.
5. p. m. Roberti Poyntz militis
6. De possessionibus Edwardi Ducis Buckingham nuper de Thornebury attincti.
7. De valore bonorum et catallorum ejusdem Edwardi nuper Ducis Buk, de quibus idem Escaetor onerat se.

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Godrych Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 2 Nov. 13—2 Nov. 14 Hen. VIII.—9 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Walteri Yate armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. [2] Nov. 14—[12] Nov. 15 Hen. VIII.—17 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.*

1. p. m. Johannis Broke nuper unius servientis Regis ad legem.
2. p. m. Thome Coke nuper de civitate Nove Sar. in comitatu Wiltes mercatoris.
3. p. m. Roberti Willughby militis domini Broke.
4. p. m. Willielmi Morton.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Walteri Wynston armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 13 Nov. 15—23 Nov. 16 Hen. VIII.—16 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Prince.
2. p. m. Willielmi Kyngescote generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Ayleworth generosi.
4. p. m. Willielmi Trye armigeri.

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* In the Pouch with the Account.

5. p. m. Johannis Cole.
6. p. m. Alexandri Baynam militis.
7. p. m. Cristoferi Pyard nuper de Trubrige in comitatu Wiltes clothmaker.
8. p. m. Willielmi Biford senioris.
9. p. m. Elizabethe Newton vidue nuper uxoris Ricardi Newton armigeri defuncti.
10. p. m. Mauricii Berkley de Barkley militis domini Barkley.
11. p. m. Willielmi Sturton de Sturton militis.
12. De terris in Berkeley &c. perquisitis per Johannem nuper Abbatem monasterii Sancti Augustini juxta Bristoll.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Anne Shipward nuper uxoris et executricis testamenti Georgii Shipward defuncti nuper Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 23 Nov. 16—17 Feb. 17 Hen. VIII.—16 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Lucy militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Butler nuper de magna Badmynton armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Thorp nuper de Waynnyswell armigeri.

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Huntley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 17 Feb. 17—27 Nov. 18 Hen. VIII.—19 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Busshe.
2. p. m. Johannis Staunton generosi.
3. p. m. Edwardi Trye de Hardwyk armigeri.
4. p. m. Edwardi Twynyho.
5. p. m. Johannis Joselyn armigeri.

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Arthuri Porter Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 28 Nov. 18—28 Nov. 19 Hen. VIII.—11 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Wye Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 28 Nov. 19—28 Nov. 20 Hen. VIII.—18 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Tracy.
2. p. m. Johannis Beynam armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Zouche armigeri.
4. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Bayneham vidue.
5. p. m. Thome Staunton generosi.

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Rede armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 3 Dec. 20—15 Apr. 21 Hen. VIII.—17 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Leonardi Cassy nuper existentis in custodia Regis ratione minoris etatis.
2. p. m. Francisci Poyntz militis.
3. p. m. Edwardi Grevile militis.
4. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis.

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Weston armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 15 Apr. 21—[27 Nov.] 22 Hen. VIII.—18 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Christofori Tolly.
2. p. m. Alexandri Sempere.
3. p. m. Johannis Joachym.
4. p. m. Antonii Twynyho filii et heredis Edwardi Twynyho armigeri.
5. p. m. Margarete Vaneck vidue.

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Huntley Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 27 Nov. 22—22 Nov. 23 Hen. VIII.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Tracy de Todyngton armigeri.

[23–24] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Hugonis Denys armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Dastyn armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Fitz Gerald militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Zouche armigeri.
4. p. m. Alianore Stafford vidue nuper uxoris Edwardi Stafford nuper Ducis Buk.

24–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Barkeley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 25 Nov. 24—2 Dec. 25 Hen. VIII.—16 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Domine Anne Seyntleger unius filiarum et heredum Thome nuper Comitis Ormond.
2. p. m. Willielmi Gilbert nuper Abbatis de Bruton in comitatu Somers.

25–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Brayn armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 2 Dec. 25—[21 Nov.] 26 Hen. VIII.—12 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Hugonis Yonge.
2. p. m. Thome Massynger.
3. p. m. Georgii Twesyll.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Antonii Bradston armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 21 Nov. 26—21 Nov. 27 Hen. VIII.—18 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Rogeri Wynter armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome a Morgan generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Davis nuper de Durseley generosi.
4. p. m. Willielmi Denys militis.

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Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Straunge.
2. p. m. Willielmi Milys.
3. p. m. Thome Lytilton armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Yonge filii et propinquioris heredis Edmundi Yonge.
5. p. m. Johannis Poope senioris.
6. p. m. Willielmi Throkmorton armigeri.

28-29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Weston armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 2 Dec. 28—21 Nov. 29 Hen. VIII.—19 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Andelet armigeri.
2. p. m. Rogeri Capys.
3. p. m. Willielmi Clynton armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome domini de Berkley Mowbray et Segraive.

[29-30] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Walshe armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Walsche armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Burnell generosi.
3. p. m. Roberti Somervile armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Burdett armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Bigge nuper de Strode generosi.
6. De manerio et hundredo de Barton Regis juxta Bristoll dimisso Antonio Poyntz militi pro termino annorum.

30-31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Walteri Wynston armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 23 Nov. 30—26 Nov. 31 Hen. VIII.—18 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Snayllam.
2. p. m. Willielmi Ailberton generosi.
3. p. m. Egidii Bradwey de Potteslypp generosi.
4. p. m. Katerine Walshe nuper uxoris Ricardi Walshe generosi ac quondam uxoris Willielmi Freme de Netherlypyate armigeri defuncti.
5. p. m. Ricardi Gylmyn.
6. p. m. Johannis Kemys de Oldebury generosi.
7. p. m. Johanne Broke vidue.

[31-32] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Kemys armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32-33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Lane armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 29 Nov. 32—27 Nov. 33 Hen. VIII.—14 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Sandes militis domini Sandes.
2. p. m. Johannis Payne de Rodborowe generosi.
3. p. m. Isabelle Skudmore.
4. p. m. Roberti Whytney armigeri.
5. p. m. Domine Isabelle Wadham.
6. p. m. Michaelis Asshfeld generosi.

[33-34] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edmundi Escott armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34-35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Davys armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 28 Nov. 34—27 Nov. 35 Hen. VIII.—24 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edmundi Maddock.
2. p. m. Thome Hyett armigeri.
3. p. m. Mathei Bucke generosi.
4. p. m. Antonii Straunge armigeri.
5. p. m. Elizabethe Straunge nuper uxoris Antonii Straunge.
6. p. m. Cristofori Daunce generosi.
7. p. m. Egidii Basset armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Thorpe armigeri.

35-36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Wye armigeri defuncti Escaetoris Regis ibidem per Willielmum Latymer clericum et Johannam Wye viduam executores ejus redditus. 27 Nov. 35—[ ] 36 Hen. VIII.—20 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Motley.
2. p. m. Jacobi Barkeley generosi.
3. p. m. Edmundi Tame militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Kekewyche generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Reede de Boddyngton armigeri.

36-37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Wykis armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Guidonis Dobbyns generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Abyngton.
3. p. m. Willielmi Hardyng.
4. p. m. Jacobi Clyfford de Frampton super Sabrinam armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Arnold armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Whorewood de Putneith in comitatu Surr. armigeri nuper attornati domini Regis generalis.
7. p. m. Johannis Berkeley nuper de Stokegyfford militis.

8. p. m. Laurencii Madocke.
9. p. m. Henrici Whyte de Bristoll.
10. p. m. Roberti Wye armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Lane armigeri.
12. p. m. Johannis Poyntz armigeri.

38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Stumpe Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Throgmorton Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ricardi Tracy armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

2–3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ricardi Pate armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 5 Dec. 2—12 Nov. 3 Edw. VI.—19 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Lynett.
2. p. m. Roberti Wynter armigeri.

4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Radulphi Northwood armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

5–6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Soper armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Mallet armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardi Hampden generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Butler militis.
4. p. m. Willielmi Gyfford militis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Stumpe armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Ketelbye armigeri.
7. p. m. Willielmi Berkeley militis.
8. De possessionibus Ricardi Longeney de Arlyngham yeoman de murderia et felonia convicti.

6 *Edw. VI.*—1 *Mar.*—Compotus Willielmi Bridgeman armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 20 Nov. 6 Edw. VI.—[28 Nov.] 1 Mar.—26 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Dobyns generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Pallmer armigeri.
3. p. m. Edmundi Horne armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Stratforde armigeri.

1 *Mar.*—1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Comp. Willielmi Rede armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 28 Nov. 1 Mar.—[? 28 Nov.] 1 and 2 Ph. & Mar.—22 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.*
1. p. m. Willielmi Whorewood armigeri et domine Anne filie ejus nuper uxoris domini Ambrosii Dudley de alta prodicione attincti.
2. p. m. Roulandi Morton militis.

[2 and 3] *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Henrici Hodgekyns armigeri Escaetoris ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Christoferi George armigeri Escaetoris ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Fowler de Stonhouse generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Brudges armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Predon nuper de Parva Colisburne.
4. p. m. Jacobi Chester marcatoris civitatis Bristoll.
5. p. m. Thome Parry militis.

[? 4–5] *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Strange armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

5–6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Lloyde armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 14 Dec. 5—14 Dec. 6 Eliz.—9 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Lawrenge generosi.
2. p. m. Humfridi Broun militis.
3. p. m. Jacobi Stumpe militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Gifforde armigeri.

6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Wharton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram Thoma Browne armigero deputato Thome Wharton armigeri.
1. p. m. Christoferi Rastell.
2. p. m. Johannis Robbins alias Boccher nuper de Matisdon alias Matson in comitatu civitatis Glouc. generosi.

6–8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Partrige armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 14 Dec. 6—26 Nov. Eliz.—24 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

[8–9] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Attkyns armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Gryvell armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Hale generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Throckmorton militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Lygon nuper de Madresfelde in comitatu Wigorn armigeri.

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Appendix II.

1. Ancient Compotuses of the Exchequer.

Escheators' Accounts and Inquisitions.

Gloucestershire and the Marches of Wales.

4. p. m. Nicholai Walshe armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Bayneham armigeri.

13–14 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Bayneham armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. [13]—[14 Eliz.]—23 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Dodmer nuper de Putney in comitatu Surr. armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Whither.
3. p. m. Willielmi Sanforde.
4. p. m. Johannis Wyndowe senioris de Stanleye yeoman.

[18–19] *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Bayneham armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19–20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Josephi Bayneham armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 26 Jan. 19—28 Mar. 20 Eliz.—35 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem et Christofero George armigeri feodario ipsius Regine.
1. p. m. Philippi Yarworth.
2. p. m. Johannis Goslatte generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Sterneholde.
4. p. m. Johannis Fryce generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Huntley generosi.
6. p. m. Henrici Underhill.
7. p. m. Mori Appowell generosi.
8. p. m. Willielmi Gardener.
9. p. m. Georgii Bonde.
10. p. m. Willielmi Underhill.
11. p. m. Ricardi Stephens armigeri.
12. p. m. Willielmi Monmoth.

[20–21] *Eliz.*—Compotus Simonis Codrington armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inqnisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

21 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Barrowe armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Aylworth generosi.
2. p. m. Dionisii Toppes armigeri.

[22]-23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Stevens armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. [22]-23 Dec. 23 Eliz.—41 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1 p. m. Thome Aileberton generosi.

[23–24] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Goughe armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[25–26] *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Edmund armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Bridgeman armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 18 Feb. 26—18 Feb. 27 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[27–28] *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Basset armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides these there are fragments of accounts, consisting of 8 membranes.

City of Gloucester.

CITY OF GLOUCESTER.

2 *Ric. III.*—Compotus Johannis Caple Majoris et Escaetoris Regis.

1 *Hen. VII.*—Ibidem, 4 Oct. 2 Ric. III.—"Usque diem Lune proximum post festum Sancti Michaelis. [ ] Oct. 1 Hen. VII.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[1–2?] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Francombe Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[?7–8] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Walteri Roundon Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1 p. m. Edwardi nuper Vicecomitis Lisle.

8–9 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Coke Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 1 Oct. 8—30 Sept. 9 Hen. VII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[9–10?] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Caple Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[12–13?] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Walteri Roundun Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13–14 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Philippi Pridith Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 2 Oct. 13—1 Oct. 14 Hen. VII.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Isabelle Neuton nuper uxoris Johannis Neuton militis.

16–17 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Caple Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 5 Oct. 16 usque diem Lune proximum post festum . . . . . 17 Hen. VII.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17–18 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Coke Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 4 Oct. 17—3 Oct. 18 Hen. VII.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1.* p. m. Johannis Gyes militis.
Compotus ejusdem Johannis de veteribus Escaetis pro eodem tempore. 3 m.

18–19 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Walteri Rondun Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 3 Oct. 18—2 Oct. 19 Hen. VII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19–20 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Hanshawe Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 2 Oct. 19—3 Oct. 20 Hen. VII.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[20–21] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Cole Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

21–22 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Gerardi Van Ek Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 6 Oct. 21—5 Oct. 22 Hen. VII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–23 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Teylowe Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 5 Oct. 22—4 Oct. 23 Hen. VII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Lygon.

[23-24] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Coke Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Hanshawe Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[3–4?] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Hartland Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Cooke Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 4 Oct. 4—3 Oct. 5 Hen. VIII.—7 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Walteri Rowdun.
2. p. m. Ricardi Lygon senioris armigeri.
3. p. m. Ricardi Beauchamp.
4. p. m. Edwardi Ralegh militis.
5. p. m. Christofori Throkmerton armigeri.

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Teylowe Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 3 Oct. 5—2 Oct. 6 Hen. VIII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Thorpe armigeri.†

[6–7] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Rowdon Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[7–8] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Throgmorton Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Hanshawe Escaetoris ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[9–10] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Hartland Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Plavys Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 4 Oct. 10—3 Oct. 11 Henry VIII.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[11–12] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Coke Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1 p. m. Johannis Adams.

[12–13] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Hanshawe Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Jorden Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 30 Sept. 13—6 Oct. 14 Hen. VIII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Basset.

[14–15] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Taylowe Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Raulins Escaetoris Regis ibidem a die Lune proximo post festum Sancti Michaelis anno 16 usque diem Lune proximum post festum Sancti Michaelis anno 17 Hen. VIII.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Huyott.
2. p. m. Thome Thorp armigeri.

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Semys Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Hasard Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 1 Oct. 22—30 Sept. 23 Hen. VIII.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Mesynger Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

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Escheators' Accounts and Inquisitions.

City of Gloucester.

31–32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus . . . . . Poole Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Payne Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a die Lune proximo post festum sancti Michaelis anno 32 usque diem Lune anno regni ejusdem Regis anno 33 Hen. VIII.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Bell Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Clowterbuck Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 30 Sept. 37—3 Oct. 38 Hen. VIII.—5 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Jenyns Militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Arnold armigeri.

38 *Hen. VIII.*—1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Loveday Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 3 Oct. 38 Hen. VIII. [ ]—1 Edw. VI.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Pole mercatoris.

6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Sanford Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Atkyns armigeri.

[2–3] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Parrye Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

3–4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Bonde Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem. A die Lune proximo post festum Sancti Michaelis anno 3 usque diem Lune proximum post festum Sancti Michaelis anno 4 Eliz.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Olive nuper uxoris Johannis Redvyn.
2. p. m. Johannis Roberts.

5–6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Messinger Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem a die Lune proximo post festum sancti Michaelis anno 5to usque eundem diem anno 6 Eliz.—7 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ancelmi Guyes armigeri.

[8–9 ?] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Messenger Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

9–10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Woodwarde Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem. A die Lune proximo post festum sancti Michaelis anno 9 usque eundem diem anno 10 Eliz.*—10 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.†
1. p. m. Rogeri Barrowe generosi.
2. p. m. Henrici Machin generosi.

10–11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Kinge Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

City of Bristol.

CITY OF BRISTOL.

7–8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Touket Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

[8] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Clementis Wilteshire Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo sancti Michaelis anno 8 Hen. VII. usque xxvj diem Decembris sequentem.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edwardi Grey nuper Vicecomitis Lisle.
2. p. m. Johannis Seymour armigeri.
3. p. m. Breve de custodia terrarum ejusdem Edwardi Grey.

[5–6] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Bedford Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Thorne Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. Mich. 6—Mich. 7 Hen. VIII.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

[7–8] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Dawes Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

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HEREFORDSHIRE AND THE MARCHES OF WALES.

1-2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Breynton Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Hakeluyt filii et heredis Henrici Hakeluyt armigeri.
2. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxor Thome Wallewen armigeri.
3. p. m. Johanne nuper uxoris Walteri Devereux militis nuper domini Ferrers.
4. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxor Johannis Barre militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Suggewas gentilman.

3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Baskervyle armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Abrahale armigeri.
2. p. m. Rolandi Lentall armigeri.

5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Abrahale armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edmundi Cornewaill militis.

12-13 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Pateshale Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

14-15 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Asshe Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Jacobi Baskirvyle militis.
2. p. m. Jacobi Audeley militis nuper Domini de Audeley.

16 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Hugonis Lochard Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Henrici Crassalond.
2. p. m. Jacobi Whiteney armigeri.

16-17 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Walteri Miles Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Cornwall militis.
2. p. m. Humfridi Dore.
3. p. m. Johannis Devereux nuper domini Ferrers.
4. p. m. Johannis Cockes.

18-19 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Georgii Treheron Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

19-23 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Roulandi Blakiston Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Katerine Bromwiche (19 Hen. VII.).
2. p. m. Nicholai Delamare armigeri (20 Hen. VII.).
3. p. m. Walteri Vaghan de Hergest armigeri.
4. p. m. Jacobi Whitney armigeri (22 Hen. VII.).
5. p. m. Willielmi Sculle armigeri (23 Hen. VII.).
6. p. m. Johannis Lyngeyn senioris militis.
7. p. m. Thome Audeley armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Harley militis.

2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Blount armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Elyngbrige armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Mille armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Delamare.

3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Wygmore Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edmundi Grey nuper domini de Wylton.
2. p. m. Anne Shirley nuper uxoris Hugonis Shirley.

4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Bodenham Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Ferrers militis.
2. p. m. Margarete nuper uxoris Davidis Glin Morgan armigeri.
3. p. m. Egidii Brugges militis.

5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Abrehale Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Christoferi Throgmerton.
2. p. m. Walteri Rowdon.
3. p. m. Johannis Bromwiche.
4. p. m. Jacobi Mynteriche.
5. p. m. Roulandi Vuet senioris.
6. p. m. Edwardi Ralegh militis.
7. p. m. Edmundi Cornewaill militis.

6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Daunsey armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Delabere militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Dawes nuper de London marchant.
3. p. m. Rogeri Bodenham.
4. p. m. Rogeri Vaughan nuper de Taulgare in Marchia Wallie armigeri.
5. De expulsione et deprivatione Prioris prioratus Sancti Chutlacy extra muros civitatis Hereford per abbatem Monasterii Sancti Petri Glouc.
6. De possessionibus Ricardi Bromfelde nuper de London clerici alias dicti Ricardi Bromfeld de civitate Heref. in comitatu Hereford utlagati.

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6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Harry (aut Ap Harry) Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elizabethe que fuit uxor Edwardi Stanley de Mountegle militis ac nuper uxor Thomes Cokesey militis.
2. De possessionibus Johanne que fuit uxor Jacobi Audeley militis nuper domini de Audeley lunatice.

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Baskervile armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Harper senioris nuper de Ambersley.
2. p. m. Johannis Pauncevote armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Hakeluyt.
4. p. m. Henrici Monyngton.
5. p. m. Johannis Dansey armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Wallewen nuper de Longford Gentilman.

9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Baskerfeld Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Wallewen de Longford.
2. p. m. Radulphi Dawes.
3. p. m. Rogeri Cromehale.
4. p. m. Ricardi Rowdon.

10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Bromwyche armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Leighton vidue.
2. p. m. Alianore Baskervile vidue.
3. p. m. Thome Delabere armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Grey nuper domini de Wilton.

11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Wallewyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Blanchie de la Hay vidue.
2. p. m. Ricardi Vernon armigeri.
3. p. m. Alicie Denys vidue.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Clynton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Alianore Croftys vidue ac nuper uxoris Hugonis Mortymer militis.
2. Breve de restitutione terrarum ejusdem Alianore.
3. p. m. Thome A Glin.

13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Blount de Grendon armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Herle armigeri.
2. Breve tangens possessiones ejusdem Thome Herle armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Brugge nuper de Clynton senioris.

14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Baskervyle Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Browne armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Monyngton nuper de Westhide.
2. p. m. Agnetis Jones.
3. p. m. Jacobi Scudamour nuper de Kenchurche armigeri.
4. p. m. Nicholai Faux militis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Wollascot.
6. p. m. Thome Ap Harry armigeri.
7. p. m. Ricardi Burghill armigeri.

16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Monyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Hereford.
2. p. m. Edmundi Delamare.
3. p. m. Nicholai Vaux militis domini Harowdon.
4. p. m. Alexandri Wallewen.
5. p. m. Davidis Gllin Morgan armigeri.
6. p. m. Jacobi Scudamore armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Blount militis.
8. p. m. Alexandri Beynham militis.
9. p. m. Hugonis Lochard.
10. p. m. Henrici Myle armigeri.
11. p. m. De possessionibus Edwardi nuper Ducis Buk nuper de Thornebury in comitatu Glouc.

17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Baskervile (aut Baskerfeld) armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Beryton.
2. p. m. Thome Lucy militis.

18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Clinton Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Habyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Breynton Gentilman.
2. p. m. Ricardi Bruge.
3. p. m. Margarete nuper uxoris Johannis Crompe.
4. p. m. Margarete Barret.

5. p. m. Jacobi Bromwiche armigeri.
6. p. m. Radulphi Hakeluyt armigeri.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Palmer armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Elizabethe Morton nuper uxoris Roulandi Morton.
2. p. m. Ricardi Minours armigeri.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Baskervile nuper uxoris Thome Baskervile armigeri ac quondam uxoris Ricardi Delabere militis.
4. p. m. Henrici Chamber.
5. p. m. Radulphi Hoppwood generosi.

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1. p. m. Jacobi Jones.
2. p. m. Gilberti Talbot militis.
3. p. m. Thome Barowe.
4. p. m. Henrici Rowdon.

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1. p. m. Elizabethe que fuit uxor Edwardi Stanley de Mountegle militis ac nuper uxor Thomes Cokesey militis.

2. De possessionibus Johanne que fuit uxor Jacobi Audeley militis nuper domini de

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18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Clinton Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Habyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Breynton Gentilman.
2. p. m. Ricardi Bruge.
3. p. m. Margarete nuper uxoris Johannis Crompe.
4. p. m. Margarete Barret.

5. p. m. Jacobi Bromwiche armigeri.
6. p. m. Radulphi Hakeluyt armigeri.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Palmer armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Elizabethe Morton nuper uxoris Roulandi Morton.
2. p. m. Ricardi Minours armigeri.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Baskervile nuper uxoris Thome Baskervile armigeri ac quondam uxoris Ricardi Delabere militis.
4. p. m. Henrici Chamber.
5. p. m. Radulphi Hoppwood generosi.
6. p. m. Rogeri Corbet armigeri.
7. p. m. Elizabethe Pychard nuper uxoris Johannis Pichard.
8. p. m. Blanchie Walwen nuper de Weston in dominio de Bradwardyn.
9. p. m. Johannis Skudamore de Rolston infra dominium de Evias in Marchiis Wall.
10. p. m. Elienore Lochard vidue.
11. De possessionibus Edwardi Ducis Bukk nuper de Thornebury in comitatu Glouc.

21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis De la Hay Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Bodenham armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Lyngeyn militis.

24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Dansey armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Bromwiche nuper de Sharnefeld.

25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Warmecombe armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Domine Anne Seintleger unius filiarum et coheredum Thome nuper Comitis Ormundii.
2. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxor Jacobi Audeley militis.
3. p. m. Walteri Jenettz clerici.
4. p. m. Elizabethe Lyster nuper uxoris Michaelis Lyster armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Socour.
6. p. m. Ricardi Hawks.
7. p. m. Ricardi Cornewall militis.
8. p. m. Thome Etkyns de Castell infra parochiam de Yarkehill yoman.
9. p. m. Margerie Devereux vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Devereux militis defuncti.
10. p. m. Johannis Dansey armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Wallewyn.

26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Inckepen armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Agnetis Walwen vidue.
2. p. m. Johannis Hackeluyt armigeri.

28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis A Glyn (A Guyllyn, Gwilliams aut Ap Glin) armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Lakyn militis.
2. p. m. Willielmi Clynton armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Monyngton generosi.
4. p. m. Johanne Herbert nuper uxoris Ricardi Herbert et quondam uxoris Jacobi Scudmore de Kenchurche armigeri defuncti.

29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Wallewyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Cornewall militis.

30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Phelipps armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Bodnam armigeri.
2. p. m. Sibelle Breyton vidue.
3. p. m. Georgii Hakeluyt.

31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Wygmour Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Walteri Wynston armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Nicholai Chippenham generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Browne armigeri.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Belle vidue.

33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Harley Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Elm (alias Ewelym) armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Humfridi Jenetts generosi.
2. p. m. Jacobi Jones.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Habyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Jacobi Jones.
2. p. m. Gilberti Talbot militis.
3. p. m. Thome Barowe.
4. p. m. Henrici Rowdon.

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36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Warmecombe armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johanne Fitton nuper uxoris Nicholai Fitton et antea uxoris Johannis Dansey armigeri.
2. p. m. Philippi Scudamore armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Biriton generosi.
4. p. m. Agnetis Abrehale vidue.

37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Palmer armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Lyngen armigeri.
2. p. m. Rogeri Hergest armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Byryton armigeri.
4. p. m. Simonis Hiete armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Fitzorse generosi.
6. p. m. Elizabethe Chabnour nuper uxoris Johannis Chabnour et antea uxoris Willielmi Gomunde generosi defuncti.
7. p. m. Ricardi Monyngton.
8. p. m. Walteri Motton generosi.
[Item copia ejusdem inquisitionis].
9. p. m. Milonis app Parry armigeri.

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Havard armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Acton armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardi Hayward.
3. p. m. Edmundi Vaughan generosi.
4. p. m. Agnetis Walle vidue.
5. p. m. Georgii Baynam militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Pychard generosi.
7. p. m. Georgii Rawley armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Hackeluyt armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Wygmor armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Gowar senioris armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Whytyngton armigeri.
12. p. m. Willielmi Harper generosi.
13. p. m. Willielmi Shippeham attincti de felonia et murdro.

2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Roberti Whitney armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Caple armigeri. (*Transcriptum.*)

3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Jacobi Warmecombe armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Blount armigeri.
2. p. m. Jacobi Baskervile militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Jennettes generosi.

4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Alexandri Whytyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Gower generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Hereford armigeri.
3. p. m. Ricardi Devoras militis.
4. p. m. Ricardi Mynors armigeri.

5 *Edw. VI.* Compotus Jacobi Tomkyns armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Pycharde armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Monyngton armigeri.
3. p. m. Georgii Habyngton generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Pakyngton militis.
5. p. m. Kenelmi Bucke generosi.
6. p. m. Henrici Gower armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Collyns.
8. p. m. Thome Baskervile armigeri.

6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ricardi Seborne armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Rogeri Byrche generosi.
2. p. m. Michaelis Lyster militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Pychard armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Warmecombe armigeri.

7 *Edw. VI.*—1 *Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Baskervyle armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Dobyns generosi.

1 & 2—2 & 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Jacobi Tompkyns armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem [ ] 1 & 2–[ ] 2 & 3 Ph. & Mar.—2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johanne Blunte vidue nuper relicte Johannis Blunte armigeri.
2. p. m. Jacobi Blount armigeri.

[2 & 3]–3 & 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Wynston Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem. 18 Nov. 2 & 3—11 Feb. 3 & 4 Ph. & Mar.—11 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

3 & 4–4 & 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Rolandi Bourghill armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Stephani Apparry armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Davys generosi.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Pytchard unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Pytchard armigeri defuncti.

1–2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii ap Parrye armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Dalabere armigeri.
2. p. m. Matilde Archore vidue.
3. p. m. Elene Bassett vidue nuper uxoris Willielmi Bassett militis et quondam uxoris Johannis Cotes armigeri defuncti.
4. p. m. Humfridi Conyngesbye armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Lyne generosi.
6. p. m. Thome Berowe.
7. p. m. Thome Caple armigeri.
8. p. m. Ricardi Lyster armigeri.
9. p. m. Ricardi Moreton armigeri.

2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Rogeri Hereford armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Vaughan armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Ayshe nuper de Tycknam in comitatu Somerset armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Ellin de Trogett generosi.
4. p. m. Francisci Comitis Salop.
5. p. m. Thome Redinge generosi.

4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Hugonis ap Harry armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Shotter.
2. p. m. Ricardi Crofte armigeri.
3. p. m. Jacobi Tomkins armigeri.
4. p. m. Rogeri Hereforde armigeri.
5. p. m. Alicie Marble vidue nuper uxoris Thome Marble generosi.
6. p. m. Edwardi Conyngesby armigeri.

5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Smyth armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Hugonis Welshe armigeri.

8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Lacye armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Roger alias Rogers militis.

8–9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Garnons de Garnons armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1 p. m. Johannis Harforde armigeri.
2 & 3. De possessionibus diversorum utlagatorum.
4. De advocatione Rectorie et Ecclesie de Parva Cowarne nuper parcella possessionum nuper monasterii sancti Petri in civitate Glouc. Item de possessionibus utlagatorum.

10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Burghill armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13–14 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis de la Bere Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Scudamore armigeri.

21–22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Breynton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Walteri Vaughan armigeri.
2. p. m. Rogeri Bodenham armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Dansey armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Dansey armigeri defuncti nuper infra etatem et in custodia Regine existentis.
4. p. m. Thome Wygmor armigeri.

[23–24] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Baskarville armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24–25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Garnons armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 29 Nov. 24—15 Jan. 25 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

25–26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Berrington armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 15 Jan. 25—28 Jan. 26 Eliz.—4 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[26–27] *Eliz.* Compotus Willielmi Daunsey armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Tompkins armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 10 Feb. 27—10 Feb. 28 Eliz.—3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28–29 *Eliz.*—Compotus Pauli de la Haye armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 10 Feb. 28—10 Feb. 29 Eliz.—3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[29–30] *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Vaughan Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

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Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

31–32 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Coles armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 10 Feb. 31—10* Feb. [32†] Eliz.—3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32–33 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Chippingham armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 6 Feb. 32—7 Feb. 33 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Tompkins armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 6 Feb. 33—34 Eliz. —1 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34–35 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Ballard armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 10 Jan. 34—10 Jan. 35 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[35–36] *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Woodroffe armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

36–37 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Pearlle armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 11 Feb. 36—11 Feb. 37 Eliz.—1 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[39–40] *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi Fox armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

40–41 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Daunsey armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 12 Jan. 40—15 Jan. 41 Eliz.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

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* Sic. † Anno '30' in Compoto.

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[1–2] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Alferth Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2–3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Brent Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Nov. 2—5 Nov. 3 Hen. VII.—14 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Haute
2. p. m. Johannis Roper.

3–4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Molle Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 6 Nov. 3—6 Nov. 4 Hen. VII.—17 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Belknap.
2. p. m. Johannis Fereby.
3. p. m. Johannis Bamme de Gyllyngham armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Pulter armigeri senioris.
5. p. m. Johannis Fane.
6. p. m. Willielmi Norton.
7. p. m. Willielmi Colowe.
8. p. m. Domine Elizabethe nuper uxoris Georgii Broune militis defuncti.
9. p. m. Ricardi Strangways.
10. De precio panni arrestati.

[4–5] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Walteri Culpeper Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5–7 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Michell Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 6 Nov. 5—5 Nov. 7 Hen. VII.—3 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Conyers militis.
2. p. m. Roberti Arnold nuper de Gyllyngham gentilman.
3. De possessionibus Johannis nuper Comitis Lincoln attincti.
4. De possessionibus Henrici nuper Ducis Somers. attincti.
5. De possessionibus Johannis Grobham nuper de Taunton armigeri. (*Midd.* 6 Hen. VII.)
6. De possessionibus ejusdem. (7 Hen. VII.)

7 & 8. Brevia de concedendo officio Escaetoris.

7–11 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Hammes armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem. 5 Nov. 7—5 Nov. 11 Hen. VII.—47 m.

7–8 *Hen. VII.*—Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Wotton. (*Kanc.*)
2. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis.
3. p. m. Reginaldi Sondes armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Comitis Rivers.
5. p. m. Thome Culpepir.
6. p. m. Francisci Colvyle.
7. p. m. Hugonis a Wode.
8. p. m. Johanne Brent.
9. p. m. Ricardi Peverell armigeri.
10. p. m. Margarete Croke.
11. p. m. Elizabethe Grene nuper uxoris Walteri Grene armigeri.
12. De manerio de la Mote in villa Westm. et aliis possessionibus in villa et parochiis sancte Margarete Westm. sancti Egidii et sancti Martini in campis, concessis Abbati et Conventui Monasterii de Abendon in comitatu Berk sine licentia Regis.
13. Copia inquisitionis de dampno domino Regi per concessionem messuagii in villa Gravesende in parochia de Melton, et terrarum in Hentswode Abbati et Monachis beate Marie de Graciis juxta Turrim London.
14. Breve de concedendo officio dicti Escaetoris.

9 *Hen. VII.*—Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Babyngton armigeri.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Brandon vidue.
3. p. m. Roberti Grenes.
4. p. m. Willielmi Marchionis Berkeley.
5. p. m. Johannis Cattys generosi.
6. De possessionibus Johannis Auncell de Mersham yoman lunatici.
7. De possessionibus Johannis Beke idioete.
8. De terris in Soles quas Prior et Conventus de Dovor tenent.
9. De terris in Polton quas Abbas et Conventus monasterii sancte Radagundis occupaverunt.
10. De manerio de Kedbroke in villa de Kedbrok &c. dato Priori et Conventui ecclesie sancte Marie Overey in comitatu Surr., ad inveniendum idoneum capellanum, infra villam de Kedbroke, et non invenerunt.
11. De purprestura per edificationem molendini apud Otham licentiâ Regia non habitâ.
12. De manerio de Wormyshill quod Juliana uxor Thome Sent Nicholas tenuit a die obitus ejusdem Thome.
13. De proficuis manerii de Wechelyng quos Robertus Diggys generosus recepit sine licentia Regis.
14. De possessionibus in Ospringe quos Ricardus Coke de London chaundeler occupavit.
15. De manerio de Solton quod Ricardus Flekyngham gentilman occupavit.
16. De terris in Northpoplesalle quas Jacobus Horne tenuit.
17. De manerio de Aldyngton quod Willielmus Brokhull armiger tenuit post mortem patris ejus.

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18. De utlagaria Johannis Rabbe de Hyllyngdon gentilman alias dicti Johannis Rabes nuper de Hillyngdon gentilman.

10–11 *Hen. VII.*—Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.'

1. p. m. Edwardi Ponynges clerici.
2. p. m. Johanne Ingaldesthorp.
3. p. m. Johanne Lewkenore vidue.
4. p. m. Rogeri Banyfaunt.
5. p. m. Alexandri Clifford.
6. p. m. Willielmi Stonor militis.
7. p. m. Radulphi Astry militis nuper civis et aldermanni London.
8. & 9. Duo brevia tangentia compotum Escaetoris.

12 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Lundun armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Isabelle nuper uxoris Humfridi Starkey militis.
2. p. m. Willielmi Gayler alias Wymark nuper de Sandewico.
3. p. m. Ricardi Starkey.

14–15 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Shemynge generosi Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Nov. 14—5 Nov. 15 Hen. VII.—29 m.
Inquisitiones capte coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Gage.
2. p. m. Elizabethe nuper uxoris Johannis Bourghchier militis nuper defuncti.
3. p. m. Humfridi Sandeforde.

15–16 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Crull (alias Curle) Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—31 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Cokkes nuper de London thaloughchaundeler.
2. p. m. Willielmi Seynt John.
3. p. m. Johannis Northwode armigeri.

[24 *Hen. VII.*]—1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Sharpe Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1. p. m. Jacobi Aucher.

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Sybill armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 29 Nov. 1—29 Nov. 2 Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Jacobi Aucher.
2. p. m. Thome Bradbery.
3. p. m. Anne que fuit uxor Henrici Haydon.
4. p. m. Agnetis que fuit uxor Johannis Isley armigeri.
5. p. m. Radulphi Nevill filii Radulphi nuper Comitis Westmerl.
6. p. m. Johannis Turburvyle militis nuper Thesaurarii domini H. nuper Regis Anglie septimi ville sue Calis.
7. p. m. Margarete nuper Comitisse Richemond et Derb.
8. De possessionibus in parochia sancti Clementis in comitatu Midd. quas Rogerus Layburne nuper Karliolen. Episcopus tenuit et quas Johannes Episcopus Carliolen. intravit absque aliqua restitutione temporalium Episcopatus.
9. De possessionibus Edwardi Borough militis lunatici.
10. De possessionibus Willielmi Stanley militis de alta proditione attincti.

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Culpepyr armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 2—28 Nov. 3 Hen. VIII.—24 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Brokhull.
2. p. m. Alexandri Euyas.
3. p. m. Johannis at Wode generosi.
4. p. m. Elizabethe Northwode vidue.
5. De possessionibus Ricardi Charleton militis attincti.
6. De perquisitionibus terrarum, &c. in Hoo et Stoke per alienigenas sine licentia Regis.

3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Waller armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 3—10 Nov. 4 Hen. VIII.—3 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Wyse.
2. p. m. Humfridi Warner.
3. p. m. Thome Iden armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Seynt John nuper de Ewell in comitatu Surr. armigeri filii Oliveri Seynt John armigeri et Elizabethe uxoris ejusdem Oliveri.
5. p. m. Johannis Broke militis domini de Cobham.
6. p. m. Thome Hobson nuper de Maryborne generosi.
7. De possessionibus Edwardi nuper comitis Warwic. filii et heredis Georgii nuper Ducis Clarencie.

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Nayler armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Cheyney militis.
2. p. m. Rogeri Cheyne.
3. p. m. Johannis Norris yoman.
4. p. m. Johannis Comitis Oxon. (*Kanc.*).
5. p. m. Ejusdem (*Midd.*).
6. p. m. Roberti Whyte armigeri.

7. p. m. Willielmi Heed.
8. p. m. Willielmi Cheyne.

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Burgoyn generosi Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 16 Jan. 5—27 Nov. 6 Hen. VIII.—51 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Frowyk filii et heredis Henrici Frowyk militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Kyngeston.
3. p. m. Roberti Southwell militis.
4. p. m. Johanne Stanleye Domine le Straunge vidue.
5. De possessionibus datis Prioratui de Ledes in comitatu Kanc. (6 m.)

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Marshall armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 6—10 Nov. 7 Hen. VIII.—34 m. (*Fragmentum, slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Jacobi Stanley clerici Elien. Episcopi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Capell militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Mars generosi alias dicti Willielmi Masse.
4. p. m. Willielmi Browne nuper majoris et aldermanni civitatis London.
5. p. m. Garvasii Horne.
6. p. m. Willielmi Capell militis.
7. p. m. Edwardi Elryngton armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Pekham.
9. p. m. Johannis Melton militis.
10. De possessionibus in Benynden datis prioratui de Ledes.

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Meyny Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Harlakenden Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 30 Nov. 8—30 Nov. 9 Hen. VIII.—32 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Abbreviatio compoti ejusdem.—9 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Mathei Pemberton de London marchaunt.
2. p. m. Johannis Wrothe armigeri.
3. p. m. Agnetis Morton vidue.
4. p. m. Henrici Kebyll nuper civis et groceri civitatis London mercatorisque Stapule Cales.

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Hales armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 10 Nov. 9—10 Nov. 10 Hen. VIII.—2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Fynys militis nuper domini de Clynton et Say.
2. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis. (*Fragmentum.*)
3. p. m. Thome Clynton militis domini de Clynton et Say.
4. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis.
5. p. m. Thome Prysott.
6. p. m. Roberti Peyton militis.
7. p. m. Cristoferi Pykeryng militis.
8. p. m. Johannis Pulton junioris filii Johannis Pulton senioris.
9. p. m. Johannis Engeham de Plerynden.
10. p. m. Edwardi Bulstrode.
11. De possessionibus Hospitali beate Marie virginis de Osprenge pertinentibus.
12. De possessionibus prioratui de Shene pertinentibus.
13. De possessionibus Prioratui de Dertford pertinentibus. (*Fragmentum.*)
14. De possessionibus in Sanforestrete in East Pekham quas Simo Tilley alienigena habuit.
15. De possessionibus Clementis Ballard armigeri, Thome Moger, Ricardi Cressell nuper de Chesilherst, Willielmi Swetesyre, Stephani Levyndale, Thome Wylde de Lamhith, Johannis Bassett, Ricardi Lewknore, Elizei Byngham, Alexandri Stabyll, Johannis Martyn Gentilman, Thome Sybyll armigeri, Thome Broke de Dertford de purprestura in parochia de Dernt per Ricardum Staple clericum vicarium de Dernt facta, de purprestura in Aisshe juxta Mepeham per Johannem Hodsole de London et Willielmum Hodesole de Chepstede facta, et de purprestura in Dertford et Wylmyngton per Abbatem de Lesnes facta.
16. p. m. Johannis Botyller militis. Item de possessionibus Johannis Rychardson nuper de Cantuar gentilman de quibus feoffavit Abbatem Sancti Augustini extra muros civitatis Cantuar.
17. De possessionibus Ricardi Guldford militis.
18. De possessionibus datis Capellano Cantarie vocate Goldwellys-chauntry in ecclesia de magna Chart; de mesuagio in parochia de Norton vasto; de manerio de Ore juxta Feversham quod prior Hospitalis sancti Johannis Baptiste Jerusalem in Anglia habuit et de privilegiis ibidem que clamavit.
19. De monetis solutis pro secta de Ryngeslowe relaxanda et pro secta de Blenegate et Chistlett relaxanda; de possessionibus quas Johannes Cundy et Ricardus Sharpe quondam tenuerunt in Whitstaple et de possessionibus Willielmi Miller nuper de Cantuar defuncti fatui.
20. De possessionibus Willielmi Bocher in decasu et ruina remanentibus.
21. De possessionibus de quibus Willielmus Bolle Tanner feoffavit Thomam Goldstone priorem ecclesie Christi Cantuar; de possessionibus Willielmi Pontowe de quibus feoffavit eundem priorem; de terris in Molasshe cum quadam pecunie summa oneratis; de terris in Godmersham de quibus Thomas Sharp feoffavit Willielmum Geffrey clericum alienigenam; de mesuagio et gardino in Chartham, que Willielmus Puntowe tenuit, qui erexit quandam crucem super mesuagium predictum ut tenentes eorundem mesuagii et gardini per privilegium Hospitalis sancti Johannis Jerusalem in Anglia tueri se possunt; et de manerio de Horton juxta Chartham de quo Clemens Ballard armiger feoffavit Ricardum Elyott nunc unum Justiciariorum Regis de Communi banco tunc servientem ad legem et diversos alios.
22. Copia inquisitionis de uno messuagio et uno gardino in Fotyscrey et Chesylherst de quibus Willielmus Swetesyre feoffavit Robertum Jonson alienigenam.

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Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Barfott clerici.
2. p. m. Thome Isle armigeri.
3. p. m. Radulphi Sayntleger armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Hadde.
5. p. m. Johannis Langley armigeri.
6. p. m. Roberti Rede militis.
7. De manerio de Ruyslyp incluso; Item de mesuagio et terris in Istelworth abbatie de Syon pertinentibus, quas Robertus Hygdon sursum reddidit pro sustentatione Isabelle filie ejus, ideote; et de possessionibus in hameletto de Dalley in parochia de Harlyngton per Ricardum Aubrey inclusis.

[11–12] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Cheseman Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[12–13] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Sedley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti White armigeri.
2. p. m. Edwardi Belknap militis.
3. p. m. Walteri Lewkenour.
4. p. m. Johannis Cutte militis. (*Kanc.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Midd.*)
6. p. m. Domine Cecilie Bedell vidue.
7. p. m. Thome Kempe militis.
8. De possessionibus Edwardi Ducis Bukyngham nuper de Thornbury in comitatu Glouc. attincti.
9. De valore et tenura manerii de Chymbehams.

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Boughton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 16 Nov. 13. [ ] Nov. 14 Hen. VIII.—53 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Katerine Grey vidue nuper uxoris Willielmi Berkeley militis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Hobbeson de Maryborne filii et heredis Thome Hobbeson defuncti.
3. p. m. Edwardi Ponyngys militis.
4. De monasterio monialium de Higham dissoluto.
5. De bonis et catallis Thome Halke nuper de Netherhardres husbondman felonis.

[14–15] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Blowe Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

15–16 *Hen. VIII*—Compotus Willielmi Whetnall armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Mar. 15—23 Nov. 16 Hen. VIII.—41 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Adams.
2. p. m. Thome Lovell militis.
3. p. m. Radulphi Austry militis.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus executorum testamenti Johannis Cheyney armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. (*Slightly imperfect.*) 41 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem Escaetore.

1. p. m. Thome Stanley armigeri.
2. p. m. Roberti Fenrother nuper Civis et Aldermanni London.
3. p. m. Thome Elryngton armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Dunham armigeri.
5. p. m. Roberti Wotton militis.
6. p. m. Reginaldi Pekham.
7. p. m. Edmundi Watton armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Hadde.
9. p. m. Johannis Millys.
10. p. m. Thome Lynacre clerici.
11. p. m. Willielmi Scotte militis.
12. p. m. Willielmi Haddon armigeri.
13. De sanctuario et franchesiis Hospitalis sancte Katerine prope Turrim London. Item de feriis et mercatis tentis apud Uxbrigge per Comitem Derb. apud Houndslow per fratres domus sancte Trinitatis ibidem et per Abbatem sancti Petri Westm. et Magistrum Hospitalis sancti Jacobi in campo infra procinctum domorum suorum. Item de asseribus per Johannem Skele de villa Westm. tayloure et Ricardum Shomaker etiam de villa Westm. cordwayner coram shopis illorum ad impedimentum populi extensis.
14. De monasterio de Toubrige suppresso.
15. De monasterio de Lyesnes suppresso.
16. De manerio de Henden alias Hethenden quod pertinuit Ricardo nuper de facto et non de jure Regi Anglie tercio attincto.
17. De monasterio de Begham suppresso.

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Boys armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—39 m. (*The lower portion of the Roll.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Colvile.
2. p. m. Elezabethe Pympe vidue uxoris nuper Johannis Pympe armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Lovell militis.
4. p. m. Caroli Comitis Wigorn.
5. p. m. Johannis Fyneux militis.
6. p. m. Georgii Hadde.

7. p. m. Johannis Waller armigeri.
8. De possessionibus Johannis Morton senioris filii et heredis Thome Morton armigeri.

[18–19] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Maycote armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Shelley armigeri.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Shelley nuper uxoris Johannis Shelley armigeri ac filie et heredis Johannis Michelgrove de Michelgrove armigeri.
3. De possessionibus Edmundi Shaa armigeri lunatici.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Harlakenden armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 17 Feb. 19—5 Dec. 20 Hen. VIII.—6 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis. (*Kanc.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Midd.*)
3. p. m. Anne nuper uxoris Edwardi Burghe militis filie et heredis Thome Cobham militis.
4. p. m. Willielmi Peteley nuper de Halsted.
5. p. m. Willielmi Wyse.

[20–21] *Hen. VIII.* — Compotus Johannis Meyne Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—20 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Zouche de Codnour militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Polhill de Shoreham filii Johannis Polhill senioris defuncti.
3. p. m. Ricardi Wentworth militis.

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Hawkes executoris Ricardi Hawkes armigeri Escaetoris in eisdem comitatibus. 25 Nov. 21—25 Nov. 22 Hen. VIII.—12 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Downes nuper civis et pandoxatoris London.
2. De possessionibus Thome Goodyere de Hendon lunatici.
3. De messuagio et terris in Endfeld que Bartholomeus Fortescu tenuit.

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Cheseman armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 25 Nov. 22—20 Nov. 23 Hen. VIII.—15 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Clementis Ballard armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Pulter armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Pulter et Alicie uxoris sue.
3. p. m. Reginaldi Pympe armigeri.

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Vane armigeri defuncti Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 20 Nov. 23—10 Aug. 24 Hen. VIII. 'quo die prefatus Thomas Vane nuper Escaetor obiit.'—27 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[24–25] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Fane armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Scotte militis.

[25–26] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Stephani Draner [vel Draver] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—8 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Fogge militis.
2. p. m. Thome Geddyng gentilman.
3. p. m. Thome Fenys nuper domini Dacre.
4. p. m. Georgii Watton armigeri.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Moygne Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 4 Dec. 26—. . . . 27 Hen. VIII.—6 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. De terris pertinentibus monasterio de Davyngton suppresso.

[27–28] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti See armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 22 m.—(*Fragmentum.*) *The old Escheats for Kent wanting.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Jacobi Dyggys armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardi Walden militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Scotte armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Rede armigeri.
5. De possessionibus Willielmi Fraunceys de Padyngton generosi lunatici.

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Dygges armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 2 Dec. 28—26 Jan. 29 Hen. VIII.—19 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Francisci Slade armigeri.
2. De possessionibus in Gravesend quas Marcellus Clerk nuper de villa Gravesend alienigena tenuit.

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Horne Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Jan. 29—5 Dec. 30 Hen. VIII.—17 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Stokwod armigeri.
2. p. m. Henrici See generosi.
3. p. m. Thome Cornwall militis.
4. p. m. Willielmi Knelle nuper de Brokelonde yoman de alta proditione attincti.

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Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Egidii Legh armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Kempe militis.
3. p. m. Thome Marowe armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome nuper Comitis Wiltes.
5. p. m. Nicholai Tufton armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Cromer militis.
7. p. m. Ricardi Maycote de parochia de Preston juxta Feversham generosi.
8. p. m. Thome Adam alias Adams filii et heredis Ricardi Adams et Isabelle quondam uxoris sue jam defuncte.
9. De possessionibus Edwardi nuper Ducis Buk. de alta proditione attincti, concessis Thome Vicecomiti Rocheford.
10. De curia Baron. et diversis franchesiis et libertatibus in manerio et hundredo de Westham per Abbatem Westm. clamatis.

[31–32] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Atwater armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus executricis testamenti Johannis Palmer armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Barker nuper de Cowden tayller.
2. p. m. Jacobi Cromar armigeri.
3. p. m. Walteri Mersche civis et merceri London.
4. p. m. Johanne Fraunceys vidue defuncte quondam uxoris Johannis Warner generosi.
5. p. m. Edmundi Fetyplace armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Fane generosi.
7. p. m. Christoferi Hales militis.
8. p. m. Edwardi Barrey nuper de Sevyngton generosi.
9. De prebenda de Tottenhall alias Tottenham que fuit Thome Crumwell ordinis garterii militis domini Crumwell pro diversis proditionibus et heresiis attincti.
10. De possessionibus Katerine Tattarsall nuper de villa sancti Albani in comitatu Hertf. vidue, nuper uxoris Ricardi Tattarsall defuncti lunatice; et de eisdem possessionibus Johannis Tattarsall, filii et heredis ejusdem Katerine etiam lunatici. (*Kanc.*)
11. De possessionibus eorundem Katerine et Johannis. (*Midd.*)

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Honywood armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 21 Nov. 33—28 Nov. 34 Hen. VIII.—24 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Palmer de Kentysshetowne armigeri.
2. p. m. Radulphi Symondes nuper de London.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Stephani Petley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 34—24 Nov. 35 Hen. VIII.—9 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Wyat militis.
2. p. m. Rogeri Horne armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti See generosi.
4. p. m. Antonii See filii et heredis Henrici See generosi defuncti in custodia domini Regis ratione minoris etatis ejusdem Antonii tempore mortis sue existentis.
5. p. m. Johannis Boys armigeri.

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus executorum testamenti Michaelis Roberts armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 24 Nov. 35—6 Sept. 36 Hen. VIII.—21 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[36–37] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Thwaytes armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Rottes yoman.
2. p. m. Henrici Appulton armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Fitzwilliam militis nuper Comitis Southamptonie ac custodis privati Sigilli domini Regis.
4. p. m. Johannis Everyng generosi.
5. p. m. Humfridi Evyas generosi.
6. p. m. Petri Compton armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Alyn alias Aleyn alias Alen militis, civis et aldermanni civitatis London. (*Imperfect.*)

1–2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Grene armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Harman armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Dorset alias dicti Johannis Dosset generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Sondes generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Lovelace armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Dygges armigeri.

2–3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus executorum testamenti Pauli Sydnour armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Dec. 2—12 Nov. 3 Edw. VI.—45 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Shelley militis unius Justiciariorum Regis de communi Banco.
2. p. m. Wimundi Carewe militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Awbrey armigeri.
4. p. m. Humfridi Luce civis et letherseller civitatis London.

5. p. m. Willielmi Wybarne.
6. p. m. Willielmi Hardyng de London mercer.
7. p. m. Antonii Browne militis.

3–4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Tucke armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Benyngfeld armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Fynche nuper de Myddelton generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Lambe senioris de Tockington in parochia de Harrowe super montem yoman.
4. p. m. Edwardi Thwaytes armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Twysenden armigeri.
6. p. m. Edwardi Boughton militis.
7. De possessionibus Johannis Grygby de Mersham generosi qui voluntarie et felonice, ut felo de se, seipsum submergebat.

[4–5] *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Christopheri Roper armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Grene armigeri.
2. p. m. Henrici Cooke armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Ardern generosi.
4. p. m. Walteri Hendle militis.

5–6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Perse armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 11 Nov. 5—20 Nov. 6 Edw. VI.—67 m. (*Fragmentum.*) (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Domine Johanne Garnyshe vidue nuper uxoris Cristoferi Garnyshe militis defuncti.
2. p. m. Domine Constancie Ferrers vidue, que fuit uxor Edwardi Ferrers militis.
3. p. m. Pauli Sydnour armigeri.
4. p. m. Georgii Blage militis.
5. p. m. Edwardi Wotton militis.
6. p. m. Katherine Tatersall vidue.
7. p. m. Michaelis Stannop militis nuper de felonia attincti.

[6 *Edw. VI.*—1 *Mar.*]—Compotus Nicholai Goodyere armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 *Mar.*—1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Hendley armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 1—8 Dec. 1 and 2 Ph. & Mar.—49 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Augustini Hynde civis et aldermanni London.
2. p. m. Ricardi Tate militis.
3. p. m. Reginaldi Peckham armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Reve.
5. p. m. Thome Wylforde nuper de Crainbrok armigeri
6. De possessionibus Henrici Spryngfeld nuper de Maidston milman de alta proditione attincti.

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Lovelace armigeri Escaetoris in eisdem comitatibus. 8 Nov. 1 and 2—18 Nov. 2 and 3 Ph. & Mar.—46 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Fitz armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Lambert nuper civis et aldermanni London.
3. p. m. Johannis Wylde nuper de Cantuar.
4. p. m. Jacobi Hales militis.
5. p. m. Domine Margarete Wyllshire vidue nuper uxoris Johis Wyllshyre militis defuncti.
6. p. m. Reginaldi Scotte militis.
7. De vastis factis in manerio de Charleton quod manerium pertinuit monasterio sancti Salvatoris de Barmondesaye in comitatu Surr.
8. p. m. Hugonis Losse armigeri.

[2 and 3—3 and 4] *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Ricardi Monynges armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Chesshere carnificis.
2. p. m. Henrici Polsted armigeri.
3. p. m. Henrici Fynche generosi.
4. p. m. Willielmi Waller armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Fynche de Kyngysdowne generosi.
6. p. m. Radulphi Wylcokes.
7. p. m. Henrici Berbour.
8. p. m. Henrici Herdson nuper civis et aldermanni London.
9. p. m. Johannis Cayzer yoman.
10. p. m. Ricardi Browne generosi.

[3 and 4—4 and 5] *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Willielmi Oxenden armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—45 m. (*Kent; old Escheats wanting.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Astley.
2. p. m. Edwardi Brockhull armigeri.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Wyseman nuper uxoris Roberti Wyseman generosi defuncti ac unius trium filiarum et coheredum Ricardi Meycote nuper de Preston juxta Faversham.
4. p. m. Johannis Norton militis.
5. p. m. Thome Harders armigeri.

Appendix II.

1. Ancient Compotuses of the Exchequer.

Escheators' Accounts and Inquisitions.

Kent and Middlesex.

6. p. m. Thome Roydon armigeri.
7. p. m. Georgii Byrde nuper de Terrynge in comitatu Sussex.
8. p. m. Ricardi Parke armigeri.

[5–6 ? *aut* 6–7 ?] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Cooke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[6–7 *aut* 7–8] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Honywood armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [ ]—[ ] Eliz.—63 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[7–8 *aut* 8–9] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Culpeper armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[9–10] *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Puttoe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10–11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Covert armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 25 Nov. 10—11 Nov. 11. Eliz.—1 m. (*Fragmentum*).

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[11–12] *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Hodges armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[13–14 *aut* 14–15] *Eliz.*]—Compotus Thome Brook armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[14–15 *aut* 15–16] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Gowldewell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [ ]—[ ] Eliz.—73 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[15–16 *aut* 16–17 ?] *Eliz.*—Compotus Anthonii Roue armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[19–20] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Goldwell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.* —3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

20–21 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Gerard armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 17 Mar. 20—17 Mar. 21 Eliz.—14 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[21–22] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Culpeper armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jasperi Cholmley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[23–24] *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Culpeper armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24–25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Machell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

25–26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Clementis Finche armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 17 Jan. 25—17 Jan. 26 Eliz.—7 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[26–27] *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Rawlins armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Brockhill armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 24 Jan. 27—24 Jan. 28 Eliz.—7 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28–29 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Fremlyn armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 24 Jan. 28—24 Jan. 29 Eliz.—8 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[29–30] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Maschall armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–31 *Eliz.*—Compotus Anthonii Deringe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Dec. 30—22 Jan. 31 Eliz.—4 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[31–32] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Maschall armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[32–33] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Sparke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Hareflete armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 8 Jan. 33—8 Jan. 34 Eliz.—3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

* The period for which John Goldwell is said to have accounted is not consistent with the two following Accounts; but from other circumstances it would appear that the error belongs to this roll, and not to the others.

[38–39] *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Putto armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

39–40 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Heathe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 20 Nov. 39—20 Nov. 40 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

40–41 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Beere armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Nov. 40—26 Nov. 41 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

41–42 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Knaplowe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Nov. 41—26 Nov. 42 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above Accounts, there are various portions consisting of 74 membranes and pieces.

CITY OF CANTERBURY.

City of Canterbury.

5–6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Crispe Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Carlyll Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo sancti Michaelis 6 usque festum sancti Michaelis 7 Hen. VII.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Mayhewe.

[7–8] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Sw . . . Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Brokar Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Rede militis nuper capitalis Justiciarii Regis de Communi Banco.

[12–13] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Stephani Baret Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13–14 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Gosborne Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo sancti Michaelis 13 usque idem Festum 14 Hen. VII.—3 m. (*Fragmentum*). (*Slightly imperfect.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[14–15] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Sare Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[10–11] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Rutland Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Brokare Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo sancti Michaelis anno 11 usque idem festum anno 12 Hen. VIII.—5 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[12] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Breggis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. De possessionibus Thome Sharpe de Cantuar fatui.

21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Alcok Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
De terris per Gerardum Rede alienigenam perquisitis.

CITY OF LONDON.

City of London.

1 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Warde Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a crastino sancti Michaelis anno primo usque festum apostolorum Simonis et Jude eodem anno.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Hugonis Bryce Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 1 usque idem festum anno 2 Hen. VII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[2–3] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Colet Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Horne Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem 18 Oct. 3 usque festum apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 4 Hen. VII.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Roberti Tate Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5–6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Whyte Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 5 usque idem festum anno 6 Hen. VII.—8 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Mathewe Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 6 usque idem festum anno 7 Hen. VII.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Hugonis Clopton Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 7 usque idem festum anno 8 Hen. VII.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Peverell.
2. De quodam messuagio et duobus tenementis in parochia sancte Andree Undershafte in ruina existentibus.
3. Breve de restitutione possessionum Ricardi Peverell.

8–9 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Martyn Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

9–10 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Executorum Radulphi Astrey militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Jaye.
2. De possessionibus Prioratus sancte Trinitatis London super resignationem domini Thome Percy nuper Prioris ibidem.
3. De uno mesuagio vocato le Grete Belle juxta le Barbicane situato in parochia sancti Botulphi extra Aldrichegate street in civitate London, et certis tenementis eidem mesuagio annexis in manu Regis existentibus, ratione posicionis eorundem ad manum mortuam, sine licentia Regis.

10–11 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Chawry Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 10 usque idem festum anno 11 Hen. VII.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11–12 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Colet militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Druell.
2. De tenemento in parochia sancte Margarete Patens et de domo in parochia beate Marie Colchirch quos Thomas Twysday tenuit non obstante actu resumptionis. Item de possessionibus in parochia Sancte Brigide, Episcopatui Meneven pertinentibus.
3. De mesuagio vocato le Sarasyneshede et aliis tenementis annexis in parochia sancti Gregorii juxta ecclesiam cathedralem Sancti Pauli London, in que mesuagia Thomas Phillip intravit sine licentia Regia.
4. De tenemento Ricardi Stucley nuper de Lambhith in comitatu Surr. attincti, quod tenementum juratores in quadam inquisitione certificaverunt in parochia Sancti Stephani in Walbroke fuisse, sed quod fuit situatum in parochia sancti Johannis in Walbroke.

13 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Tate Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13–14 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Purchase Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 13 usque idem festum anno 14 Hen. VII.—20 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

14–15 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Percyvall militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

15–16 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Nicholai Alwyn Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 15 usque idem festum anno 16 Hen. VII.—13 m. (*Fragmentum.*) (*Slightly imperfect.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

16–17 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Remyngton Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 16 usque idem festum anno 17 Hen. VII.—17 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17–18 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Shaa militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 17 usque idem festum anno 18 Hen. VII.—15 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Bartholomei Rede Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19–20 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Capell militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 19 usque idem festum anno 20 Hen. VII.—7 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[20–]21 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Wynger Majoris et Escaetoris ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 20 usque idem festum anno 21 Hen. VII.—11 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

21–22 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Kneseworth Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum anno 21 usque idem festum anno 22 Hen. VII.—8 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Haddon Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23–24 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Browne Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23–24 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Laurencii Aylmer militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 29 Mar. 23 usque festum apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 24 Hen. VII.—8 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24 *Hen. VII.*–1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Stephani Jenyns Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 22 Hen. VII. usque idem festum anno 1. Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus executricis testamenti Thome Bradbury Majoris et Escaetoris ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno primo Henr. VIII. usque primum diem Januarii sequentem quo die diem Escaetor obiit.—5 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. De possessionibus [Ricardi] Charleton militis de alta prodicione attincti in anno primo Henrici septimi.

2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Capell militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Kebell Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Acheley Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno tercio usque idem festum anno 4.—7 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[4] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus executoris testamenti Willielmi Copenger Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Haddon Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem 7 Feb. 4 usque festum apostolorum Simonis et Jude 5 Hen. VIII.—5 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Brown Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Tate militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Monok [alias Monoux] Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno sexto usque idem festum anno septimo Hen. VIII.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Boteler militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum anno septimo usque idem festum anno octavo Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis nuper Ducis Somers.
2. p. m. Humfridi Cokayn.
3. p. m. Thome Leventhorp.
4. De mesuagio in Wodestret in civitate London et aliis possessionibus quas Petrus Courteys nuper de London armiger alienigena absque licentia Regis perquisivit.

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Rest Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno octavo usque idem festum anno nono Hen. VIII.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Exmewe militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno nono usque idem festum anno decimo Hen. VIII.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Myrfyn Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno decimo usque idem festum anno undecimo Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Yarford militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Bruges Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 12 usque idem festum anno 13 Hen. VIII.—16 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Milborne Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Mundy militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 14 usque idem festum anno 15 Hen. VIII.—12 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[15–16] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Baldry Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Bayly Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 16 usque idem festum anno 17 Hen. VIII.—9 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Aleyn Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[18–19] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Seymour militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Spencer Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 19 usque idem festum anno 20 Hen. VIII.—18 m. (*Fragmentum.*) (*Slightly imperfect.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edwardi Grene civis et merceri London.
2. p. m. Ricardi Smyth nuper de London marchaunte taylour.
3. p. m. Willielmi Willughby domini de Willughby et Eresby.
4. p. m. Johannis Weston.
5. p. m. Agnetis nuper uxoris Gilberti Eccleston civis et aurifabri London ac quondam uxoris Thome Parnes generosi.
6. p. m. Georgii Kyrkham armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Rogers civis et vinetarii London.

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Rudston militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 20 usque idem festum anno 21 Henry VIII.—13 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Radulphi Dodmer militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 21 usque idem festum anno 22 Hen. VIII.—10 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

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[22–23] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Pargeter militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Nychill civis et mercatoris scissoris London.
2. p. m. Rogeri Applyard armigeri filii et heredis Nicholai Applyard militis.

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Lambert militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 23 usque idem festum anno 24 Hen. VIII.—7 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[24–25] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Stephani Pecoke Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem.—8 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[25]–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Christoferi Ascugh militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Bolye alias Bullye.
2. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Rede vidue nuper uxoris Bartholomei Rede militis nuper civis et aldermanni civitatis London.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Champneys militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 26 usque idem festum anno 27 Hen. VIII.—9 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. De possessionibus quas Johannes Pulteney miles quondam civis London per ultimam voluntatem suam dedit Magistro collegii capelle Corporis Christi, juxta ecclesiam sancti Lawrencii de Candlewykestreet, pro quatuor marcis annuatim solvendis indigentibus in carcere qui Newgate vocatur: et de aliis possessionibus ejusdem Johannis quas Decanus et Capitulum ecclesie Cathedralis sancti Pauli London tenent.
2. De duobus mesuagiis &c. in parochia sancti Sepulchri in warda de Faryngdon que Edwardus Sutton miles dominus Dudley quondam tenuit.

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Aleyn militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 27 usque idem festum anno 28 Hen. VIII.—11 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Radulphi Waren militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 28 usque idem festum anno 29 Hen. VIII.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Gresham militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Forman militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a crastino apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 30 usque eundem diem anno 31 Hen. VIII.—19 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[31–32] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Holeys militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[32–33] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Roche militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Michaelis Dormar militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a crastino apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 33 usque eundem diem anno 34 Hen. VIII.—10 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Rowlandi Lathom armigeri servientis caterie Regis.
2. De reversione duorum tenementorum in parochia sancti Petri in Cornhill que per attincturam Ricardi Fermour mercatoris stapule Cales, domino Regi pertinet.

34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus [ ] Cotes militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Boyer militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Radulphi Warren militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem 14 Apr. 35 usque festum apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 36 Hen. VIII.—7 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[36–37] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Laxton militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Martini Bowes militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 37 usque idem festum anno 38 Hen. VIII.—12 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

38 *Hen. VIII.*—1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Henrici Hoberthorne militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 28 Hen. VIII. usque idem festum anno 1 Ed. VI.—3 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Garrard generosi.
2. p. m. Roberti Phelyppes.
3. p. m. Anne Withers vidue.
4. p. m. Rowlandi Goodman.
5. p. m. Johannis Potkyn generosi.
6. p. m. Ricardi Reynoldes.
7. p. m. Walteri Cromer.

8. p. m. Willielmi Forman militis nuper civis et aldermanni London.
9. p. m. Thome Broke nuper de London armigeri.

1-2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Gressam militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno primo usque idem festum anno secundo Edw. VI.—11 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[2-3] *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Henrici Amcott militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Garett Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[4-5] *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Andree Judde Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem [ ] 4—[ ] 5 Edw. VI.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ricardi Dobbes militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6 *Edw. VI.*—1 *Mar.*—Compotus Georgii Barnes militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis et Regine a festo apostolarum Simonis et Jude anno 6 Ed. VI. usque idem festum anno primo Regine Marie.—16 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Whyte militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis et Regine: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Tate militis.
2. p. m. Georgii Medley civis et merceri London.
3. p. m. Jasperi Allyn civis et draper London.
4. p. m. Radulphi Davenant civis et mercatoris scissoris London.
5. p. m. Johannis Vandernot.
6. p. m. Johannis Lambard civis et aldermanni civitatis London.
7. p. m. Augustini Hynde civis et aldermanni civitatis London.

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Lyon militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude 1 & 2 usque idem festum 2 & 3 Ph. & Mar.—17 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Clayton de London baker.
2. p. m. Thome Berthelette unius civium et stationariorum London.
3. De quatuor gardinis in Feterlayne alias Fewterlane in parochia sancti Dunstani in occidente in suburbiis civitatis London, dimissis Thome Cheseman.

[2 and 3—3 and 4] *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Willielmi Garret militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Magistri Roberti Holgate alias Halgate clerici nuper Archiepiscopi Ebor.
2. p. m. Alicie Cornwalleis vidue.
3. p. m. Johannis Branche.
4. p. m. Johannis Crymes civis et clothworker London.
5. De Ricardo Morgan de London milite qui cum quadam frenesia sive demensia captus fuit.

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Offeley militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Leversham.
2. p. m. Ricardi Dauntesey armigeri.
3. p. m. Nobilis domine Anne Cleue filie Johannis nuper ducis de Cleve, Guligh, Gelder et Barr ac nuper sororis Willielmi Ducis de Cleve Guligh Gelder et Barr ac comitis de Mark Ravensbrough et Sutsyn et domini de Ravenstene.
4. p. m. Thome Collie armigeri.
5. p. m. Radulphi Clarvaux alias Clarvys civis et groceri London.
6. p. m. Roberti Downe civis et iremonger London.
7. p. m. Edwardi Mynne generosi.
8. p. m. Roberti Hennage nuper de civitate Lincoln armigeri.
9. p. m. David Robynson civis et pelliparii London.
10. p. m. Balthasari Gwercye nuper de London in medicinis doctoris alias dicti Balthasari Gwercye.
11. p. m. Willielmi Wylde civis et marchaunt tailour London.
12. p. m. Thome Locke armigeri filii et heredis Willielmi Locke militis.
13. Copia inquisitionis p. m. Ricardi Dauntesey armigeri.
14. Alia copia ejusdem inquisitionis. (*Fragmentum.*)

4 and 5—5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Curteys militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Margarete Crane vidue.
2. p. m. Henrici Mershe civis et merceri civitatis London.
3. p. m. Thome Alsoppe civis et groceri London.
4. p. m. Ricardi Ive civis et talloughchaundler London.
5. p. m. Willielmi Rest civis et groceri London.
6. p. m. Georgii Baron militis civis et aldermanni civitatis London.
7. p. m. Roberti Whetstone.
8. Probatio etatis Willielmi Lambert generosi filii et heredis Johannis Lambert nuper civis et aldermanni London defuncti.

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2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Hewett militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Mathei Loocke.
2. p. m. Thome Whytloke civis et mercatoris scissoris London.
3. p. m. Henrici Busshe civis London.
4. p. m. Johannis Franke civis et pandoxatoris London.
5. p. m. Nicholai Russell civis et haberdassher London.
6. p. m. Ricardi Maunsell civis et scriptoris civitatis London.
7. p. m. Ricardi Tull civis et pannarii London.
8. p. m. Roberti Windsor fabri civitatis London.
9. p. m. Anne Harper.
10. p. m. Willielmi Watson civis et pannarii London.
11. p. m. Thome Hewes armigeri, in medicinis doctoris.
12. p. m. Thome Mayott civis et mercatoris scissoris London.
13. p. m. Thome Cuttell civis et tallowchaundler London.
14. p. m. Thome Curtys de London militis.
15. p. m. Thome Cawerden militis.
16. p. m. Marcelli Harper generosi.
17. p. m. Johannis Swingfeld civis et stokfishmonger London.
18. De probatione etatis Thome Shaa armigeri filii et heredis propinquioris Thome Shaa armigeri defuncti.

3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Chester militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edmundi Browne.
2. p. m. Johannis Wase brewer.
3. p. m. Laurencii Jackeson.
4. p. m. Willielmi Sempyer.
5. p. m. Johannis Swingfeld civis et stokfyshemonger London.
6. p. m. Roberti Perie generosi.
7. Probatio ætatis Thome Cromer filii et heredis Walteri Cromer armigeri.
8. p. m. Nicholai Spackeman de London.
9. p. m. Johannis Sturman civis et poulter London.
10. p. m. Johannis Wase brewer. (*Copy of No.* 2.)
11. p. m. Edwardi Vaughan generosi.
12. p. m. Johannis Patenson.
13. p. m. Roberti Trappes nuper de London aurifabri.
14. p. m. Willielmi Locke filii et heredis Thome Locke defuncti.
15. p. m. Willielmi Walker generosi.
16. p. m. Anthonii Mynge filii et heredis Henrici Mynge defuncti nuper civis et groceri London.
17. De lunaticia Katherine Lune vidue.

4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Harper militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Wylcockes civis et cooke London.
2. p. m. Nicholai Russell civis et haberdassher London.
3. p. m. Magdalene Pryce nuper uxoris Thome Collye defuncti.
4. p. m. Georgii Armerer civis et pandoxatoris London.
5. p. m. David Sambrooke.

5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Lodge militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. David Woodruff civis et aldermanni London.
2. p. m. Johanne Taylor de London vidue.
3. p. m. Ricardi Hornebye mercatoris scissoris London.
4. p. m. Johannis Hulson Scriptoris . . . curial. civitatis London.
5. p. m. Thome Percy civis et pelliparii London.
6. p. m. Humfridi Broun militis unius Justiciariorum Regine de Banco.

8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Champion militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Allen clerici.
2. p. m. Rogeri Cholmeley militis.
3. p. m. Edwardi Ketcher de civitate London pewterer.
4. p. m. Ricardi Whethell senioris civis et mercatoris scissoris London et marcatoris stapule.
5. p. m. Thome Davie civis et clothworker London.
6. p. m. Willielmi Maynard civis et merceri London.
7. p. m. Edwardi Banckes civis et aldermanni London.
8. p. m. Roberti Southwicke de civitate London boucher.
9. p. m. Ricardi Goldston de London salter.
10. p. m. Jacobi Harrison civis et draper London.
11. p. m. Domini Johannis Deane clerici.
12. p. m. Ricardi Brooke aurifabri London.
13. p. m. Nicholai de Nale mercatoris.

9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Christoferi Draper militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Braunche civis et zonarii civitatis London.
2. p. m. Radulphi Johnson de civitate London armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Kendall civis et waxchaundler civitatis London.
4. p. m. Roberti Langlie civis et pandoxatoris London.
5. p. m. Rychardi Langham civis et tinctoris civitatis London.
6. p. m. Erasmi Crickener generosi.
7. p. m. Thome Moreley civis et draper London.

8. p. m. Henrici Robertis civis et pandoxatoris London.
9. p. m. Willielmi Breton nuper de London armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Withers de Hadley in comitatu Midd. generosi.
11. p. m. Ricardi Chambarlaine civis et aldermanni London.
12. p. m. Joanne Dodd de Chistlett in comitatu Kancye.
13. p. m. Edmundi Key civis et salter London.
14. p. m. Henrici Clitheroe civis et marcatoris scissoris civitatis London.
15. p. m. Roberti Alsope filii cujusdam Reginaldi Alsope nuper de Chislett in comitatu Kanc. generosi.
16. p. m. Rogeri Androwes civis et inholder London.
17. p. m. Willielmi Wakefelde civis et waxchaundler civitatis London.

[9]–[10] *Eliz.*—Compotus Rogeri Martyn militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno [9] usque idem festum anno [10] Eliz.—111 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Beswicke civis et pannarii London.
2. p. m. Ricardi Andlebye civis et grocer civitatis London.
3. p. m. Henrici Leighe de London generosi.
4. p. m. Georgii Henry civis et carnificis civitatis London.
5. p. m. Willielmi Dobson civis et tallowechaundeler London.
6. p. m. Christoferi Curthoppe.
7. p. m. Domine Blaunchie Foreman vidue.
8. p. m. Thome Robinson filii et heredis David Robinson nuper infra etatem et in custodia Domine Regine existentis.
9. p. m. Johannis Webbe civis et sadler London.
10. p. m. Thome Keelinge civis et carnificis London. (*Fragmentum.*)
11. p. m. Johannis Cottingham civis et ..... civitatis London.
12. p. m. Willielmi Armistrong civis et coci London.
13. p. m. Johannis Nasshe civis et pannarii London.
14. p. m. Thome Bucke civis et cuteler civitatis London.
15. p. m. Thome White militis, civis et aldermanni civitatis London.
16. p. m. Edmundi Warner alias Butler civis et piscenarii London.
17. p. m. Nicholai Devale.

10–11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Roo [aut Rowe] militis Majoris et escaetoris Regine ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 10 usque idem festum anno 11 Eliz.—70 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Domine Margarete Haward Vidue.
2. p. m. Thome Nevell.
3. p. m. Petri Goberd de civitate London generosi.
4. p. m. Nicholai Clarson civis et mercatoris scissoris London.
5. p. m. Nicholai Taverner nuper de civitate London generosi.
6. p. m. Roberti Crowley civis et zonarii London.
7. p. m. Thome Pierson nuper de civitate London generosi.

11–12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Alexandri Avenon militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 11 usque idem festum anno 12 Eliz.—21 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

12–13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Rowlandi Haywarde militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 12 Eliz. usque idem festum anno 13.—36 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Jocose Withers filie et unice heredis Willielmi Withers generosi jam defuncti infra etatem ac in custodia Regine existentis.
2. p. m. Johannis Cornelyte.
3. p. m. Henrici Coppinger armigeri.
4. p. m. Henrici Wright civis et clothworker civitatis London.
5. p. m. Johannis Browne armigeri.
6. p. m. Briani Tyson generosi.
7. p. m. Henrici Beche civis et aldermanni civitatis London.
8. De bonis et catallis &c. Johannis Ellyot nuper de .... merceri alias dicti Johannis Elyot civis et merceri London.

13–14 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Allyn militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 13 usque idem festum anno 14 Eliz.—48 m. (*Fragmentum.*) (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[14–15] *Eliz.*—Compotus Lionelli Duckett militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Parrett de London generosi.
2. p. m. Briani Tyson generosi.
3. p. m. Christoferi Campyon nuper de London mercer.
4. p. m. Willielmi Gibson nuper de London grocer.

16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Ryvers armigeri Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Walker civis et leather seller London.
2. p. m. Willielmi Jackson alias Lennarde civis et merceri London.
3. p. m. Willielmi Siggiswicke.
4. p. m. Marie Wilkinson vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Wilkinson mercatoris scissoris London defuncti.
5. p. m. Willielmi Kettle civis et clothworker London.
6. p. m. Walteri Lodge.
7. p. m. Cristoferi Alee civis et cutler London.
8. p. m. Johannis Payne armigeri.

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9. p. m. Roberti Onslowe armigeri infantis per nomen Roberti Onslowe filii et heredis Ricardi Onslowe militis defuncti.
10. p. m. Thome Nicolson.
11. p. m. Henrici Milles civis et aldermanni London.
12. p. m. Thome Nicolls senioris.
13. p. m. Martini Bowes de London armigeri.
14. p. m. Anthonii Bruskett generosi.
15. p. m. Willielmi Mase civis et groceri London.
16. p. m. Francisci Trappes generosi.

17 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Hawes militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Woode.
2. p. m. Thome Mawgham civis et pelliparii London.
3. p. m. Thome Chambers.
4. p. m. Edmundi Nedeham.
5. p. m. Margarete Coonye vidue.
6. p. m. Thome Shottesham.
7. p. m. Johannis Whytehorne civis et clothworker London.
8. p. m. Henrici Smyth civis et merceri London.
9. p. m. Rose Trott vidue.
10. p. m. Willielmi Pykering militis.
11. p. m. Henrici Gaynsford.

17–18 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ambrosii Nicholas militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 17 usque idem festum anno 18 Eliz.*—54 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Layston civis et zonarii London.
2. p. m. Rogeri Wilkinson filii Johannis Wilkinson mercatoris scissoris London et Marie uxoris sue.
3. p. m. Ricardi Hendman civis et broderer London.
4. p. m. Willielmi Franckland generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Bonde armigeri nuper aldermanni civitatis London.
6. p. m. Margarete Webbe.
7. p. m. Willielmi Hone generosi.
8. p. m. Georgii Forman civis et pelliparii London.

[? 18–19 *aut* 19–20] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Langley militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

20–21 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Ramsey militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 20 usque idem festum anno 21 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram: *Desunt.*

21–22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Pipe militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 21 usque idem festum anno 22 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Nicholai Woodruffe militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 22 usque idem estum 23 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[23–24] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Branche militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Harvye [militis] Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Marston haberdasher.
2. p. m. Roberti Crippes civis et pandoxatoris London.
3. p. m. Willielmi Homberston nuper de Dunwich in comitatu Suff armigeri.†

[25–26] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Blancke militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Osborne militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem a festo apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 26 usque idem festum 27 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[27–28] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Pullison militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[32–33] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Harte militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Allet et Rowlandi Hayward‡ militum Major. et Escaetor. Regine ibidem a festo Apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 33 usque idem festum anno 34 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34–35 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Webbe Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem a festo Apostolorum Simonis et Jude anno 34 usque idem festum anno 35 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[35–36] *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Rowe militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides these, there are fragments of various Accounts consisting of 23 membranes.

* Besides this there is an Account rendered by John Nicholas, son and heir of the said Ambrose Nicholas, of a small sum arising from the old Escheats brought to account in the first year of James I.—1 m.

† These are copies on paper. ‡ Sic.

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3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Roberti Rodon Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Darcy militis.
2. p. m. Breve Thesaurario et Baronibus de Scaccario directum de eadem inquisitione.

4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Brereton Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Johannis Dysney nuper de Bishop Norton.

8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Nicholai Owdeby Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10–20 *Hen. VII.*—Compoti Edmundi Cherche armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Desunt.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. De possessionibus quas Rogerus Knyght de Northingelby armiger tenuit die quo obiit et in quas Willielmus Knyght de Lincoln gentilman post mortem Thome Knyght patris sui, intravit sine licencia Regia. (10 Hen. VII.)
2. p. m. Thome Knyght nuper de civitate Lincoln armigeri. Item de alienationibus terrarum per ipsum et per Rogerum Knyght avum dicti Thome factis.
3. De possessionibus quas Bernardus Eland filius et heres Eustachii Eland nuper de Stirton armiger ydiota tenuit. Item de duobus capellis in Skendilby et Partney que totaliter devastatæ sunt.
4. De thesauro invento apud Northeingleby per Thomam Knyghte et famulos suos. (11 Hen. VII.)
5. p. m. Roberti Hylyerd. (13 Hen. VII.)
6. p. m. Roberti Stanton de Stanton generosi.
7. p. m. Willielmi Etton [aut Eton] nuper de Wynkyll.
8. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis.
9. De terris quas Arthurus Ormesby senior tenuit die quo obiit (viz. 1 May, 10 Edw. IV.).
10. De terris datis cantariis in ecclesia parochiali de Braghton et in capella sancti Jacobi, licentia Regia non obtenta.
11. Alia inquisitio de eisdem terris. (15 Hen. VII.)
12. p. m. Johannis Hyltoft de Ingoldmels.
13. De possessionibus Everardi Troutbek. (17 Hen. VII.)
14. De tercia parte manerii de Gedney et de manerio de Lymbergh magna que Henricus Wentworth miles tenuit, et de quibus feoffavit diversas personas sine licentia Regis.
15. De thesauro invento per Philippum Stevynson de Horncastyll merchaunt.
16. De possessionibus Roberti Wryght de Sutton in Holand fatui.

22–24 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Monson armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Nevill nuper de Faldyngworth. (22 Hen. VII.)
2. p. m. Roberti Bowlles. (24 Hen. VII.)
3. p. m. Alexsandri Delsee.
4. p. m. Willielmi Spencer.
5. De possessionibus Roberti Day filii et heredis Johannis Day nuper de Claxby fatui.

2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Monson armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Roche nuper de Northorp generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Bard.
3. p. m. Resi Whychecote nuper de Harpyswell armigeri.

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ade Penyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Margarete nuper uxoris Thome Spenlove filie et heredis Willielmi Elward nuper de Well.
2. p. m. Georgii Skupholme.
3. p. m. Rogeri Kelke.
4. p. m. Willielmi Bukton.
5. p. m. Thome Burgh nuper de Barnalby.
6. p. m. Willielmi Cracroft.
7. p. m. Johannis Evers nuper de Belton in insula de Axholme.
8. p. m. Margarete Litlore filie et heredis Ricardi Gennay.
9. p. m. Roberti Wilkynson nuper de Harleston.
10. p. m. Thome Crathorne nuper de Marschapell generosi.
11. p. m. Edmundi Dudley armigeri.
12. Alia inquisitio p. m. ejusdem.
13. p. m. Elizabethe Vavasour filie et heredis Roberti Hartlay nuper de Westhalton.
14. p. m. Willielmi Skamelsby.
15. p. m. Thome Uncle nuper de Bullyngbroke et Alicie uxoris sue.
16. p. m. Elizabethe Southill de Redburne vidue, quondam uxoris Roberti Southill de Redburn.
17. p. m. Willielmi Bocher nuper de Tynton inferiori generosi.
18. p. m. Willielmi Deryng nuper de Stikford.
19. p. m. Ricardi Cawode clerici.
20. p. m. Elene Sheffeld uxoris Roberti Sheffeld militis.
21. p. m. Roberti Taylboys generosi.
22. p. m. Elizabethe [que fuit uxor Roberti Sutton].
23. Memorandum de precio bonorum utlagatorum, etc.

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3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Hilton Escaetoris ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Aske armigeri.
2. p. m. Radulphi Babthorp armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Lorymer.
4. p. m. Margarete Nutbeme nuper uxoris Ricardi Barnaby defuncti.
5. p. m. Humfridi Hercy.
6. p. m. Thome Tempest militis.
7. p. m. Cristofori Browne generosi.
8. p. m. Cristofori Conyars armigeri.
9. p. m. Radulphi Castell armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Vavasour.
11. p. m. Ricardi Beauchamp domini de Beauchamp militis.
12. p. m. Roberti Rypingale.
13. p. m. Alexandri Ben.
14. p. m. Ricardi Thymylby armigeri.
15. p. m. Willielmi Tomson de Benyngton.
16. p. m. Thome Sanby.
17. p. m. Roberti Wynter de Swynneshed et Alicie uxoris sue.
18. p. m. Ricardi Lotys nuper de Holbeche.
19. p. m. Thome Grantham de Swynneshed.
20. p. m. Roberti Baisbell de Gosberkyrk.
21. p. m. Thome Gibbon.
22. p. m. Johanne Colvell.
23. p. m. Willielmi Hekington de Burne.
24. p. m. Henrici Braunche.
25. p. m. Roberti Reed de Wrangyll.
26. p. m. Roberti Bawdys de Somerby armigeri.
27. p. m. Arthuri Freyswell.
28. p. m. Willielmi Medylton bastardi.
29. p. m. Thome Barow generosi.
30. p. m. Johannis Browne.
31. p. m. Edwardi Barnetby armigeri.
32. p. m. Thome Prikefeld.
33. De possessionibus Radulphi Rechford distracti a mente.
34. De feodi firma ville de Grymmesby quam Radulphus Nevell filius Radulphi nuper Comitis Westmerl. tenuit die quo obiit (viz. vj^to^. Feb. 14 Hen. VII.) et quam Editha que fuit uxor ejus postea tenuit.

5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii FitzWilliam Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Eyland armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Agnetis Mysterchamber nuper uxoris Johannis Mysterchamber de Saltflytby defuncti.
2. p. m. Roberti Tyllys.
3. p. m. Roberti Colvill armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Blounte armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Cheyne militis.

Hen. VIII.—Compotus Ricardi Lytilbury Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Hussey armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Anne nuper uxoris Arthuri Kemes.
2. p. m. Willielmi Skynnar.
3. p. m. Willielmi Feld.
4. p. m. Margarete Spenlove vidue.
5. p. m. Johannis Westfeld.
6. p. m. Henrici Everyngham armigeri.
7. p. m. Willielmi Boucher filii et heredis Willielmi Boucher nuper de Willughby generosi.
8. p. m. Thome Greggby.
9. p. m. Ricardi Cracroft de Yngomels.
10. p. m. Johannis Law de Alford.
11. p. m. Alicie Hanshert vidue nuper uxoris Henrici Hanshert nuper de Cotes.
12. p. m. Johannis Ryby.
13. p. m. Willielmi Rysell.
14. p. m. Thome Goodhand.
15. p. m. Henrici Vavasour de Hesylwood armigeri.
16. p. m. Margarete Aungevyn vidue.
17. p. m. Beatricis Wodroff.
18. p. m. Johannis Gan.
19. p. m. Roberti Stephynson.
20. p. m. Thome Dalynson.
21. p. m. Willielmi Gyrlyngton armigeri.
22. p. m. Willielmi Bondman.
23. p. m. Willielmi Spencer.
24. p. m. Edwardi Barnabe filii et heredis Thome Barnabe armigeri defuncti.

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Barnardiston armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Wyche generosi.

2. p. m. Johannis Blwett gentylman.
3. p. m. Thome Sutton.
4. p. m. Margarete Leeke nuper relicte Nicholai Leeke defuncti.
5. p. m. Johanne Petfeld nuper uxoris Thome Petfeld.
6. p. m. Henrici Craycroft.
7. p. m. Johannis Beawfo.
8. p. m. Henrici Inglos armigeri.
9. p. m. Willielmi Roche.
10. p. m. Willielmi Johnson de Whaplod.
11. p. m. Thome Marmyon armigeri.
12. p. m. Johannis Whitham.
13. p. m. Johannis Williamson.
14. p. m. Nicholai Purley armigeri.
15. p. m. Ricardi Clerk de Welburn gentilman.
16. p. m. Guidonis Palmes nuper unius servientum domini Regis ad legem.
17. p. m. Johannis Rudde.
18. p. m. Thome Philip.
19. p. m. Anthonii Rigge armigeri.
20. p. m. Cecilie que fuit uxor Johannis nuper Vicecomitis Welles.

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ade Pennyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Alicie Crofte vidue.
2. p. m. Willielmi Lee gentylman.
3. p. m. Willielmi Kyme gentylman.
4. p. m. Thome Orton.
5. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Skroopp vidue.
6. p. m. Johannis North.
7. p. m. Rogeri Roberd.
8. p. m. Henrici Howett.
9. p. m. Esabelle Ratclyffe vidue.
10. p. m. Willielmi Walpowle.
11. p. m. Thome Barrett gentylman.
12. p. m. Ricardi Quadryng armigeri.
13. p. m. Joanne Waryng quondam uxoris Alexandri Quadryng.
14. p. m. Thome Staunton armigeri.
15. p. m. Johannis Clony.
16. p. m. Johannis Pulvertoft.
17. p. m. Thome Hennyng.
18. p. m. Johannis Palmar.
19. p. m. Johannis Trubbok.
20. p. m. Edwardi Wylloughby armigeri.
21. p. m. Willielmi Wessylhed.
22. p. m. Thome Grawn.
23. p. m. Gilberti Talbott militis.
24. p. m. Johannis Grey militis domini de Powes.
25. p. m. Johannis Grey militis.
26. p. m. Isabelle Hastynges nuper uxoris Johannis Hastynges militis.
27. p. m. Willielmi Cartar.
28. p. m. Roberti Clifton armigeri.
29. p. m. Willielmi Prikfeild gentilman.
30. p. m. Johannis Halley.
31. p. m. Katerine Bocher.
32. p. m. Humfridi Bayte.
33. p. m. Johannis Skipwith militis.
34. p. m. Thome Haltofte armigeri.
35. p. m. Roberti Cawodde nuper de Surflette generosi.
36. p. m. Roberti Sheffeld militis.
37. p. m. . . . . (De terris &c. in Thedylthorp Carlto . . . Dedyke, Algarkerke, Skyrbeke, &c.)
38. De thesauro invento per Willielmum Prestwaytt clericum vicarium de Ewarby.

11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Topclyffe armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Feld.
2. p. m. Humfridi Clamond.
3. p. m. Willielmi Welby generosi.
4. p. m. Willielmi Carter de Henyngby husbandman.
5. p. m. Willielmi Letters.
6. p. m. Briani Elward.
7. p. m. Willielmi Herdeby generosi.
8. p. m. Willielmi Hyll generosi.
9. p. m. Anne Pyllett nuper uxoris Johannis Gennyng.
10. p. m. Johannis Gleen.
11. p. m. Johannis Foderby generosi.
12. p. m. Roberti Slorye armigeri.
13. p. m. Humfridi Heyland.
14. p. m. Thome Arley.
15. p. m. Marmaduci Constable militis.
16. p. m. Alexandri Lound.
17. p. m. Roberti Sheffeld gentilman.

12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Hall armigeri Escaetoris ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

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1. p. m. Thome Bretayne clerici.
2. p. m. Henrici Howell de Yngollby.
3. p. m. Georgii Carr.
4. p. m. Roberti Pell.
5. p. m. Johannis Normavell militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Stanley armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Conyers militis.
8. p. m. Margarete nuper uxoris Johannis Topcliff et antea uxoris Johannis Chapman, filii cujusdam Johannis Chapman de Lowth, marchand, senioris.
9. p. m. Thome Babthorp armigeri.
10. p. m. Radulphi Rither militis.
11. p. m. Willielmi Marmyon.
12. p. m. Willielmi Hansard armigeri.
13. p. m. Humfridi Hercy armigeri.
14. De bonis et catallis Johannis Graye nuper de Merton in com. Lincoln carpentar pro diversis feloniis &c. attincti.

13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Dysnay armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ cosam eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Kydchar nuper de Magna Grimesby.
2. p. m. Willielmi Towres de Byshope Norton generosi.
3. p. m. Georgii Hamby.
4. p. m. Willielmi Welby nuper de Halsted generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Bolles de Haw armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Pacy de Barston.
7. p. m. Elizabethe filie * Norman de * et nuper uxoris Johannis Watson de Bothby.
8. p. m. Rogeri Wode nuper civis civitatis Lincoln yoman.
9. p. m. Johannis Gosse de Browne Broughton yoman.
10. p. m. Thome Hunte nuper de Wythom.
11. p. m. Thome Comitis de Darby.
12. p. m. Johannis Colby de Dodyngton yoman.
13. p. m. Willielmi Hanshert armigeri.
14. p. m. tam Anne Carr nuper uxoris Georgii Carr quam post mortem Ricardi Carr filii et heredis dicti Georgii Carr.
15. p. m. Willielmi Tourney.
16. De possessionibus Thome Welby de Halsted armigeri filii et heredis Thome Welby armigeri lunatici.
17. De possessionibus Edwardi Ducis Bukyngham nuper de Thornbury in comitatu Glouc. de diversis proditionibus attincti.

14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Uncle armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Kyme de Fryskeney armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Halgh nuper de Swyneshed.
3. p. m. Willielmi Grantham generosi.
4. p. m. Willielmi Whalley.
5. p. m. Agnetis Lambert nuper uxoris Henrici Lambert.
6. p. m. Nicholai Bradley filii et heredis Thome Bradley nuper de Louth.
7. p. m. Willielmi Beñ nuper de Wrangle.
8. p. m. Thome Bryane nuper de Bolyngbrok.
9. p. m. Johanne nuper uxoris Ricardi Sleford ac unius sororum et heredum Ricardi Braunche.
10. p. m. Willielmi Cranwell armigeri.
11. p. m. Ricardi Hobson filii et heredis Thome Hobson defuncti.
12. p. m. Thome Ratheby generosi.
13. p. m. Michaelis Awngevyn armigeri.
14. p. m. Thome Fitzwilliam armigeri.
15. p. m. Johanne nuper uxoris Roberti Chapman nuper de Boston filie et heredis Johannis Robertson quondam de Halton juxta Spyllesby defuncti.
16. p. m. Roberti Seymer nuper de Welesford.
17. p. m. Willielmi Overton generosi.
18. p. m. Johannis Beteneff.
19. p. m. Simonis Wylkynson alias dicti Simonis Jakson nuper de Wyberton.
[There is also a small fragment of a copy (on paper) of this inquisition.]
20. p. m. Thome Pape nuper de Thedilthorp.
21. p. m. Ricardi Littilbury de Stanesby armigeri.
22. p. m. Ricardi Bolles alias dicti Ricardi Bolles de Hawe armigeri.
23. p. m. Willielmi Tirwhit militis.
24. p. m. Thome Thorp generosi.
25. p. m. Roberti Eland armigeri.
26. p. m. Hugonis Cole alias dicti Hugonis Stephenson.
27. p. m. Ricardi Dysnay generosi.
28. p. m. Johannis Sutton nuper de Boston mercatoris stapule Cales.
29. p. m. Alicie Savage vidue.
30. p. m. Thome nuper Comitis Derb.
31. p. m. Andree Lakan filii et heredis Georgii Laken et Johanne uxoris dicti Georgii.
32. p. m. Ricardi Thymolby armigeri.
33. p. m. Thome Smyth.
34. p. m. Alicie Swetyng filie et heredis Johannis Swetyng de London in comitatu Midd.
35. p. m. Margarete Peper de Thurleby vidue.

* Sic.

36. p. m. Johannis Croke.
37. p. m. Johannis Seyntquyntyne armigeri.
38. p. m. Alexandri Langton.
39. p. m. Willielmi Gresley.
40. p. m. Adlardi Claymond nuper de Frampton mercatoris Stapule Cales.
41. De possessionibus Edmundi Preston defuncti quas Robertus Preston de Horplyng habuit ad sustentationem Thome Preston filii dicti Edmundi idiote.
42. De possessionibus quas Johannes Kirton capellanus dedit in manum mortuam Roberto Wright Rectori de australi parte ecclesie parochialis de Esterkeell proficua quorum Georgius Haliday nunc Rector dicti partis australis ecclesie de Esterkeell percipit.
43. De etate Nicholai Cluney filii et heredis Johannis Cluney nuper de Spalding et de statu mentis sue.
44. De bonis et catallis Thome Johnson nuper de Alford milner felonis.

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Sandon armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Geell de Overteynton.
2. p. m. Roberti Palmer nuper de Wynthorp.
3. p. m. Johannis Heron militis.
4. p. m. Ricardi Flower armigeri.
5. p. m. Roberti Dighton senioris.
6. p. m. Roberti Lyndsey armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Tempest armigeri.
8. p. m. Roberti Day nuper de Claxby ideote.
9. p. m. Johannis Carr militis.
10. p. m. Alicie Rawsetor nuper uxoris Ricardi Rawsetor de Mynting filie et heredis Johannis Haull quondam de Waynflet defuncti.
11. p. m. Stephani Johnson nuper de Barrowe.
12. p. m. Cristoferi Kelke armigeri.
13. p. m. Agnetis Rede filie et heredis Andree Rede nuper de Wrangle.
14. p. m. Anne Forman nuper uxoris Henrici Skern defuncti.
15. p. m. Johannis Gybson.
16. p. m. Johanne Elande.
17. p. m. Anne Nevell.
18. p. m. Johannis Gedney senioris.
19. p. m. Georgii Gedney armigeri.
20. p. m. Henrici domini Grey de Codnor militis.
21. p. m. Mauricii Berkeley armigeri.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Etton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Rawleght militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Clony.
3. p. m. Roberti Sherard armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Carlton.
5. p. m. Ricardi Hogeson nuper de Wyberton.
6. p. m. Roberti Crathorn nuper de Boston.
7. p. m. Thome Sharp.
8. p. m. Roberti Hull nuper de Swynneshed.
9. p. m. Francisci Belwod generosi.
10. p. m. Thome Lovell militis.
11. p. m. Johannis Elred de Brun.
12. p. m. Johannis Harington armigeri.
13. p. m. Thome Welby de Halsted armigeri.
14. p. m. Ricardi Wythornwik generosi.
15. p. m. Roberti Jolyff capellani.
16. p. m. Roberti Cony.
17. p. m. Johannis Fulnetby de Fulnetby armigeri.
18. p. m. Willielmi Totheby de Totheby yoman.
19. p. m. Willielmi Turpyn de Knaptoft in comitatu Leycestr. armigeri.
20. p. m. Johannis Vavesour armigeri.
21. p. m. Willielmi Hogeson.
22. p. m. Johannis Muschamp nuper de Strubby.
23. p. m. Georgii Carter.
24. p. m. Georgii Hopkynson.
25. p. m. Willielmi Davy nuper de Revesby.
26. p. m. Roberti Willughby de Broke militis.

17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Clerke armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Meres armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Staunton armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Stokam.
4. p. m. Radulphi Barde.
5. p. m. Thome Sergiaunt nuper de Multon generosi.
6. p. m. Ricardi Suttill.
7. p. m. Ricardi Basset militis.
8. p. m. Anne Stydolff nuper uxoris Johannis Stydolff.
9. p. m. Galfridi Paynell.
10. p. m. Johanne Fytton nuper uxoris Willielmi Fytton generosi.
11. p. m. Ricardi Bozom militis.
12. p. m. Thome Wastlyn armigeri.
13. p. m. Ricardi Willoughby armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Carre.

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15. p. m. Ricardi Whetcrofte nuper de Conyngesby mercatoris stapule Cales.
16. p. m. Milonis Bussy nuper de Hougham militis.
17. p. m. Johannis Anderson.
18. De intrusione super solum Regis apud Saltfletby per Robertum Sherwode de Saltfletby yeoman facta. Item de purprestura ibidem facta.
19. Breve de concedendo officio Escaetoris eidem Ricardo Clerke armigero.

17-18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Lyttylbury armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem [ ]
17- [ ] 18 Hen. VIII.—18 m. (*Fragmentum*). (*The whole of the New Escheats only.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Gray armigeri filii junioris Johannis Gray militis nuper domini Gray de Wyllton.
2. p. m. Matilde Bassot nuper uxoris Willielmi Basset et quondam uxoris Johannis Hiltoft.
3. p. m. Katerine Marbury.
4. p. m. Ricardi Wryght de Trusthorp.
5. p. m. Willielmi Fitzwilliam filii et heredis Thome Fitzwilliam de Aldewarke in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
6. p. m. Johanne Winbyche nuper uxoris Johannis Wynbeche armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Wesylhed de Wynthorp.
8. p. m. Josephi Benyson de Boston mercatoris stapule Cales.
9. p. m. Johannis Wymbyshe armigeri.
10. p. m. Laurencii Cuffe armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Pelson de Burght in le Marshe.
12. p. m. Johannis Roper de Alderkerk.
13. p. m. Ade Penyngton armigeri.
14. p. m. Thome Harecrofte nuper de Sutton in Holland.
15. p. m. Johannis Maynard de Pynchebek senioris.
16. p. m. Johannis Robynson . . . . . .

18-19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Mounson armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 16 Nov. 18—18 Nov. 19 Hen. VIII.—28 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Laurencii Moigne.
2. p. m. Ricardi Wetherwek generosi.
3. p. m. Domine Margarete Copuldik dotisse.
4. p. m. Roberti Evers. (*A small fragment.*)
5. p. m. Ricardi Welby.
6. p. m. Rogeri Flowre armigeri.
7. p. m. Gilberti Pynchebek armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Car.
9. p. m. Johannis Hill.
10. p. m. Johannis Uncle de Bullyngbroke.
11. p. m. Willielmi Sutton de Boston mercatoris stapule ville Cales.
12. p. m. Johannis Twysselton de London cytysyn.
13. p. m. Henrici Hanserd clerici.
14. p. m. Alexandri Leke de Stanigode armigeri.
15. Tam p. m. Wilielmi Hansartt militis quam p. m. Willielmi Hansartt armigeri filii et heredis predicti Willielmi Hansartt militis.
16. p. m. Barnerdi Crawthorne generosi.
17. p. m. Johannis Ratheby.
18. p. m. Radulphi Bard.
19. p. m. Agnete* Colvell nuper uxoris Roberti Colvell et postea uxoris Frauncissi Browne.
20. p. m. Reginaldi Nowill.
21. p. m. Thome Burgh.
22. p. m. Thome Callowe.
23. p. m. Willielmi Rudde.
24. p. m. Oliveri at Hall.
25. p. m. Thome Tyryngham.
26. p. m. domine Alicie Markham nuper uxoris Simonis Fitz Rychard militis.
27. Inquisitio ad inquirendum utrum Thomas Wymbysshe filius et heres Johannis Wymbysshe fatuus et ideota naturalis existit necne, et quantum terrarum et tenementorum in possessione aut in usu a tempore mortis dicti Johannis patris sui eidem Thome descendebant aut descendere aut revertere debent aut debuerunt.
28. p. m. De usurpacione franchesiarum per Willielmum Ascowgh militem infra manerium de Sowthkelsay et in quadam Grangia et terris vocatis Wyngall in parochia sancte Marie de Sowthkelsay in comitatu Lincoln.

19-20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Saintpoll armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Carton nuper de Holbych.
2. p. m. Johanne Harcroft.
3. p. m. Margarete Nelse.
4. p. m. Hugonis Clederowe de Brantyngham in comitatu Ebor. clerici.
5. p. m. Johannis Blankepayn filii et heredis Thome Blankepayn nuper de Hundleby.
6. p. m. Johannis Assordby nuper de Byllesby generosi.
7. p. m. Laurentii Holden nuper de Sutton in Holand.
8. p. m. Randulphi Banaster gentilman.
9. p. m. Thome Kiddall armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Twyselton civis et aldermanni London.
11. p. m. Georgii Wetherwyk.
12. p. m. Laurencii Atkyrke.
13. p. m. Johannis Howes nuper de Croyland generosi.
14. p. m. Johanne Hyllyerd vidue.

* Sic.

15. p. m. Johannis Langholme armigeri.
16. p. m. Isabelle Staveley.
17. p. m. Willielmi Ingilby armigeri.
18. p. m. Henrici Willughby militis.
19. p. m. Thome Ryther armigeri.

21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Humfridi Walcott armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Graye militis.
2. p. m. Briani Palmes armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Preston.
4. p. m. Johanne Neville nuper uxoris Roberti Lyndesey.
5. p. m. Johannis Turpyn armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Canworth.
7. p. m. Anne Ward et Johannis Hardwyke.
8. p. m. Roberti Vicars nuper de Magna Grymmesby [yeoman].
9. Alia inquisitio p. m. ejusdem.
10. p. m. Johannis Slefford generosi.
11. p. m. Susanne nuper uxoris Rogeri Beele unius filiarum Andree Leek.
12. p. m. Thome Fynes militis.
13. p. m. Johannis Floter et Johanne uxoris ejus nuper de Gosberkyrk.
14. p. m. Johannis Palmer.
15. p. m. Ricardi Pery nuper de Kyrton in Holand.
16. p. m. Johannis Hooghe.
17. p. m. Johannis Zowche de Codnore militis.
18. p. m. Willielmi Glasiner.
19. p. m. Thome Quadryng armigeri.
20. p. m. Willielmi Hert nuper de Spaldyng.
21. p. m. Ricardi Wentworth militis.
22. p. m. Johannis Everyngham militis.
23. De jure presentationis ad ecclesiam de Bekynghame vacantem per mortem magistri Simonis Yates ultimi Rectoris.

22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Davidis Cecyll armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Agnetis Bele.
2. p. m. Thome Kylham armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti Halgarthe.
4. p. m. Willielmi Legh armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Wolmare de Swynshed armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Rodelay yoman.
7. p. m. Ricardi Wyethoode de Thorneton.
8. p. m. Thome Risell nuper de Asby juxta Perteney filii et heredis Johannes Risell.
9. p. m. Thome Rudde nuper de Quadryng.
10. p. m. Willielmi Goodall generosi.
11. p. m. Johannis Henege senioris.
12. p. m. Alani Barnby nuper de Kyrton in Holand yeoman.
13. p. m. Johannis Sheperde de Benyngton junioris.
14. p. m. Johannis Pynchebeke de Butterwyke.
15. p. m. Ricardi Palmer de Freston.
16. p. m. Johannis Beverlay.
17. p. m. Johannis Huddelston.
18. p. m. Roberti Elryke de Wynthorpe.
19. p. m. Thome Hert.
20. p. m. Roberti Whalley generosi.
21. p. m. Ricardi Clerk armigeri.
22. p. m. Willielmi Dalison armigeri.
23. p. m. Radulphi Battie.
24. p. m. Johannis Topcliff armigeri.
25. p. m. Roberti Rede.
26. p. m. Willielmi Wodeforthe nuper de Fallesthorp generosi.
27. p. m. Elizabethe quondam uxoris Antonii Rygges.
28. p. m. Christoferi Wymbyshe armigeri.

23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Hall armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Beawfoo armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Palmer junioris.
3. p. m. Georgii Hanby.
4. p. m. Johannis Rysheby.
5. p. m. Henrici Stoylle.
6. p. m. Agnetis Beill.
7. p. m. Johannis Huddleston armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Cleymond.
9. p. m. Willielmi Tymberland.
10. p. m. Johannis Ellerker armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Marschall nuper de Tateshale clerici.
12. p. m. Willielmi Sugar nuper de Holbeche.
13. p. m. Ricardi Rosyter de Myntyng.
14. p. m. Willielmi Goodhall generosi.
15. p. m. Thome Vavasour armigeri.
16. p. m. Johanne Sheffeld vidue.
17. p. m. Roberti Brudenell militis, capitalis Justiciarii domine Regis de Communi Banco.
18. p. m. Johannis Lever.

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19. p. m. Willielmi Willoughby militis domini de Willoughby.
20. p. m. Thome Robertson nuper de Boston armigeri et mercatoris stapule ville Calesie.
21. p. m. Margarete Tebotte nuper uxoris Roberti Tebotte et antea uxoris Ricardi Flete.
22. p. m. Thome Trewetayll.

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Gyldon armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johanne Leke nuper uxoris Willielmi Leke ac quondam uxoris Willielmi Brown nuper de Donyngton generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Hoberd.
3. p. m. Michaelis Smyth nuper de Ulceby.
4. p. m. Thome Meres generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Armyn armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Colynson nuper de Thedilthorp.
7. p. m. Thome Tede nuper de Conysby.
8. p. m. Roberti Leche clerici.
9. p. m. Margarete Browne nuper uxoris Ricardi Bottyll nuper de Donyngton in Holland.
10. p. m. Willielmi Barkeley.
11. p. m. Cristoferi Haggas de Esterkell generosi.
12. p. m. Matilde Parr vidue.
13. p. m. Ricardi Lytlore generosi.
14. p. m. Egidii Hansard.
15. p. m. Rogeri Bell nuper de Butterwyk.
16. p. m. Walteri Gryffyth militis.
17. p. m. Johannis Tomson.
18. p. m. Willielmi Bowes nuper de Hundelby.
19. p. m. Godfridi Bolles generosi.
20. p. m. Edwardi Bawtre de Boston mercatoris Stapule ville Cales.
21. p. m. Willielmi Gaunce nuper de Thedylthorpe yoman.
22. p. m. Thome Tydde de Tydde beate Marie.
23. p. m. Georgii Folde nuper de Webberton generosi.
24. p. m. Ricardi Jettur.
25. p. m. Ricardi Whityngham nuper de Sutterton.
26. p. m. Thome nuper Marchionis Dors.
27. p. m. Hugonis Shawe.
28. p. m. Roberti Sheffeld militis.

24–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Moigne armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici West.
2. p. m. Johannis Partriche de Gednay.
3. p. m. Christoferi Leke generosi.
4. p. m. Katherine Benett.
5. p. m. Ricardi Cornwall militis.
6. p. m. Thome Fynes domini Dakers de South.
7. p. m. Nicholai Upton armigeri.
8. p. m. Ricardi Murre nuper de Kyrton in Holand.
9. p. m. Roberti Glover de Pynchebeck.
10. p. m. Ricardi Paynell senioris de Bouthby armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Ely.
12. p. m. Johannis Austen.
13. p. m. Willielmi Baker.
14. p. m. Willielmi Hode nuper de Mawbylthorpe.
15. p. m. Johannis Clymson nuper de Wyberton.
16. p. m. Anne Welby.
17. p. m. Henrici Percy.
18. p. m. Ricardi Nayler nuper de Glentham.
19. p. m. Thome Phelipson nuper de Tetforth.
20. p. m. Thome Cappe generosi.
21. p. m. Johannis Jenney generosi.
22. p. m. Thome Tamworth generosi.
23. p. m. Nicholai Wymbyssh nuper de Blankney.
24. p. m. Johannis Langton senioris armigeri.
25. p. m. Johannis Bowles armigeri.
26. p. m. Johannis Trusdale.
27. p. m. Thome Bele de Kyrton in Hollande.

25–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Philippi Awdeley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Hill senioris.
2. p. m. Thome Meres generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Bawdyng.
4. p. m. Hamundi Wichecott.
5. p. m. Katerine Walgrave uxoris Willielmi Walgrave.
6. p. m. Johannis Strange.
7. p. m. Thome Hawe nuper de Glentham. clerici.
8. p. m. Roberti Humpe nuper de Gosberkyrk.
9. p. m. Humfridi Ordyng nuper de Kyrton in Holand in Lincoln.
10. p. m. Thome Love.
11. p. m. Elinore Sergiaunt vidue.
12. p. m. Thome Borowghe de Bikar yoman.
13. p. m. Roberti Tyrryngham armigeri.*

* This inquisition is said to have been taken January 2, in the 25th of Henry VIII., at Boston, before *John* Awdeley, the Escheator for Lincolnshire, an error of the scribe it is supposed for *Philip* Awdeley, before whom all the other inquisitions in this year were taken.

14. p. m. Johannis Maryng nuper de Wayntflet filii et heredis Johannis Maryng.
15. p. m. Hugonis Cust de Pynchebek.
16. p. m. Roberti Tomlynson generosi.
17. p. m. Willielmi Wright de Benyngton.
18. p. m. Johannis Dunham militis.
19. p. m. Roberti Taythwell generosi.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Ogle armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Briani Curtas.
2. p. m. Francisci Hall nuper de Grauntham armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Nettam generosi.
4. p. m. Henrici Babthorp.
5. p. m. Willielmi Fitzwilliam de Milton in comitatu Northt. militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Vavasour armigeri.
7. p. m. Margerie Rudde nuper uxoris Johannis Rudde et antea uxoris Roberti Blounte armigeri defuncti.
8. p. m. Stephani Johnson.
9. p. m. Edwardi Forman armigeri.
10. p. m. Stephani Abraham nuper de Skyrbek.
11. p. m. Johannis Cole nuper de Bykers.
12. p. m. Johannis Gedney nuper de Baghenderby armigeri.
13. p. m. Johannis Kyme nuper de Stikforth generosi.
14. p. m. Johannis Chateris nuper de Pynchebek senioris husbondmon.
15. p. m. Thome Heyland de Kyrton in partibus de Holand.
16. p. m. Thome Overton generosi.
17. p. m. Ricardi Robertson nuper de Leverton yoman.
18. p. m. Johannis Vasen nuper de Yothorp.
19. p. m. Lamberti Worme.
20. p. m. Ricardi Kirke nuper de Horncastell.
21. p. m. Thome Godfrey senioris.
22. p. m. Ricardi Wolby nuper de Thorp juxta Waynflett.
23. p. m. Roberti Halgarth nuper de Horncastell.
24. p. m. Simonis Loydon nuper de parochia beate Marie de Waynflett.
25. p. m. Edwardi Forman nuper de Waltham in comitatu predicto.
26. p. m. Elizabethe Eyre vidue.
27. p. m. Thome Temper.
28. p. m. Willielmi Pyncrayk nuper de Burght.
29. p. m. Willielmi Morwyn de Hoggesthorp.
30. p. m. Ricardi Steward nuper de Beseby.
31. p. m. Johannis Chatters nuper de Stalyngburgh generosi.
32. p. m. Johanne Beverley nuper uxoris Thome Beverley de Foterby.
33. p. m. Ricardi Pecher.
34. p. m. Marione Hawport nuper uxoris Hugonis Hawport filie et heredis Johannis Garrard defuncti.
35. p. m. Johannis Walnett nuper de Toft.
36. p. m. Roberti Brigg nuper de Wigtoft.
37. p. m. Willielmi Wylkynson nuper de Wyberton.
38. p. m. Ricardi Raynold nuper de Calcroft infra parochiam de Cokeryngton sancte Marie.
39. p. m. Thome Household de Tydde sancti Egidii in comitatu Cantabr.
40. p. m. Petri Butler nuper de Butterwyk.
41. p. m. Henrici Hunston.
42. p. m. Johannis Litilbury de Hagworthingham armigeri.

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Dalyson armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Briani Curteys armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Gardiner armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Johnson alias Hogekynson nuper de Wiberton yoman.
4. p. m. Johannis Vycars de Ludforth.
5. p. m. Thome Roche de Humberston generosi.
6. p. m. Roberti Toly de Church Langton.
7. p. m. Roberti Wyffyn.
8. p. m. Johanne Rutte nuper uxoris Willielmi Rutte.
9. p. m. Roberti Scherwod.
10. p. m. Agnetis Roche votive relicte Johannis Roche filii et heredis Willielmi Roche defuncti.
11. p. m. Edwardi Heynd.
12. p. m. Agnetis Keyme nuper uxoris Guydonis Keyme de Louth.
13. p. m. Ricardi Dubler.
14. p. m. Johannis Beysby.
15. p. m. Johannis Sparrowe junioris.
16. p. m. Willielmi Bond nuper de Northampton fisshemonger.
17. p. m. Henrici Nornes armigeri.
18. p. m. Johannis Porter.
19. p. m. Alienore Weste vidue domine Lawarr nuper uxoris Thome West militis nuper domini Lawarr.
20. p. m. Roberti Skynner nuper de Lincoln.
21. p. m. Willielmi Percy.
22. p. m. Georgii Etton armigeri.
23. p. m. Thome Wryght.
24. p. m. Thome Stedman nuper de Benyngton in Holland.
25. p. m. Johannis Meres armigeri.
26. p. m. Robarti Athall.

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1. p. m. Roberti Knollys.
2. p. m. Thome Robertson de Boston generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Bretton gentilman.
4. p. m. Johanne Cecyll vidue.
5. p. m. Ricardi Rede de Wrangle armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Bowthe nuper de Kyllyngholme armigeri.
7. p. m. Willielmi Towly de Styknay yoman.
8. p. m. Willielmi Jenetson de Stykforth.
9. p. m. Alicie Trayne de Doneham in comitatu Lincoln vidue.
10. p. m. Thome Ketloke nuper de Waynflet beate Marie.
11. p. m. Johannis Wyche generosi.
12. p. m. Thome Abee de Tattersall.
13. p. m. Johannis Rodysby de Sturby yoman.
14. p. m. Thome Wryght.
15. p. m. Roberti Carleton nuper de Worsope in comitatu Not. generosi, fratris et heredis Ricardi Carleton filii et heredis Edwardi Carleton nuper de Burton juxta Lincoln generosi.
16. p. m. Roberti Holme de Saxby yoman.
17. p. m. Johannis Hopkynson de Leverton filii et heredis Edmundi Hopkynson nuper de Leverton.
18. p. m. Ricardi Freman nuper de Faldyngworth husbondman.
19. p. m. Johannis Thewe.
20. p. m. Johannis Craycroft nuper de Ingolmels generosi.
21. p. m. Johannis Whytyng.
22. p. m. Caroli Howson de Boston marchaunt.
23. p. m. Edwardi Brigg nuper de Skremby.
24. p. m. Cuthlaci Overton armigeri.
25. p. m. Johannis Prestneff nuper de Ewrnthorp.
26. p. m. Roberti Sykylpryce nuper de Pynchebek yoman.
27. p. m. Johannis Rigges nuper de Conyngesby generosi.
28. p. m. Willielmi Cawod.
29. p. m. Edwardi Williamsone nuper de Saxby yoman.
30. p. m. Johannis Dandysone nuper de Waynflet beate Marie.
31. p. m. Johannis Kyrke nuper de Westerkele.
32. p. m. Johannis Cutt de Fyrskeney.
33. p. m. Ricardi Kellet de Boston.
34. p. m. Thome Robertson de Boston mercatoris ville Stapule Cales.
35. p. m. Thome Robertson de Boston gent. [*This is a copy on 3 sheets of paper, of a different inquisition from that just named.*]
36. p. m. Willielmi Hope yoman.
37. p. m. Edwardi Cawood nuper de Arnold in comitatu Nottingham generosi.
38. p. m. Radulphi Grene.
39. p. m. Johannis Hempyngham nuper de Grymysby.
40. p. m. Johannis Chapman senioris et Agnetis uxoris ejus.
41. p. m. Georgii Huddeswell nuper de Horstaw generosi pro diversis altis proditionibus attincti et ad pœnam mortis positi.
42. De possessionibus Roberti Leche nuper de Fulletby super Montem attincti.

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Hylton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 29 Nov. 29—24 Nov. 30 Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Sparke nuper de Gedney yoman.
2. p. m. Agnetis Chaters nuper uxoris Georgii Chaters ac filie et heredis Roberti Hun nuper de Wygtoft. defuncti.
3. p. m. Barnardi Gaunce nuper de Thedilthorp yoman.
4. p. m. Roberti Cawche nuper de Donyngton in Holland in eodem comitatu.
5. p. m. Thome Hall nuper de Swynneshed.
6. p. m. Anne Pooles de Kirketon in Holland vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Pooles de eadem generosi defuncti filie et unice heredis Alani Cony nuper de eadem marcatoris stapule ville Calicie defuncti.
7. p. m. Henrici nuper Ducis Richemond.
8. p. m. Thome Soull nuper de Pynchebek.
9. p. m. Johannis Hygdon de Northkelsay.
10. p. m. Katherine nuper uxoris Thome Hayre de Quadryng et antea uxoris cujusdam Thome Burdeley nuper de eadem defuncti et preantea uxoris cujusdam Thome Rudde quondam de eadem defuncti.
11. p. m. Roberti Chele de Cowbyt.
12. p. m. Ricardi Cuppledyke de Frampton yoman.
13. p. m. Thome Argham.
14. p. m. Roberti Knolles.
15. p. m. Caroli Howson de Boston mercatoris.
16. p. m. Hugonis Oversall nuper de Hulle in comitatu Ebor.
17. p. m. Willielmi Williamson nuper de Byllyngay in partibus de Kesteven yoman.
18. p. m. Thome Sherard armigeri.
19. p. m. Thome Glene yoman.
20. p. m. Thome Tupholme generosi.
21. p. m. Thome Howett de Ingoldsby.
22. p. m. Margarete Bryton.
23. p. m. Willielmi Roche nuper de Parva Grymesby generosi.
24. p. m. Thome Gildon armigeri.
25. p. m. Roberti Briges nuper de Wygtoft.
26. p. m. Willielmi Etwell nuper de Boston.

27. p. m. Anne Merbury [or Marbury] vidue.
28. p. m. Edwardi Prykfeld generosi.
29. p. m. Willielmi Meryng militis.
30. p. m. Leonis Quadrynge armigeri.
31. p. m. Roberti Pulvertoft.
32. De terris et tenementis spectantibus Gilde beate Marie de Northsomercoots jacentibus infra villam et villatas de Northsomercotes Saltfletby Skidbroke et Garnthorp et Southsomercotes.
33. De possessionibus Ricardi Haryson nuper Abbatis Monasterii de Kyrkestede alias dicti Ricardi Haryson nuper de Kyrkestede clerici de alta proditione attincti.
34. De possessionibus Ade Sedbare nuper Abbatis Monasterii de Jervaulx in comitatu Ebor. de alta proditione attincti.
35. De possessionibus Mathei Makerell nuper de Berlynges clerici alias dicti Mathei Makerell nuper Abbatis Monasterii beate Marie et sancti Edwardi de Berlynges de alta proditione attincti.
36. De possessionibus Willielmi Wodde nuper Prioris Prioratus de Bridlyngton in comitatu Ebor. de alta proditione attincti.
37. De possessionibus Georgii Huddeswell nuper de Horstowe generosi similiter attincti.
38. De possessionibus Francisci Bygode nuper de Setryngton in comitatu Ebor. militis alias dicti Francisci Bygott nuper de Setryngton in eodem comitatu militis, attincti.
39. De possessionibus Johannis Bulmer de Wylton in comitatu Ebor. militis, attincti.
40. De possessionibus Thome Darcy nuper de Templehurst in comitatu Ebor. militis alias dicti Thome Darcy domini Darcy nuper de Templehurst militis, attincti.
41. De possessionibus Roberti Constable nuper de Flamburgh in comitatu Ebor. militis, attincti.
42. De possessionibus Johannis Husse nuper de Sleford militis alias dicti Johannis Hussey militis domini Hussey nuper de Sleford.
43. De quibusdam molendinis &c. que Johannes Huse miles nuper dominus Huse tenuit et que ratione attincture sue in manum Regis devenerunt.
44. De possessionibus . . . . . attincti.

[The above inquisitions on attainted persons have the autograph signatures of the juries.]

45. p. m. Thome Brygges nuper de Surflet yoman. (*Fragmentum.*)

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Anthonii Irby armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Rowte.
2. p. m. Willielmi Weyselhed.
3. p. m. Henrici Bothe.
4. p. m. Thome Richardson.
5. p. m. Agnetis Waterlade nuper uxoris Roberti Waterlade ac quondam uxoris Thome Lynley.
6. p. m. Willielmi Hygdon.
7. p. m. Andree Byllesby militis.
8. p. m. Willielmi Stanlowe nuper de Stykforthe armigeri.
9. p. m. Johanne Mason nuper uxoris Willielmi Mason.
10. p. m. Humfridi Walcott armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Blake nuper de Grantham.
12. p. m. Johannis Beitson.
13. p. m. Barnardi Messenden generosi.
14. p. m. Isabelle Asseby.
15. p. m. Thome Westfeld.
16. p. m. Roberti Seynton.
17. p. m. Johannis Watson nuper de Sowthwytham.
18. p. m. Willielmi Gonneby generosi.
19. p. m. Johannis Cony de Frampton.
20. p. m. Johannis Trasshe.
21. p. m. Johanuis Pynchebeke.
22. p. m. Agnetis Hobson nuper uxoris Edmundi Hobson nuper de Spalding.
23. p. m. Christopheri Meres armigeri.
24. p. m. Georgii Feld.
25. p. m. Johannis Deth nuper de Gosberkyrke.
26. p. m. Willielmi Butler.
27. p. m. Michaelis Pery de Kyrton in Holand.
28. p. m. Johannis Wright nuper de Stykforth.
29. p. m. Johannis Bluett generosi.
30. p. m. Thome Glene.
31. p. m. Edithe Marmyon vidue.
32. p. m. Thome Idon nuper de Whaplod.
33. p. m. Rogeri Hogekynson nuper de Wyberton.
34. p. m. Johannis Cooke.
35. p. m. Johannis Flete generosi.
36. p. m. Thome Bounteyn generosi.
37. De possessionibus Mathei Makerell nuper de Barlynges clerici alias dicti Mathei Makerell nuper Abbatis monasterii beate Marie et sancti Edwardi de Barlynges attincti.

31-32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Thorold armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Tenman.
2. p. m. Thome Mounford nuper de Ryby generosi.
3. p. m. Roberti Dewe.
4. p. m. Johannis Dawson nuper de Sutterby.
5. p. m. Johannis Pulter yoman.

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6. p. m. Johannis Kygges nuper de Brugh [aut Burgh] in marisco.
7. p. m. Roberti Grene.
8. p. m. Roberti Crawe.
9. p. m. Ricardi Pynchebek.
10. p. m. Ricardi Cooke de Wynterton.
11. p. m. Willielmi Ashby nuper de Louthe generosi.
12. p. m. Johannis Grene.
13. p. m. Willielmi Beele.
14. p. m. Johannis Bolles de Quadryng generosi.
15. p. m. Willielmi Bery.
16. p. m. Alicie Dony.
17. p. m. Thome Portyngton armigeri.
18. p. m. Johannis Kyrton.
19. p. m. Willielmi Hardeby nuper de Evedon in partibus de Kesteven generosi.
20. p. m. Agnetis Loue [aut Love] vidue.
21. p. m. Christoferi Ayscught militis.
22. p. m. Ricardi Fulstow nuper de Overteynton yoman.
23. p. m. Christoferi Conyers militis domini Conyers de Horneby in comitatu Ebor.
24. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Byllesby vidue.
25. p. m. Michaelis Englysshe nuper civis et aldermanni London.
26. p. m. Johannis Thomson.
27. p. m. Roberti Heyland de Kyrkton in Holland senioris.
28. p. m. Willielmi Ellerker de Ellerker armigeri.
29. p. m. Edmundi Bussy armigeri.
30. p. m. Johannis Tamworth armigeri.

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Anthonii Robertson armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Aungevyn nuper de Assheby juxta Horncastell.
2. p. m. Georgii Caddall generosi.
3. p. m. Roberti Browne nuper de Lowth.
4. p. m. Johannis Pulter yoman.
5. p. m. Francisci Broun de Tolthorpp in comitatu Rutland armigeri.
6. p. m. Antonii Marys generosi.
7. p. m. Edmundi Skern armigeri.
8. p. m. Guidonis Towrs nuper de Tetnay generosi.
9. p. m. Godfridi Fulnetby armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Pooles.
11. p. m. Ricardi Trewe.
12. p. m. Rogeri Teff de Appleby yoman.
13. p. m. Henrici Lambert.
14. p. m. Thome Pepper nuper de Hotofte generosi.
15. p. m. Willielmi Manby generosi.
16. p. m. Ricardi Talyer nuper de Stalyngbroth.
17. p. m. Willielmi Brygges de Whaplode.
18. p. m. Willielmi Sybsey nuper de Freston.
19. p. m. Willielmi Turwhyt militis filii et heredis Roberti Trowhytt militis.
20. p. m. Alicie Ribye.
21. p. m. Willielmi Porter nuper de Sybsey.
22. p. m. Johannis Trewthall generosi.
23. p. m. Arthuri Bocher generosi.
24. p. m. Thome Delalaunde de Asheby juxta Bloxham generosi.
25. p. m. Christofori Fotherby.
26. p. m. Johannis Fryskeney.
27. p. m. Nicholai Pulvertoft de Alderkyrke in Holland.
28. p. m. Nicolai Ermond.
29. p. m. Thome Sutton de Boston generosi.
30. p. m. Nicholai Wollryche de Spaldyng senioris.
31. p. m. Arthuri Ormesby.
32. p. m. Johannis Elmys armigeri.
33. p. m. Willielmi Dysney armigeri.
34. p. m. Humfridi Langholme.
35. p. m. Ricardi Bleke nuper de Freston yoman.
36. p. m. Thome Hatclyff nuper de Luseham in comitatu Kanc. armigeri.
37. p. m. Leonardi Curtis nuper de Magna Grymesby generosi.

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Diton [aut Dayton] armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Alkockson de Hagworthingham yoman.
2. p. m. Johanne Percy de Spaldyng.
3. p. m. Johannis Mounson militis.
4. p. m. Ricardi Rede. (*Fragmentum.*)

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Smyth armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Simonis Cooke nuper de North Ransbe.
2. p. m. Willielmi Gared nuper de South Ransbe.
3. p. m. Georgii Graunt.
4. p. m. Johannis Pynchebek nuper de North Ransbe.
5. p. m. Ricardi Gilbe.
6. p. m. Ricardi Bacon de Burn.
7. p. m. Walteri Sowle nuper de South Ransbe.

8. p. m. Agnetis Lambert.
9. p. m. Ricardi Fyssher de Burn.
10. p. m. Willielmi Thomson nuper de Calthorp.
11. p. m. Georgii Purley armigeri.
12. p. m. Ricardi Sapcott militis.
13. p. m. Thome Skevyngton armigeri.
14. p. m. Willielmi Hollys militis.
15. p. m. Henrici Rither armigeri.
16. p. m. Thome Taylor nuper de Stalingburgh yoman.
17. p. m. Johannis Pell nuper de Osburnbe.
18. p. m. Johannis Evered nuper de Ingoldsby.
19. p. m. Thome Galaway.
20. p. m. Johannis Newcum.
21. p. m. Thome Roper de Algerkyrke yoman.
22. p. m. Roberti Kyrtton.
23. p. m. Willielmi Danson.
24. p. m. Willielmi Hole.
25. p. m. Johannis Kyrke.
26. p. m. Henrici Harward.
27. p. m. Henrici Trayne nuper de Snarforthe.
28. p. m. Willielmi Bleseby armigeri.

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Thorold armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Sandon militis.
2. p. m. Thome Westland nuper de Leverton.
3. p. m. Thome Drope.
4. p. m. Ricardi Crain nuper de Butterwyke.
5. p. m. Thome Gudhand generosi.
6. p. m. Willielmi Couper generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Bawdes generosi.
8. p. m. Caroli Yerbryghe armigeri.
9. p. m. Willielmi Wygston.
10. p. m. Willielmi Brigges de Kyrton in Lyndsey.
11. p. m. Johannis Croxton de Kyrton in Lyndsey.
12. p. m. Willielmi Cawdron.
13. p. m. Laurentii Sturdyvant.
14. p. m. Johannis Fresshemer nuper de Maltby in le Marsshe.
15. p. m. Thome Dobson de Gaynsburgh.
16. p. m. Thome Barde nuper de Tevelby.
17. p. m. Johannis Saymer.
18. p. m. Willielmi Urrey de Messyngham.
19. p. m. Roberti Hustwayte armigeri.
20. p. m. Johannis Wentsley de Colbye.
21. p. m. Caroli Browne de Westwood juxta Haxsey in insula de Haxholme generosi.
22. p. m. Edwardi Knottisford nuper de Walesby yoman.
23. p. m. Thome Allott de Limber magna.
24. p. m. Thome Nyxe nuper de Burton juxta Corby.
25. p. m. Roberti Johnson nuper de Bykar capellani.
26. p. m. Thome Herryson de Wynthorpe yoman.
27. p. m. Humfridi Pery generosi.
28. p. m. Isabelle Spaldyng vidue.
29. p. m. Willielmi Trewe.
30. p. m. Johannis Bate nuper de Boston generosi.
31. p. m. Thome Maryot de Whaplod.
32. p. m. Willielmi West de Louth yoman.
33. p. m. Roberti Fowler.
34. p. m. Thome Benett generosi.
35. p. m. Johannis Bassett armigeri.
36. p. m. Gregorii Dewe.
37. p. m. Roberti Pelson.
38. p. m. Ricardi Diconson de Gayton.
39. p. m. Roberti Topclyff.

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Augustini Porter armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Dymmok.

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Robertson armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Kytchin de Hebaldstowe yoman.
2. p. m. Johannis Skynner nuper de civitate Lincoln.
3. p. m. Agnetis nuper uxoris Thome Honne de Wigtoft in partibus de Holland, consanguinee, et proxime heredis cujusdam Davidis Hawdayle quondam de eadem defuncti videlicet filie et heredis Johanne sororis et heredis Willielmi filii et heredis Johannis fratris junioris et heredis Willielmi filii et heredis predicti Davidis Hawdale.
4. p. m. Roberti Palframan yoman.
5. p. m. Martini Mynsterchamber.
6. p. m. Roberti Dethe nuper de Gosberkyrk yoman.
7. p. m. Johannis Lyttylburye.
8. p. m. Willielmi Coggan generosi.
9. p. m. Thome Wesilhed.
10. p. m. Thome Irby nuper de Multon.
11. p. m. Georgii Elleston filii et heredis Johannis Elleston defuncti.

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12. p. m. Johannis Shepard nuper de Benyngton.
13. p. m. Roberti Adlarde [aut Athelarde].
14. p. m. Ricardi Conye nuper mercatoris stapule ville Calles.
15. p. m. Willielmi Bawde.
16. p. m. Thome Rabday nuper de Boston.
17. p. m. Johannis Whithode.
18. p. m. Johannis Tavernor.
19. p. m. Henrici Newcom nuper de Skirbek.
20. p. m. Florencie Robertson et Margerie Robertson.
21. p. m. Thome Gosse generosi.
22. p. m. Isabelle Palmer.
23. p. m. Johannis Thorp.
24. p. m. Thome Ranson de Byker.
25. p. m. Georgii Sybsey nuper de Boston generosi.
26. p. m. Johannis Lawes.
27. p. m. Johannis Wright nuper de Bynbroke clerici.
28. p. m. Johannis Williamson nuper de Whaploud.
29. p. m. Edwardi Bullen militis.
30. p. m. Thome Darby armigeri.
31. p. m. Rogeri Welby nuper de Fossedyke yoman.
32. p. m. Ricardi Welby armigeri.
33. p. m. Roberti Dighton armigeri.
34. p. m. Thome Toutheby nuper de Toutheby armigeri.
35. p. m. Thome Dymoke armigeri.
36. p. m. Johannis Davye generosi.
37. p. m. Johannis Sayntpoll armigeri.
38. p. m. Roberti Sutton de Burton juxta Lincoln armigeri.

38 *Hen. VIII.*—1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ricardi Ogle armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: ***Deest.*** Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Christoferi Thorney.
2. p. m. Roberti Clony.
3. p. m. Johannis Wylsey.
4. p. m. Willielmi Cony senioris.
5. p. m. Radulphi White.
6. p. m. Johannis Hardgrave armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Edgare armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Thymylby nuper de Polom clerici.
9. p. m. Johannis Clerk de Surflet.
10. p. m. Roberti Berlynges nuper de Metryngham.
11. p. m. Johannis Colston nuper de Corby in partibus de Kesteven generosi.
12. p. m. Johannis Bowes.
13. p. m. Thome Kyme armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Pyncrake de Brugh.
15. p. m. Willielmi Marshall de Louth.
16. p. m. Willielmi Galyon nuper de Welton.
17. p. m. Thome Kedby nuper de Spaldyng.
18. p. m. Johannis Dawson de Bennyngton.
19. p. m. Ricardi Hunston.
20. p. m. Elizabethe Sheperd nuper de Leek.
21. p. m. Johannis Chapman nuper de Whaplod Drove senioris.
22. p. m. Roberti Slater de Pynchebek.
23. p. m. Johannis Feld de Bennyngton.
24. p. m. Johannis Tomson nuper de Kirton in Holland.
25. p. m. Isabelle Bell nuper uxoris Ricardi Bell.
26. p. m. Briani Hardeby generosi.
27. p. m. Roberti Welborn de Fyllyngham.
28. p. m. Ricardi Horneclyffe.
29. p. m. Johannis Crowne.
30. p. m. Willielmi Pettynger de Haxey infra Insulam de Axholme.
31. p. m. Johannis Haven nuper de Saltflethaven.
32. p. m. Agnetis Bryght nuper de Louth.
33. p. m. Philippi Cleymond nuper de Frampton generosi.
34. p. m. Thome Pakharnes nuper de Bennyngton.
35. p. m. Ricardi Ellys de Fulbek.
36. p. m. Thome Copledyk nuper de Frampton junioris, filii et heredis Ricardi Copledyk nuper de eadem defuncti.
37. p. m. Johannis Shepard nuper de Wygtoft.
38. p. m. Ricardi Beverley nuper de Louth mercer.
39. p. m. Johannis Trew de Caster in comitatu Linc.
40. p. m. Johannis Fitz William nuper de Skidbroke generosi.
41. p. m. Willielmi Burgh nuper de Skidbrocke.
42. p. m. Johannis Vaysen de Yowthrope.
43. p. m. Johanne Trayn.
44. p. m. Thome Hycham de Scaweby generosi.
45. p. m. Johannis Stamp nuper de Scomthrop.
46. p. m. Johannis Robynson de Owresby husbandman.
47. p. m. Willielmi Dalison.
48. p. m. Johannis Gull.
49. p. m. Hugonis Glover.
50. p. m. Antonii Vyllers armigeri.
51. p. m. Johannis Kychyn nuper de Butterwyk.

52. p. m. Johannis Pape nuper de Boston.
53. p. m. Ricardi Crain de Butterwyk.
54. p. m. Henrici Cust nuper de Pynchebek.
55. p. m. Ade Johnson nuper de Whaplode husbondman.
56. p. m. Johannis Smyth nuper de Gedney in partibus de Holland yoman.
57. p. m. Johannis Paynson de Leke.
58. p. m. Thome Hare nuper de Byllyngborowe.
59. p. m. Willielmi Beytson.
60. p. m. Willielmi Tylson alias Howson.
61. p. m. Willielmi Barkworth.

1–2 *Edw. IV.*—Compotus Johannis Bellowe armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Osborne.
2. p. m. Roberti Seynton.
3. p. m. Edwardi Croxton.
4. p. m. Thome Walesby senioris de Humberston.
5. p. m. Johannis Stokesley nuper Episcopi London.
6. p. m. Gilberti Hamerton de Burton Statyr yoman.
7. p. m. Willielmi Femers nuper de Staynton in le Holle.
8. p. m. Ricardi Smalney de Claxby yoman.
9. p. m. Thome Tuplyn.
10. p. m. Ricardi Filde nuper de Fosdyke.
11. p. m. Guidonis Sotheby.
12. p. m. Ricardi Foster de Poynton.
13. p. m. Johannis Rede.
14. p. m. Galfridi Ratheby generosi et Agnetis Ratheby vidue.
15. p. m. Elizabethe Reppes nuper uxoris Henrici Rippes.
16. p. m. Johannis Waslyn generosi.
17. p. m. Thome Screven.
18. p. m. Margarete Holland nuper uxoris Blasii Holland et preantea uxoris Roberti Rigge.
19. p. m. Thome Marley nuper de Well.
20. p. m. Georgii Gresley militis.
21. p. m. Rogeri Poles de Kyrton in Holland in partibus de Holland.
22. p. m. Willielmi Typler de Magna Hale yoman.
23. p. m. Thome Bawdyng nuper de Normanby.
24. p. m. Johannis Michell.
25. p. m. Ricardi Gooddyng generosi.
26. p. m. Willielmi Nowell nuper de Kyrton in Lyndesey.
27. p. m. Thome Rigges generosi.
28. p. m. Thome Skypwyth nuper de Haburghe armigeri.
29. p. m. Roberti Turwhite senioris militis.
30. p. m. Willielmi Skipwith militis.
31. p. m. Roberti Hussey militis.

2–3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Roberti Carr armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Sapcotes de Burley in com. Rotel. militis et domine Johanne nuper uxoris dicti Edwardi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Tylson de Pynchebek in partibus de Holland.
3. p. m. Willielmi Colby de Westbrugh.
4. p. m. Johannis Barnerdeston nuper de Magna Cotes generosi.
5. p. m. Georgii Nevell nuper de Faldyngworthe generosi.
6. p. m. Roberti Reynoldson nuper de Pynchebek yoman.
7. p. m. Johannis Fraunceys.
8. p. m. Georgii Dalyson armigeri.
9. p. m. Willielmi Kyddall armigeri.

3–4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Christoferi Smyth armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ corum eodem.

1. p. m. Alicie domine Skipwith.
2. p. m. Roberti Neale nuper de Horncastell.
3. p. m. Willielmi Compton generosi nuper de Byllyngay.
4. p. m. Marie Wastnes nuper uxoris Galfridi Wastnes generosi.
5. p. m. Augustini Waterton nuper de Massyngham generosi.
6. p. m. Briani Stapulton militis.
7. p. m. Thome Mussenden militis.
8. p. m. Domine Dorothee Bozon, nuper uxoris Ricardi Bozon militis.
9. p. m. Johannis Holdernes nuper de Louth.
10. p. m. Rogeri Copley militis.
11. p. m. Ricardi Roberd.
12. p. m. Thome Sowter de Sutton in Holland in partibus de Holland.
13. p. m. Caroli Sutton armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Somerskales nuper de Brigesley.
15. p. m. Johannis Hasylwoode armigeri.
16. p. m. Thome Legyat [aut Ledyat] nuper de Momby Chapell.
17. p. m. Georgii Fawer yoman.
18. p. m. Johannis Hunyngham.
19. p. m. Johannis Ellerker de Ellerker in comitatu Ebor. militis.
20. p. m. Alexandri Halywell de Donyngton bryklayer.
21. p. m. Thome Wormesley de Fosdyke yoman.
22. p. m. Ricardi Wright dum vixit de Stowton junioris.
23. p. m. Roberti Dowson nuper de Marche Chapell.
24. p. m. Johannis Follnewey aut Folnetby de Folnetby armigeri.
25. p. m. Roberti Dowghtie generosi.

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Lincolnshire.

26. p. m. Margarete Dycconson nuper de Gayton in Marisco.
27. p. m. Edwardi Forssett armigeri.
28. p. m. Bartholomei Mylner.
29. p. m. Johannis Sturdyvaunte generosi.
30. p. m. Nicholai Alcok civis et cirurgici London.
31. p. m. Leonardi Bawdry de Leake.
32. p. m. Mathei Thymylby nuper de Polome armigeri.
33. p. m. Johannis Gildon de Carleton juxta Lincoln yoman.
34. p. m. Johannis Hyltofte armigeri.
35. p. m. Augustini Massyngberd armigeri.
36. p. m. Thome Key de Longeledenham in partibus de Kesteven yoman.
37. p. m. Willielmi Hawburgh nuper de Sutton in Marisco.
38. p. m. Johannis Reede armigeri.

4–5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Georgii Wyllyams armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem [ ] 4 [ ] 5 *Edw. VI.*—68 m. (*The heading lost.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Laurence de Grymsby clerici.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Roche de Wresilby in comitatu Ebor. generose.
3. p. m. Willielmi Ellis de Hekyngton yoman.
4. p. m. Henrici Tofte nuper de Tide beate Marie in partibus de Holland generosi.
5. p. m. Roberti Brokilsbye armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Lounde yoman.
7. p. m. Ricardi Gildon de Cantebr. yoman.
8. p. m. Thome Ormsby generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Gilby de West Randall generosi.
10. p. m. Reverendissimi in Christo patris domini Henrici Holbech alias Randes Lincoln. Episcopi.
11. p. m. Gregorii Crumwell militis domini Crumwell.
12. p. m. Georgii Fitz Williams militis.
13. p. m. Thome Bate nuper de Boston generosi.
14. p. m. Vincentii Grantham armigeri.
15. p. m. Johannis Thymelbye militis.
16. p. m. Thome Hall nuper de Colbye in partibus de Kesteven armigeri.
17. p. m. Willielmi Dymock armigeri.
18. p. m. Georgii Fitz Williams militis.

5–6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Tharrold armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Margerie Banke alias dicte Margerie Bankes nuper uxoris Georgii Banke alias Georgii Bankes.
2. p. m. Roberti Fleere husbandman.
3. p. m. Roberti Daukys nuper de Kyrton in Holland in partibus de Holland yoman.
4. p. m. Thome Stronge.
5. p. m. Roberti Fleere husbandman. (*Copy of No.* 2.)
6. p. m. Thome Blawe nuper de Holton in Bekeringe alias dict. Bekerynge.
7. p. m. Willielmi Clerke generosi.
8. p. m. Ricardi Redd de Blankney.
9. p. m. Johanne Awdley vidue.
10. p. m. Willielmi Hatclif armigeri.
11. p. m. Germani Pole armigeri.
12. p. m. Christoferi Glene.
13. p. m. Johannis Whytt nuper de Flete yoman.
14. p. m. Jacobi Moigne generosi.
15. p. m. Johannis Rathebye nuper de Saltefletebye generosi.
16. p. m. Mathei Wootton clerici.
17. p. m. Roberti Spencer de Louth et Isabelle uxoris ejus.
18. p. m. Godfridi Colvell filii et heredis Godfridi Colvell armigeri.
19. p. m. Thome Massyngberd militis.
20. p. m. Ricardi Roche generosi.
21. p. m. Edwardi Hunnyng nuper de Algerkyrk in partibus de Holland.
22. p. m. Johannis Rogers nuper de London clothworker.
23. p. m. Nicholai Lee nuper de Bennyngton in partibus de Holland generosi.
24. p. m. Ade Foster de Burn generosi.
25. p. m. Nicholai Upton armigeri.
26. p. m. Nicholai Gyrlyngton armigeri.
27. p. m. Isabelle Plompton vidue.
28. p. m. Francisci Hall armigeri.
29. p. m. Henrici nuper Ducis Suff. defuncti ac in custodia domini Regis ratione minoris etatis ejusdem Ducis existentis.
30. p. m. Johannis Rede armigeri.

6 *Edw. VI.*—1 *Mar.*—Compotus Leonardi Irby armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Hennage nuper de Haynton in partibus de Lensei generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Honyngham nuper de Gosbertowne in partibus de Holland yoman.
3. p. m. Willielmi Beale nuper de Pynchebek in partibus de Holland.
4. p. m. Henrici Lounde.
5. p. m. Johannis Elye de Thedylthorpe.
6. p. m. Edmundi Tylson alias Howson.
7. p. m. Willielmi Somercotes nuper de Osburnby husbondman.
8. p. m. Henrici Chapman nuper de Whaplode Drove in partibus de Holland.
9. p. m. Ricardi Chatours nuper de Byker in partibus de Holland yoman.
10. p. m. Henrici Browne nuper de Swyneshede in partibus de Holland.

11. p. m. Walteri Fisshwyke.
12. p. m. Johannis Plumtrie.
13. p. m. Libei Alcoke.
14. p. m. Roberti Swane de Medryngham.
15. p. m. Thome Brumbye de Cletham yoman.
16. p. m. Johannis Nevyll nuper de Faldyngworthe generosi.
17. p. m. Thome Pyncrake.
18. p. m. Johannis Freman armigeri.
19. p. m. Johannis Mounson armigeri.
20. p. m. Edmundi Langrake nuper de Boston yoman.
21. p. m. Johannis Rede.
22. p. m. Thome Wymbysshe armigeri.

1 *Mar.*—1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Nicholai Bayly armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Webster.
2. p. m. Nicholai Feld.
3. p. m. Thome Wymbysshe generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Thorp nuper de Holbyche in partibus de Holland yoman.
5. p. m. Herberti Thorndyke.
6. p. m. Willielmi Holmes de Saxby yoman.
7. p. m. Cristoferi Bennett nuper de Swynneshed Fennehouse in partibus de Holland yoman.
8. p. m. Alexandri Marchant nuper Swynshed yoman.
9. p. m. Johannis Halden.
10. p. m. Thome Coney nuper de parochia de Kyrton in Holland in partibus de Holland generosi.
11. p. m. Thome Kylham.
12. p. m. Thome Murre nuper de Kyrton in Holland in partibus de Holland yoman.
13. p. m. Augustini Porter armigeri.
14. p. m. Willielmi Quadrynge armigeri.
15. p. m. Ricardi Haryson.
16. p. m. Johannis Atkinson de Wygtoft in partibus de Holland senioris yoman.
17. p. m. Cristoferi Palmer.
18. p. m. Ricardi Cust.
19. p. m. Johannis Castell armigeri.
20. p. m. Roberti Stanlowe armigeri.
21. p. m. Edwardi Madison militis.
22. p. m. Willielmi Tasshe nuper de Whaplod in partibus de Holland yoman.
23. p. m. Roberti Olyver nuper de Ledenham.
24. p. m. Roberti Hall de Stowe generosi.
25. p. m. Roberti Brokylsbe.
26. p. m. Roberti Trusse.
27. p. m. Johannis Candishe militis.
28. p. m. Johannis Harrington militis.
29. p. m. Willielmi Yonge yoman.
30. p. m. Henrici Gardyner generosi.
31. p. m. Willielmi Marten de Butterwyke.
32. p. m. Thome Hennage militis.
33. p. m. Johannis Atwell.
34. p. m. Stephani Warde.
35. p. m. Thome Skegnes de Skendylby generosi.

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Willielmi Manby Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Henrici Savyle armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Ogle nuper de Pynchbeck armigeri.
2. p. m. Roberti Henneage nuper de civitate Lincoln armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Kyngeston de Grimesbye magna.
4. p. m. Leonardi Cracrofte nuper de Hoggesthorpe armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Hunnyng.
6. p. m. Cristoferi Thompson nuper de Wellyngore.
7. p. m. Ricardi Skepper.
8. p. m. Willielmi Bennett nuper de Algerkyrk generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Trobocke.
10. p. m. Ricardi Stephenson nuper de Wrangle.
11. p. m. Dionisie nuper uxoris Francisci Gavero nuper de Boston Spaniard et denisin.
12. p. m. Willielmi Somercotes generosi.
13. p. m. Georgii Zouche armigeri.
14. p. m. Roberti Webster nuper de Welburn.
15. p. m. Margarete Thorneton vidue.
16. p. m. Johannis Knolles.
17. p. m. Johannis Tayloure nuper de Asheby juxta Horncastell yoman.
18. p. m. Ricardi Clarke nuper de Willingore.
19. p. m. Willielmi Smythe generosi.
20. p. m. Ricardi Nayler nuper de Coldhanworthe.
21. p. m. Margarete Greyve nuper uxoris Humfridi Greyve de Kyrton in Holland in partibus de Holland.
22. p. m. tam Roberti Snell nuper de Frampton yoman quam Emote Snell nuper uxoris pre dicti Roberti.
23. p. m. Willielmi Pygott de Surflett yoman.

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24. p. m. Georgii Williams generosi.
25. p. m. Francisci Totheby armigeri.
26. p. m. Willielmi Hussey. (*Fragmentum.*)

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome White armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Bowett generosi.
2. p. m. Juliane Hall uxoris Simonis Hall.
3. p. m. Alexandri Amcottes armigeri.
4. p. m. Mathei Seyntpoll armigeri.
5. p. m. Pauli Emery de Thurleby.
6. p. m. Henrici Callice nuper de Parva Haile.
7. p. m. Johannis Morley.
8. p. m. Henrici Bilting nuper de Hemmingby, husbondman.
9. p. m. Hugonis Rede nuper de Pinchebeke in partibus de Holland.
10. p. m. Johannis Stenet nuper de Ewardby yoman.
11. p. m. Thome Nayler nuper de Glentham yoman.
12. p. m. Johannis Salter nuper de Esterkele.
13. p. m. Arthuri Graye de Louthe mercatoris.
14. p. m. Johannis Garner nuper de Bolingbroke yoman.
15. p. m. Francisci Meres generosi nuper de Kerkton in partibus de Holland.
16. p. m. Willielmi Anderson de Flixbrough generosi.
17. p. m. Stephani Durbagge nuper de Surflet.
18. p. m. Hamondi Sutton.
19. p. m. Johannis Colby.
20. p. m. Galfridi Teneby de Barrowe husbondman.
21. p. m. Willielmi Bogge nuper de Boston yoman.
22. p. m. Johannis Copeland de Skellingthorpe.
23. p. m. Roberti Stevenson nuper de Kirton in Hollande yoman.
24. p. m. Thome Monson de Southkelsey armigeri.
25. p. m. Willielmi Tomson.
26. p. m. Johannis Torksey yoman.
27. p. m. Christoferi Kelke de Grymesby armigeri.
28. p. m. Johannis Cappe generosi.
29. p. m. Edwardi Argham.
30. p. m. Johannis Kirkeman generosi.
31. p. m. Ricardi Rocetour de Somerby generosi.
32. p. m. Willielmi Bower nuper de Freyston yoman.
33. p. m. Johannis Fulstowe senioris nuper de Esterkeale generosi.
34. p. m. Johannis Amcottes armigeri.
35. p. m. Willielmi Davy armigeri.
36. p. m. Mathei Wilson.
37. p. m. Henrici Foxe nuper de Boston.
38. p. m. Johannis Henneage armigeri.
39. p. m. Stephani Roclyf.
40. p. m. Radulphi Blake yoman.
41. p. m. Georgii Harryngton generosi.
42. p. m. Johannis Willson.
43. p. m. Willielmi Middleton nuper de Swayton generosi.
44. p. m. Willielmi Moyne generosi.
45. p. m. Hugonis Warde nuper de Wrangle.
46. p. m. Willielmi Slater nuper de Pinchebeke.
47. p. m. Johannis Blake de Butterwike yoman.

4 and 5—5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Williams armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine dibem: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Mussendine armigeri.
2. p. m. Laurentii Palmer generosi.
3. p. m. Gerardi Sowthill nuper de Redborne armigeri.
4. p. m. Henrici Burgh armigeri.
5. p. m. Ricardi Athall juxta Brigge.
6. p. m. Johannis Copuldyk militis.
7. p. m. Georgii Sutton generosi.
8. p. m. Ricardi Bellingham de Maunton.
9. p. m. Willielmi Cracrofte nuper de Broughe generosi.
10. p. m. Johannis Wilkine de Sutton in Holland.
11. p. m. Ricardi Wimbishe de Blanckney generosi.
12. p. m. Stephani Luddyngton de Scotton.
13. p. m. Johannis Dysney.
14. p. m. Johannis Tupholme de Boston mercatoris stapule.
15. p. m. Thome Holland armigeri.
16. p. m. Johannis Hutton nuper de Appulby.
17. p. m. Edwardi Ayscoughe armigeri.
18. p. m. Johannis Allen de Stoke.
19. p. m. Johannis Gibbon nuper de Algarkirke in partibus de Holland.
20. p. m. Alicie Yarwill [aut Yarwell] de Orton Longfeld in comitatu Northt.
21. p. m. Johannis Fynys armigeri.
22. p. m. Jacobi Standysshe de Byllingaye generosi.
23. p. m. Thome Walcote de Walcote generosi.
24. p. m. Thome Browne de Fyshetofte in partibus de Hollande armigeri.
25. p. m. Elene Clyfford vidue.

26. p. m. Simonis Moigne armigeri.
27. De possessionibus Thome Syngleton nuper de Surflet yoman attincti.

1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Carr armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Anthonii Williamson de Hekyngton generosi.

2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Hennage armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Leonardi Irby armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Cracrofte armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Georgii Hulton de Donington generosi.

5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi Dighton Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Tupholme Escaetoris Regine ibidem.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Sutton Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Savyle Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Radulphi Bowyer Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Monson armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Herne Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

15 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Thorold Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Vincentii Skynner Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17 *Eliz.*—Compotus Bartholomei . . . rmyn Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

18 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Grantham armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi Thorrold armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Allington armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24–25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Humfridi Walcott armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

25–26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Pistor armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 18 Dec. 25—18 Dec. 26 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Harrington armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Bradley armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Lamley armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 10 Dec. 27—10 Dec. 28 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28–30 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Morison armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–31 *Eliz.*—Compotus Humfridi Bogge Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 14 Nov. 30—14 Nov. 31 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

31–32 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Skinner armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 6 Dec. 31—6 Dec. 32 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32–33 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Cholmley armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 26 Jan. 32—26 Jan. 33 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34–35 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Harrington armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35–36 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Horsman armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 27 Nov. 35—37 Nov. 36 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

36–37 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Lasey armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

37–38 *Eliz.*—Compotus Caroli Quarles armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 26 Nov. 37—26 Nov. 38 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

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38–39 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Brown armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

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7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Urthonhede Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Bliton armigeri.

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Sammes Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. Mich. 7—Mich. 8 Hen. VIII.—3 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Huddylston mercatoris.
2. p. m. Rogeri Flower armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Bracebrigg armigeri.

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Peerson Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. Mich. 8—Mich. 9 Hen. VIII.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Fox Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Petri Efford Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. Mich. 11—Mich. 13 Hen. VIII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Isabelle Tailboys vidue quondam uxoris Willielmi Grantham generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Tailboys generosi.
[*In baga cum compoto.*]

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Smyth Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Halton Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. Mich. 14—Mich. 15 Hen. VIII.—9 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Welby armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Parker de Spillesby in comitatu Lincoln.
3. p. m. Roberti Dighton senioris.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Smyth Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Vincentii Grantham Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. Mich. 19—Mich. 20 Hen. VIII.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Smythe Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. De possessionibus quas Ricardus Harryson nuper Abbas monasterii Beate Marie de Kyrksted tenuit in jure monasterii sui.

5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Faukener Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Vincentii Grantham armigeri.

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33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Hewes armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 20 Nov. 33—28 Nov. 34 Hen. VIII.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Reynolds armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 28 Nov. 34—.....[35] Hen. VIII.—13 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Gamage militis.
2. p. m. Willielmi Morgan militis.
3. p. m. Thome Lewys (*virtute brevis de diem clausit extremum*).
4. Alia Inquisitio p. m. ejusdem (*virtute brevis de melius inquirendum*).
5. p. m. Milonis ap Harry armigeri.

3–4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Williams armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 12 Nov. 3—11 Nov. 4 Edw. VI.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

4–[5] *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Jacobi Gunter armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

[ ]–[20] *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Kemys armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. [ ]–[20] Eliz.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

20–24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Williams armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 7 Feb. 20—26 May 24 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

[24] *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Phillipp William armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

[25] *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Thomas Raynoldes armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

25–26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Phillipp William armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 17 Jan. 25—[ ] 26 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there is a fragment of an Account, of one membrane.

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1–2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Gregorii Lovell Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 6 Nov. 1—6 Nov. 2 Hen. VII.—33 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Bacon. (*Norff.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
3. p. m. Thome Scales militis Domini Scales. (*Norff.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
5. p. m. Willielmi Alyngton. (*Norff.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
7. p. m. Henrici Straunge. (*Norff.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
9. p. m. Willielmi Joyce.
10. p. m. Willielmi Curson filii et heredis Willielmi Curson nuper de Brightwell in comitatu Suff.
11. p. m. Edwardi Comitis Wigorn.
12. p. m. Margarete nuper uxoris Georgii Neville militis Domini Bergevenny.
13. p. m. Ricardi Methewold.
14. p. m. Radulphi Briston de Briston.
15. Inquisicio tangens maneria de Saham Tony Parva Cressyngham Panworthe Halle et Neketon ac Hundreda de Waylond et Grymeshowe et advocaciones Ecclesiarium de Neketon Parva Cressingham Parva Fraunsham et Omnium Sanctorum in Bychamwell que fuerunt Ricardi nuper Regis Anglie tercii.
16. Memorandum de bonis et catallis felonum et utlagatorum.
17. Breve tangens compotum ejusdem Escaetoris.

2–3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Leventhorp Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Edwardi Clopton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Sulyard militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Poley nuper de Wurmyngford in comitatu Essex armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Groos.
4. p. m. Hugonis Hastynges militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Wychyngham.
6. p. m. Roberti Berney armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Radclyff.
8. p. m. Memorandum de bonis et catallis utlagatorum.

9 and 10. Duo brevia tangencia compotum ejusdem Escaetoris.

4–5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Rodon armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Broughton armigeri. (*Norff.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem (*Suff.*)
3. p. m. Margarete Darcy.
4. p. m. Henrici Lovell Domini Morley.
5. p. m. Edmundi Clere.
6. Inquisitio de bonis et catallis Alexandri Rutlond nuper de Carbrooke in comitatu Norff capellani qui vexatus et inflatus spiritu maligno voluntarie se submersit.
7. Memorandum de bonis et catallis utlagatorum.

5–6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Fastolf armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—28 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Dayrell de Stoughton parva in comitatu Bedford armigeri. (*Norff.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
3. p. m. Georgii Hopton.
4. p. m. Johannis Hopton.
5. p. m. Johannis Knyvet armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Bienamour.
7. p. m. Willielmi Brewes.
8. p. m. Johanne Holdyche nuper uxoris Ricardi Holdyche.
9. p. m. Simonis Blake.
10. p. m. Isabelle Harevy vidue.
11. p. m. Ricardi Blomevyle.
12. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis nuper Comitis Lincoln attincti.
13. Memorandum de bonis et catallis utlagatorum.

14, 15, 16, and 17. Quatuor Brevia eidem Escaetori directa.

9–10 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Jacobi Braybroke Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Welles.
2. p. m. Roberti Wulferston armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Coket de Ampton. (*Norff.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
5. p. m. Willielmi Felton.
6. p. m. Thome le Scrope militis.
7. p. m. Johannis et Roberti Gedding.
8. p. m. Rogeri Touneshend militis. (*Norff.*)
9. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
10. p. m. Margerie Marchall vidue.
11. p. m. Thome Grygges.
12. p. m. Thome Brygge.

13. p. m. Johannis Walpole.
14. p. m. Willielmi Brewese armigeri.
15. p. m. Thome Lye.
16. p. m. Johannis Fyssh.
17. Inquisitio tangens maneria de Hedyrsete Wymondham Bokenham et Besthorp que fuerunt Radulphi nuper Domini Cromwell.
18. Inquisitio de possessionibu Johannis nuper Ducis Suff. (*Norff.*)
19. Inquisitio de possessionibus ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
20. Inquisitio de possessionibus Ricardi Wolverston alias dicti Ricardi Wolferston de Culpho in comitatu Suff. gentilman ideote.
21. Memorandum de bonis et catallis utlagatorum felonum et fugitivorum tempore Jacobi Braybroke Escaetoris ibidem.

10–11 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Hungerford armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Bartholomei White.
2. p. m. Johannis Winter armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Calthorp militis.
4. p. m. Ricardi Cute.
5. p. m. Alani Lawes.
6. p. m. Ricardi Cause.
7. De idiocia Johannis Chapman.
8. p. m. Willielmi Grey.
9. p. m. Thome Sharyngton.

13–14 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Philippi Tilney Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus * * 13 * * 14 Hen VII.—50 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Brewse.
2. p. m. Willielmi Tyndale militis. (*Norff.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
4. p. m. Radulphi Shelton militis. (*Norff.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
6. p. m. Georgii Stratton.
7, p. m. Alexandri Crestener.
8. p. m. Johannis Brightzene nuper de Barnham Brome.
9. p. m. Domine Anne Wyngfeld uxoris Roberti Wyngfeld militis filie et heredis Roberti Harlynge militis.
10. p. m. Johannis Appilyerd armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Busshop.
12. p. m. Matilde Willughby defuncte.
13. Inquisitio de quadraginta libris auri et duabus calicibus argenti deauratis valoris viij. li. inventis in quadam domo nuper Edmundi Jacob nuper Rectoris Ecclesie Beate Marie Magdalene de Warram juxta mare apud Warram juxta mare.

19 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Terrell Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Anne Willoughby.

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Glemham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 1—13 Dec. 2 Hen. VIII.—42 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Talemache de Helmyngham in comitatu Suff. armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Dade. (*Norff.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
4. p. m. Edwardi Cornwaleys nuper de Brome juxta Eye in comitatu Suff. armigeri. (*Suff.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Norff.*)
6. p. m. Johannis Throgmerton.
7. p. m. Roberti Corbett armigeri filii et heredis Roberti Corbett nuper de Asyngton armigeri.
8. Inquisitio de possessionibus Edmundi de la Pole nuper Comitis Suff. de alta prodicione attincti. (*Norff.*)
9. Inquisitio de possessionibus ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
10. p. m. Clementis Harward armigeri nuper de Aldeburgh.
11. p. m. Willielmi Jenny armigeri.
12. p. m. Willielmi Berdewell armigeri.
13. p. m. Jacobi Brome armigeri.

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Bokenham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Blenerhasset armigeri. (*Norff.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
3. p. m. Georgii Hastynges militis.
4. p. m. Thome Thorysby nuper de Lenn Episcopi in comitatu Norff. mercatoris.
5. p. m. Thome Pygotte armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Payn.
7. p. m. Willielmi Beamount nuper vicecomitis Beamount.
8. Inquisitio de possessionibus Edmundi de la Pole nuper comitis Suff. de alta prodicione attincti.
9. Memorandum de bonis et catallis utlagatorum.

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3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Antonii Hansart armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 3—26 Nov. 4 Hen. VIII.—42 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Hastynges militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Grey militis Domini de Powes.
3. p. m. Johannis Bacon.
4. p. m. Thome Sampson militis.
5. p. m. Edmundi Sengylton generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Candewell.
7. p. m. Ricardi Methewold.
8. p. m. Roberti Tylles.
9. p. m. Eborardi Brigges.
10. p. m. Roberti Lestraunge armigeri.
11. p. m. Ricardi Thymylby.
12. p. m. Johannis Spelman.
13. p. m. Hugonis Denys armigeri.
14. p. m. Roberti Barnard armigeri.
15. p. m. Thome Curson armigeri.
16. Inquisitio de possessionibus Edmundi de la Pole nuper Comitis Suff. de alta prodicione attincti.
17. Inquisitio de possessionibus ejusdem.
18. Inquisitio de possessionibus Willielmi Beamount nuper Vicecomitis Beamount.
19. Inquisitio de bonis et catallis Roberti Reynes nuper de Acle in comitatu Norff. yoman.
20. Inquisitio de possessionibus Edmundi Reede nuper de Norwico marchant alias dicti Edmundi Reede nuper de civitate Domini Regis Norwici, lunatici.
21. "Such parcelles of goodes as Anthony Hansard Esquier late Eschetour in the counties of Norff. and Suff. hath taken to the Kynges use of outlawed mens goodes."

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Turges [vel Sturges] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—25 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Comitis Oxon.

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Gryce armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Southwell militis.
2. p. m. Margarete Beaupre. (*Norff.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
4. p. m. Johannis Lestraunge filii et heredis Rogeri Lestraunge militis defuncti. (*Norff.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
6. p. m. Roberti Brews armigeri. (*Norff.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
8. p. m. Thome Gavell generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Hastynges filii et heredis Georgii Hastynges militis defuncti.
10. p. m. Ricardi Sponer.
11. p. m. Rogeri Bulwer.
12. p. m. Jacobi Boyse.
13. p. m. Thome Wylby generosi.
14. p. m. Thome Walpole generosi.
15. p. m. Nicholai Beaupre armigeri.
16. p. m. Roberti Tyllys.
17. Memorandum de bonis et catallis utlagatorum.

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Eston armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Gryce generosi.
2. p. m. Walteri Stubbes generosi.
3. p. m. Thome Hubbert defuncti nuper dum vixit de Leyham in comitatu Suff. generosi.
4. p. m. Edwardi Jernyngham armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Groose armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Robesert filii et heredis Terrii Robesert militis.
7. p. m. Domine Margerie de Willoughby matris Willielmi de Willoughby militis Domini de Willoughby et Eresby. (*Norff.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
9. p. m. Ricardi Garneys generosi. (*Norff.*)
10. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
11. p. m. Galfridi Radclyf. (*Norff.*)
12. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
13. p. m. Margarete Bedyngfeld nuper uxoris Edmundi Bedyngfeld militis. (*Norff.*)
14. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
15. p. m. Jacobi London.
16. p. m. Johannis Norton clerici.
17. p. m. Thome Brews armigeri filii et heredis Roberti Brews armigeri defuncti. (*Norff.*)
18. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
19. p. m. Radulphi Blomeville armigeri. (*Norff.*)
20. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
21. p. m. Thome Wolferston armigeri.
22. p. m. Willielmi Wade generosi.
23. p. m. Willielmi Capell militis. (*Norff.*)
24. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
25. p. m. Thome Stutevile armigeri filii et heredis Ricardi Stutevile.

26. p. m. Roberti Southwell armigeri.
27. p. m. Thome Goodwyn nuper Prioris Monasterii Sancti Petri in Gippewico.

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Harward armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 9 Nov. 7—12 Nov. 8 Hen. VIII.—56 m.

Petitio ejusdem Escaetoris—1 sheet of paper.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Stede Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Nov. 8—10 Nov. 9 Hen. VIII.—69 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edmundi Hyll.
2. p. m. Ricardi Caundisshe militis.
3. p. m. Radulphi Shurley.
4. p. m. Elizabethe Chamberleyn nuper uxoris Roberti Chamberleyn militis. (*Suff.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Norff.*)
6. p. m. Jacobi Hobert militis. (*Norff.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
8. p. m. Willielmi Playter armigeri.
9. p. m. Willielmi Fyndern militis.
10. p. m. Francisci Calybut senioris.
11. p. m. Domine Isabelle Nevell nuper uxoris Willielmi Smyth militis unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Marchionis Mountagu ac unius consanguinearum et heredum domine Isabelle de Ingoldesthorp.
12. p. m. Henrici Dynne generosi.
13. p. m. Henrici Ingloose armigeri.
14. p. m. Willielmi Fitz William armigeri.
15. p. m. Memorandum de bonis et catallis utlagatorum.

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Russell generosi Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Bagecroft generosi. (*Norff.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
3. p. m. Roberti Cotton nuper de Landewade in comitatu Cantebr. militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Coket de Ampton in comitatu Suff. armigeri.
5. p. m. Briani Stapilton militis.
6. p. m. Gilberti Talbot militis.
7. p. m. Georgii Aysshefeld.
8. p. m. Johannis Broughton armigeri. (*Norff.*)
9. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
10. p. m. Roberti Peyton militis.
11. p. m. Edmundi Jenney armigeri.
12. p. m. Elizabethe que fuit uxor Roberti Southwell militis defuncti ac nuper uxoris Thome Broke de Cobham militis.
13. p. m. Johannis Warner gentilman.
14. p. m. Nicholai Applyard militis.
15. p. m. Johannis le Straunge armigeri.
16. Inquisitio capta virtute brevis de inquirendo si Margareta Rokwode nuper una filiarum et heredum Willielmi Rokewode armigeri diem clausit extremum necne.
17. Inquisitio de manerio de Hawkedon hall quod fuit Willielmi Cokkeshall non sane memorie.
18. Inquisitio de ideocia Johannis Canon filii et heredis Johannis Canon de Newton juxta Castelacre.

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Galfridi Cobbe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edmundi Felton armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Mekylfeld de Blyford in comitatu Suff. armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Grey militis domini de Powes.
4. p. m. Johannis Wyngfeld clerici.
5. p. m. Edwardi Bensted militis.
6. p. m. Willielmi Elwyn generosi.
7. p. m. Henrici Warner.
8. p. m. Willielmi Yelverton armigeri.
9. p. m. Margarete Rokwode.
10. p. m. Alicie nuper domine Morley.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Philippi Bernard armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Simonis Digby armigeri.
2. p. m. Edwardi Grymston.
3. p. m. Thome Rookwod armigeri.
4. p. m. Antonii Hansard.
5. p. m. Anne Bonycher vidue.
6. p. m. Ricardi Welbek de Oxenheth in comitatu Kanc. armigeri.
7. p. m. Willielmi Roberd.
8. p. m. Johannis Dameron de Westerfeld.
9. p. m. Roberti Trace.
10. p. m. Clementis Heigham nuper de Wykhambroke in comitatu Suff. gentilman.
11. p. m. Willielmi Cornwaleys nuper de Brome juxta Eye armigeri. (*Suff.*)
12. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Norff.*)
13. p. m. Elizabethe Croftys vidue.
14. p. m. Thome Rydnale.

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15. p. m. Johannis Sharp militis.
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12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Leonardi Spencer generosi Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Sponer.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Spilman nuper uxoris Cristofori Spilman unius filiarum et heredum Galfridi Ratcliff armigeri. (*Suff.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Norff.*)
4. p. m. Willielmi Gloys de Wighton in comitatu Suff.
5. p. m. Hugonis Lutterell militis.
6. p. m. Willielmi Gurnay senioris armigeri.

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Cusshyn Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Peche militis.

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Brampton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—17 m. (*Imperfect.*)

The New Escheats for Suffolk complete.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johanne Arundell vidue nuper uxoris Edmundi Arundell militis defuncti et præantea uxoris Thome Ratcliff armigeri similiter defuncti.
2. p. m. Edmundi Jenney militis. (*Norff.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
4. p. m. Willielmi Arnold senioris generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Spryng nuper de Lavenham marchaunt. (*Norff.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*) 5 m.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Cristofori Harman armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—16 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

The Old Escheats for Suffolk only.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Abel nuper de Neylond in comitatu Suff. senioris clothemaker.
2. p. m. Roberti Bures.
3. p. m. Ricardi Corbett militis.
4. p. m. Thome Lovell militis. (*Norff.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
6. p. m. Margerie Asshefeld vidue nuper uxoris Georgii Asshefeld armigeri.
7. p. m. Roberti Blakeman generosi.
8. p. m. Bartholomei Brokysby senioris armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Carewe armigeri.
10. p. m. Alicie Lewgore.
11. p. m. Georgii Bokynham armigeri. (*Norff.*)
12. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
13. p. m. Thome Cavendyssh armigeri.
14. p. m. Thome Fyndern armigeri.
15. p. m. Johanne Arundell vidue nuper uxoris Thome Radclyff armigeri.
16. p. m. Henrici Spilman armigeri nuper de Magna Elingham.
17. p. m. Roberti Brandon militis.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Germayn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Alicie Cotton vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Cotton.
2. p. m. Johannis Dunham armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Garneys armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Colvile armigeri.
5. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii sive Abbatie Canonicorum regularium ordinis Sancti Augustini in Lyesnes in comitatu Kancie.
6. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii sive Prioratus Monialium ordinis Sancti Augustini in Wykes in comitatu Essex.
7. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii sive Prioratus Canonicorum regularium ordinis Sancti Augustini in Tunbridge in comitatu Kancie.
8. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii sive Prioratus Monachorum ordinis Sancti Benedicti in Snape in comitatu Suff.
9. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii sive Prioratus Canonicorum Regularium ordinis Sancti Augustini in Dodnes in comitatu Suff.

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Thoresby armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 16 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Gryce armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Kempe armigeri. (*Norff.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Willughby Domini de Willughby et de Eresby. (*Norff.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
5. p. m. Thome Clerebeke generosi.
6. p. m. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii sive Prioratus Canonicorum Regularium ordinis Sancti Augustini in Tunbridge in comitatu Kancie.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Leonardi Spencer armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 19—5 Dec. 20 Hen. VIII.—3 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Waldegrave militis. [A copy on paper, to which is attached a copy of an Inquisition taken 13 Hen. VI. p. m. Ricardi Waldegrave.]

2. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii sive Prioratus Canonicorum Regularium ordinis Sancti Augustini Bromehill in comitatu Norff.

3. Inquisitio de manerio sive Prioratu de Welles alienigena alias dicto Prioratu de Welles Paunfeld alias dicto Pangfeld alias dicto Prioratu sive domo de Welles alienigena alias dicto manerio sive dominio de Welhall in comitatu Norff.

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Rychers armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Dec. 20—15 Nov. 21 Hen. VIII.—4 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Fitz Lewes militis. (*Norff.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
3. p. m. Margerie Duke vidue nuper uxoris Thome Duke armigeri. (*Norff.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
5. p. m. Ricardi Wentworth militis.
6. p. m. Willielmi Stysted nuper de Gyppewico.
7. p m. Johannis Revett nuper de Brokford yoman.
8. p. m. Willielmi Tymperley armigeri.
9. p. m. Thome Gyrling generosi.
10. p. m. Henrici Daunce.
11. p. m. Thome de Welles.
12. p. m. Johannis Langholme nuper de Conyngesholme in comitatu Lincoln armigeri.
13. p. m. Edwardi Knevett militis.
14. p. m. Humfridi Kervyle nuper de Wygenhall in comitatu Norff. armigeri.
15. p. m. Thome Aleyn generosi.
16. p. m. Johannis Fyncham nuper de Owtewell armigeri.
17. p. m. Cristoferi Crowe.
18. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis.
19. p. m. Edwardi White armigeri dum vixit de Shotesham.
20. p. m. Simonis Gonnour generosi.
21. Inquisitio de concessione capellæ Sanctæ Margaretæ cum quibusdam terris in Covelinge cuidam Presbitero ignoto ad celebrandas missas pro anima Johannis Aspolle militis et animabus omnium parentum, amicorum et benefactorum suorum, contra formam Statuti.

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Antonii Thwaytys armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elizabethe Spelman nuper uxoris Cristoferi Spelman armigeri ac unius filiarum et heredum Galfridi Radcliff armigeri.
2. p. m. Ejusdem.
3. p. m. Jasperis Lucas.
4. p. m. Thome Dereham armigeri.
5. p. m. Rogeri Applyerd armigeri filii et heredis Nicholai Applyard militis.
6. p. m. Willielmi Seyve armigeri.
7. p. m. Willielmi Calthorpe armigeri.
8. De idiocia Agnetis Blower. (*Norff.*)
9. De idiocia dicte Agnetis. (*Suff.*)

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edmundi Clere armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Hudleston armigeri filii et heredis domine Isabelle Nevill unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Marchionis Mountagu ac unius consanguinearum et heredum domine Isabelle Ingaldesthorp vidue.
2. p. m. Thome Blenerhayset militis. (*Norff.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
4. p. m. Thome Lucas armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Awdeley militis.

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Cristoferi Playter Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Stede armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome [Knyghton alias Underhyll generosi].
2. p. m. Thome Hall nuper de Gippewico generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Jenney senioris.
4. p. m. Johannis Buckell nuper de Deysham in comitatu Suff. generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Harte senioris nuper de Walpole.
6. p. m. Willielmi Thwaytes.

[The whole of these are much injured.]

25–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Methewold armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Philippi Bedingfeld armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 26—28 Nov. 27 Hen. VIII.—48 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Philippi Calthorp militis. (*Norff.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)

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3. p. m. Roberti Drury militis. (*Norff.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
5. p. m. Katerine nuper uxoris Johannis Barnabe generosi et quondam uxoris Edwardi Knyvett armigeri defuncti.
6. p. m. Henrici Hunston nuper de Walpole in comitatu Norff. armigeri.

27–28 *Hen. VIII.* Compotus Thome Woodehous armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—19 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

The new Escheats for Suffolk only.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ele nuper uxoris Edmundi Lee.
2. p. m. Henrici Turnour armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Waller de Gippewico armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Bokenham armigeri. (*Norff.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
6. p. m. Johannis Hevenyngham militis. (*Norff.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
8. p. m. Elizabethe Wutton nuper uxoris Johannis Wutton armigeri filie et heredis Roberti Bardewell nuper de Westherlyng armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Awdeley armigeri consanguinei et heredis Johannis Awdeley militis videlicet filii Ricardi Awdeley filii et heredis predicti Johannis Awdeley militis.
10. p. m. Thome Boston.
11. p. m. Ricardi Dade armigeri.
12. p. m. Domine Elizabethe Robsert vidue.
13. p. m. Elizabethe Grey nuper uxoris Johannis Grey armigeri filie et heredis Thome Cawse nuper de Hyngham armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Brampton armigeri.

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Woodehouse armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captaæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Arthuri Russhe armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Sterne generosi.

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Plandon armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 30 Dec. 29—25 Nov. 30 Hen. VIII.—17 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Forde.
2. p. m. Roberti Bardwell generosi et Margarete uxoris sue filie et heredis Edmundi Bardwell defuncti nuper de Norton juxta Wulpyt in comitatu Suff.
3. p. m. Margarete Bokenham vidue defuncte filie et heredis cujusdam Francisci Hethe defuncti.
4. p. m. Domine Alicie Clere vidue.
5. p. m. Roberti Clere militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Glemham militis. (*Norff.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
8. p. m. Thome Monoux.
9. p. m. Thome Guybon armigeri.
10. p. m. Reverendi in Christo Patris Ricardi Nix nuper Episcopi Norwicen.
11. p. m. Thome Bury.

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Woodhouse armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 25 Nov. 30—17 Nov. 31 Hen. VIII.—42 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Metwold armigeri.
2. p. m. Rogeri Corbett armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Bisshop mercatoris de Jernemuth
4. p. m. Thome Bolleyn militis comitis Wiltes et Ormund.
5. p. m. Ele Jermyn nuper uxoris Willielmi Jermyn generosi et antea uxoris Johannis Mortofte de Ittringham generosi.
6. p. m. Simonis Fincham generosi de Welles.
7. p. m. Galfridi Cobbe de Sandringham armigeri.
8. p. m. Ricardi Gawsell armigeri.
9. p. m. Thome Bedyngfeld militis. (*Norff.*)
10. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
11. p. m. Henrici Danyell clerici.
12. p. m. Walteri Hobart militis.
13. p. m. Edwardi Echyngham militis.
14. p. m. Ricardi Wulverston armigeri.
15. Inquisitio de possessionibus Edwardi Nevill nuper de Byrling in comitatu Kancie militis alias dicti Edwardi Nevill nuper de London militis de alta prodicione attincti.
16. "Norff." "The Inventorie of the Goodes and Catalles of John Colles outlawed at Norwiche."

31-32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Andrews armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Claxton generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Kytson militis.
3. p. m. Jacobi Tirell armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Forth.
5. p. m. Johannis Neve nuper de Colcestr. in comitatu Essex aldermanni.
6. p. m. Philippi Bothe militis.
7. p. m. Willielmi Appulton nuper de parva Waldyngfeld.
8. p. m. Johannis Moreff clerici.

9. p. m. Johannis Morieff nuper de Metyngham clerici.
10. p. m. Johannis Sulyard armigeri.
11. p. m. Georgii Baldrye armigeri.
12. p. m. Thome Revett de Stowe dum vixit in comitatu Suff. generosi.
13. p. m. Roberti Grome de Lavenham Clothmaker.
14. p. m. Leonardi Spencer armigeri.
15. p. m. Henrici Benett generosi.
16. p. m. Willielmi Conyngesby armigeri unius Justiciariorum Domini Regis ad placita tenenda.
17. p. m. Willielmi Harmer generosi.
18. p. m. Elizabethe Byllesby.

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Tasburgh armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Simonis Toppesfeld generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Yelverton senioris armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Clippesby.
4. p. m. Ricardi Bacon generosi.
5. p. m. Marie Shelton vidue.
6. p. m. Willielmi Hals.
7. p. m. Johannis Bekham.
8. p. m. Edwardi Cokett armigeri.
9. p. m. Francisci Mounfford armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Horsman armigeri.
11. p. m. Willielmi Hare generosi.
12. p. m. Johannis Stede de Blow Norton in comitatu Norff. generosi.
13. p. m. Cristoferi Heydon militis.
14. p. m. Edwardi Chamberleyn militis. (*Norff.*)
15. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
16. p. m. Hugonis Hastynges militis.
17. p. m. Henrici Everard armigeri. (*Norff.*)
18. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
19. p. m. Johannis Fyncham junioris armigeri.
20. p. m. Johannis Waren alias Baker.
21. p. m. Gregorii Depden nuper de Brampton.
22. p. m. Willielmi Appulton armigeri.
23. p. m. Philippi Hill generosi.
24. p. m. Ejusdem.
25. p. m. Willielmi Hare generosi.
26. p. m. Johannis Gawge.
27. p. m. Thome Garneis armigeri.
28. p. m. Johannis Herman nuper de Blaxsale generosi.
29. p. m. Roberti Melle generosi.
30. p. m. Roberti Foxe nuper de Fesingfeld.
31. p. m. Edwardi Latimer generosi.
32. p. m. Johannis Page alias Baxter generosi.
33. p. m. Gregorii Lewgor nuper de Stoke juxta Gippewicum senioris.
34. p. m. Willielmi Leyre.
35. p. m. Edwardi Cokett armigeri.
36. p. m. Johannis Amys nuper de Wasshebroke in comitatu Suff.
37. p. m. Roberti Forde alias Forthe.
38. p. m. Thome Manser generosi.
39. p. m. Walteri Hobart militis.
40. p. m. Roberti Warner nuper de Wynfartyng in comitatu Norff.
41. p. m. Mathei Herman nuper de Blackyshall in comitatu Suff. generosi.
42. p. m. Johannis Touneshend filii et heredis apparentis Rogeri Touneshend militis.
43. p. m. Reginaldi Rowse nuper de Badingham.
44. p. m. Rogeri Cogkesall de Forneham Sancti Martini in comitatu Suff. generosi.
45. p. m. Johannis Nune nuper de Tostoke.
46. p. m. Johannis Thurston nuper de Hoxon.
47. p. m. Ele Fyncham de Fyncham in comitatu Norff. vidue unius filiarum et heredum Georgii Adgore servientis ad legem defuncti et nuper uxoris Johannis Fyncham de Fyncham prædicta armigeri.
48. p. m. Thome Kitson militis.
49. p. m. Edwardi Brooke armigeri.

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Halse armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edmundi Pratte.
2. p. m. Etheldrede Cappis nuper uxoris Roberti Cappis quondam uxoris Ricardi Boys nuper dum vixit de Rollesby generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Hast civis et aldermanni Norwici.
4. p. m. Johannis Bole generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Lomnor generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Terry nuper civis et aldermanni Norwici.
7. p. m. Thome Aldreche senioris.
8. p. m. Johannis Pepes.
9. p. m. Edwardi Cole de Stratford in comitatu Suff. yoman.
10. p. m. Johannis Clopton armigeri.
11. p. m. Willielmi Pratiman senioris.
12. p. m. Thome Grythe de Estbargholte clothyer.

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13. p. m. Nicholai Harvye generosi.
14. p. m. Johannis Purpett de Newborne.
15. p. m. Johannis Smyth nuper de Arwarton.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Downys armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—50 m. [*It wants the upper portion, containing Norfolk.*]

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Hollonde generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Thursbye armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Houghton clerici.
4. p. m. Edwardi Downes de Wramplingham in comitatu Norff. generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Felton de Wylton in comitatu Norff. generosi.
6. p. m. Margarete Wylloughby nuper uxoris Georgii Willoughby armigeri et antea uxoris Ricardi Bokkyng armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Briggis armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Thymylby clerici nuper de Polom in comitatu Lincoln.
9. p. m. Ricardi Bokkyng armigeri.
10. p. m. Nicholai Sotherton civis et aldermanni Norwici.
11. p. m. Thome Taylor de Lydgate.
12. p. m. Galfridi Wente senioris nuper de Woodbredgge.
13. p. m. Edmundi Felton de Pentlowe armigeri.
14. p. m. Thome Lambe generosi.
15. p. m. Roberti Grenlyng nuper de Fresyngffeld in comitatu Suff. senioris.
16. p. m. Henrici Pagrave armigeri.
17. p. m. Rogeri Cogkeshall de Forneham Sancti Martini in comitatu Suff. generosi.
18. p. m. Roberti Comitis Sussex. Magni Camerarii Anglie. (*Norff.*)
19. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
20. p. m. Thome Barnardyston militis.
21. p. m. Johannis Minsterchamber generosi.
22. p. m. Johannis Robwood.
23. p. m. Gilberti Talbott militis.
24. p. m. Sigismundi Cotton armigeri.
25. p. m. Nicholai Cotwyn nuper de Fresyngffeld.
26. p. m. Johannis Hunt nuper de Lavenham.
27. p. m. Roberti Godbold.
28. p. m. Caroli Drury de Besthorp generosi.
29. p. m. Johannis Smyth nuper de Gippiwico orchall maker.
30. p. m. Philippi Bedyngfeld armigeri.
31. p. m. Johannis Harvy de Owlton in comitatu Suff. armigeri.
32. p. m. Hugonis Welden armigeri.
33. p. m. Johannis Page generosi.
34. p. m. Johannis Caly de Norton.
35. p. m. Rogeri Martin armigeri.
36. p. m. Rogeri Aldred.
37. p. m. Johannis Neve de Fynbarough magna.
38. p. m. Thome Gawdy de Wurtwalle in comitatu Norff. generosi.
39. p. m. Johannis Raye de Denardston.
40. p. m. Willielmi Woodcok.
41. p. m. Willielmi Rede civis et merceri London. (*Norff.*)
42. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
43. p. m. Johannis Hastynges filii et heredis Hugonis Hastynges militis defuncti in custodia Domini Regis ratione minoris etatis ejusdem Johannis tempore mortis sue existentis.
44. p. m. Willielmi Sabyn generosi.
45. p. m. Thome Alverd armigeri.
46. p. m. Ricardi Banyarde generosi.
47. p. m. Thome Sydney senioris nuper de Walsingham parva in comitatu Norff. generosi.
48. p. m. Francisci Calthorp militis.

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Anthonii Twaytes armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 23 Nov. 35—15 Nov. 36 Hen. VIII.—53 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Blenerhaysett armigeri.

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Spencer armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 7 Nov. 37—22 Nov. 38 Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Rose Harman filie et heredis Thome Bullok generosi ac nuper uxoris Georgii Harman generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Bexwell alias dicti Johannis Schordiche generosi.
3. p. m. Edwardi Rede civis et aldermanni civitatis Norwici.
4. p. m. Johannis Wotton armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Bedyngfeld armigeri.
6. p. m. Roberti Grene nuper civis et aldermanni Norwici.
7. p. m. Willielmi Coke generosi.
8. p. m. Edmundi Gognye generosi.
9. p. m. Avrei Gregges alias Averedi Gregges de Swafham-Market in comitatu predicto generosi.
10. p. m. Ricardi Bolter generosi.
11. p. m. Johannis Norton generosi.
12. p. m. Roberti Langwade generosi.
13. p. m. Edmundi Thymbylthorpe nuper de Folsham in comitatu Norff. generosi.
14. p. m. Thome Genyson nuper de Burnam generosi.
15. p. m. Thome Wyskard nuper de Fransham parva in comitatu Norff. generosi.

16. p. m. Roberti Davy senioris de Eston.
17. p. m. Simonis Nunne generosi.
18. p. m. Georgii White armigeri.
19. p. m. Stephani Bolte.
20. p. m. Johannis Spylman de Narburgh in comitatu Norff. militis unius Justiciariorum domini Regis ad placita coram ipso Rege tenenda assignatorum.
21. p. m. Henrici Firmage generosi.
22. p. m. Ricardi Baldry.
23. p. m. Willielmi Butte militis. (*Norff.*)
24. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
25. p. m. Johannis Coppyng clerici.
26. p. m. Johannis Multon junioris generosi.
27. p. m. Thome Rede clerici.
28. p. m. Thome Mowse de Nedeham Market in comitatu Suff. clothmaker.
29. p. m. Humfridi Wingfield de Brantham in comitatu Suff. militis.
30. p. m. Rogeri Kent de Horham in comitatu Suff. generosi.

2–3 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Flowerdew armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Dec. 2—12 Nov. 3 Ed. VI.—68 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Claxton.
2. p. m. Galfridi Noloth.
3. p. m. Johannis Fastalfe armigeri.
4. p. m. Edmundi Poley armigeri.
5. p. m. Philippi Calthorp nuper de Erwarton militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Grome.
7. p. m. Roberti Spryng armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Waller senioris armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Johnson.
10. p. m. Nicholai Barsham nuper de Colkreik.
11. p. m. Johannis Brigges generosi.
12. p. m. Stephani Cleydon generosi.
13. p. m. Willielmi Drake de Hardeley generosi.
14. p. m. Thome Halse armigeri.
15. p. m. Rogeri Gosslyn de Framlingham Comitis generosi.
16. p. m. Thome Applyard armigeri.
17. p. m. Edmundi Wood civis et aldermanni Norwici.

3–4 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Henrici Minne armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Mowtyng generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Gressham militis. (*Norff.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
4. p. m. Thome Ellys generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Walter de Swaffham.
6. p. m. Ricardi Bachecroft generosi.
7. p. m. Anthonii Denny militis.
8. p. m. Francisci Bedyngfeld armigeri.

4–5 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Tirrell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 11 Nov. 4—11 Nov. 5 Ed. VI.—69 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Alexandri Aylemer armigeri.
2. p. m. Cristoferi Mownteney generosi.
3. p. m. Thome Tirrell de Gyppyng in comitatu Suff. militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Heydon militis.
5. p. m. Edmundi White armigeri.
6. p. m. Edmundi Knyvett militis.
7. p. m. Thome Coggeshall nuper de Hunden in comitatu Suff.
8. p. m. Johannis Dowsyng nuper de Laxfeld in comitatu Suff. yoman.
9. p. m. Roberti Dryver.
10. p. m. Robarti Raye de Denston in comitatu Suff. yoman.
11. p. m. Georgii Duke armigeri.
12. p. m. Roberti Cheke de Debenham armigeri.
13. p. m. Roberti Mannyng junioris generosi.
14. p. m. Roberti Crane senioris de Chylton in comitatu Suff. armigeri.
15. p. m. Roberti Asshefelde armigeri.
16. p. m. Willielmi Freeston civis et groceri London.
17. p. m. Thome Wentworthe militis Domini Wentworthe.
18. p. m. Christopheri Glemham de Glemham parva in comitatu Suff. armigeri.

5–6 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Alexandri Chapman armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7 *Ed. VI.* to 1 *Mary.*—Compotus Johannis Spencer armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Anne Hoo.
2. p. m. Thome Downes generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Taylour alias Clerke de parva Walsingham in comitatu Norff. draper.
4. p. m. Willielmi Baker.
5. p. m. Willielmi Rogers nuper dum vixit civis et aldermanni Norwici.
6. p. m. Johannis Groos armigeri.
7. p. m. Domine Anne Hobart vidue nuper uxoris Walteri Hobart militis defuncti.

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8. p. m. Thome Clere militis.
9. p. m. Johannis Hallez de Shottesham generosi.
10. p. m. Thome Seman nuper de Benyngton in comitatu Suff.
11. p. m. Lionelli Talmache senioris armigeri de Helmyngham in comitatu Suff.
12. p. m. Antonii Wyngfeld militis.
13. p. m. Thome Brown nuper de Becclis in comitatu Suff. generosi.
14. p. m. Thome Jermyn militis.
15. p. m. Edmundi Bedingfeld militis.
16. p. m. Anne Touneshend nuper uxoris Rogeri Touneshend militis.
17. p. m. Henrici Toley de Gippewico marchaunte.
18. p. m. Johannis Everard nuper de Wyndell in comitatu Norff. generosi.
19. Inquisicio de etate Willielmi Walter filii et heredis Willielmi Walter probanda.
20. Inquisicio de fatuitate et ideocia Georgii Dame.
21. Inquisicio de fatuitate et ideocia Johannis Bartlet de Wyckhamskey.

1 *Mary* to 1 and 2 *Ph. & Mary.*—Compotus Edmundi Wright armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Hagon.
2. p. m. Johannis Robsarte militis. (*Norff.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
4. p. m. Antonii Gryce armigeri.
5. p. m. Edwardi Baker.
6. p. m. Johannis Garneys generosi.
7. p. m. Jacobi Hawe armigeri.
8. p. m. Andree Manfild generosi in Medicinis doctoris.
9. p. m. Bartholomei Kempe.
10. p. m. Thome Fenis Domini Dacre filii et heredis Thome Fenys militis junioris nuper Domini Dacre defuncti.
11. p. m. Willielmi Paston militis.
12. p. m. Johannis Smyth.
13. p. m. Johannis Ravyn nuper de Hadleyth.
14. p. m. Ricardi Caundish militis.
15. p. m. Edmundi Bacon armigeri.
16. p. m. Thome Derehawgh nuper de Badingham in com. Suff. yeoman.
17. p. m. Walteri Clerk de Hadleigh generosi.
18. p. m. Ricardi Gunvile armigeri.
19. p. m. Inquisicio de etate Thome Croft probanda.

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mary.*—Compotus Radulphi Shelton armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Grene generosi.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Bendishe nuper uxoris Willielmi Bendishe et antea uxoris Thome Hubbard armigeri de Leyham.
3. p. m. Arthuri Hopton militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Callibut armigeri.
5. p. m. Roberti Hirne generosi.
6. p. m. Antoini Gurney armigeri.
7. p. m. Ricardi Catelin armigeri unius servientum Regis et Regine ad Legem.
8. p. m. Thome Derham armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Clarke.

4 and 5—5 and 6 *Ph. & Mary.*—Compotus Andree Revet armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Drurye militis.
2. p. m. Roberti Dandy mercatoris de villa Gippewici.
3. p. m. Edmundi Croftes armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Croftes militis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Toppesfeld generosi.
6. p. m. Nicholai Hare militis.
7. p. m. Henrici Reppes armigeri.
8. p. m. Roberti Rochester militis.
9. p. m. Elizabethe Cockesale vidue.
10. p. m. Willielmi Poley armigeri.
11. p. m. Roberti Drury armigeri.
12. p. m. Jane Wythe nuper uxoris Ricardi Wythe generosi et antea uxoris Johannis Sturges armigeri.
13. p. m. Willielmi Mannok armigeri.
14. p. m. Galfridi Ward generosi.
15. p. m. Alexandri Chapman.
16. p. m. Willielmi Everarde de Gillingham Sancte Marie in comitatu Norff. generosi.
17. p. m. Jacobi Underwood nuper de Bixley in comitatu Norff. generosi.
18. p. m. Johannis Berney armigeri.
19. p. m. Jacobi Downes armigeri.
20. p. m. Ricardi Yaxley armigeri nuper dum vixit de civitate Norwici.
21. p. m. Johannis Clere militis.
22. p. m. Edmundi Cusshyn generosi.
23. p. m. Antonii Heveningham militis.
24. p. m. Edmundi Limmer armigeri.
25. p. m. Anne Browne nuper uxoris Willielmi Browne armigeri.
26. p. m. Johannis Walpole armigeri servientis ad legem.

1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Bigott armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 8 Feb. 1—13 Nov. 1 Eliz.—154 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elizabethe Wyngfeld nuper uxoris Anthonii Wyngfeld militis.
2. p. m. Edwardi More.
3. p. m. Reginaldi Gybons.
4. p. m. Willielmi Rochester armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Pleasaunce.
6. p. m. Michaelis Wentworth armigeri.
7. p. m. Nicholai Smyth generosi.
8. p. m. Johannis Bacon generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Jernyngham militis.
10. p. m. Johannis Pretyman.
11. p. m. Willielmi Heigham armigeri.
12. p. m. Christoferi Gryce generosi.
13. p. m. Willielmi Wesgate yoman.
14. p. m. Johannis Grey nuper de Methwoler in comitatu Norff. armigeri.
15. p. m. Walteri Vyncent de Eston in comitatu Norff. yoman.
16. p. m. Willielmi Overend nuper de Lenne Regis in comitatu Norff. generosi.
17. p. m. Roberti Raynbald alias Raynbalde de civitate Norwici mercatoris.o
18. p. m. Johannis Haton generosi.
19. p. m. Johannis Copping senioris de Langall in comitatu Norff. yoman.
20. p. m. Edwardi Walpole armigeri.
21. p. m. Willielmi Lambe generosi.
22. p. m. Roberti Monye nuper de Bynham.
23. p. m. Johannis Olyver nuper de Westoftes in comitatu Norff. yoman.
24. p. m. Georgii Horseman armigeri.
25. p. m. Gregorii Davye de Gunthorpe in comitatu Norff. armigeri.
26. p. m. Roberti Berney armigeri.
27. p. m. Johannis Alyngton armigeri.
28. p. m. Johannis Berney armigeri.
29. p. m. Johannis Dethyk nuper de Wormegaye in comitatu Norff. armigeri.
30. p. m. Roberti Holdiche armigeri.
31. p. m. Thome Losse de Nedeham.
32. p. m. Thome Pigeon de Estbeckham in comitatu Norff. generosi.
33. p. m. Johannis Bulwer nuper de Wooddalling in comitatu Norff. generosi.
34. p. m. Thome Holle generosi.
35. p. m. Firmini Rockewood armigeri.
36. p. m. Thome Ropkyn generosi.
37. p. m. Johannis Goodwyn nuper de Bloffeld.
38. p. m. Johannis Wynter armigeri.
39. p. m. Johannis Plumme generosi.
40. p. m. Johannis Corbett senioris de Sprowston in comitatu Norff. armigeri.

1–3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Drake armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 13 Nov. 1—8 Dec. 3 Eliz.—47 m. [*Fragmentum.*]

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Garneise armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardi Smart de Gippewico in comitatu Suff. draper.
3. p. m. Ricardi Everarde.
4. p. m. Georgii Smithe generosi.
5. p. m. Simonis Brodooke generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Lane de Asshe juxta Campsey alias Campessey.
7. p. m. Johannis Stratton armigeri.
8. p. m. Cristofori Pulham.
9. p. m. Thome Hubart armigeri.
10. p. m. Oliveri Deave nuper de Roydon generosi.
11. p. m. Roberti Browne nuper unius Baronum de Scaccario.
12. p. m. Willielmi Edgar.
13. p. m. Willielmi Bert nuper de Stradbroke (virtute brevis de Mandamus).
14. p. m. Ejusdem (virtute brevis de Que plura).

3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi Wright armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—47 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Plume generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Gosselyn de Bedyngham.
3. p. m. Johannis Jermy militis.
4. p. m. Roberti Norton generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Osenante de Burnham-Norton in comitatu Norff. yoman.
6. p. m. Edwardi Glemham armigeri.
7. p. m. Walteri Beckham.

4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Boldro armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—117 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4–5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Augustini Curtes armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Alicie Croftes unius sororum et coheredum Johannis Croftes generosi qui obiit infra etatem et in custodia dicte domine Regine existentis [virtute brevis de Devenerunt].
2. p. m. Ejusdem [virtute brevis de Melius inquirendum].
3. p. m. Humfridi Jurdan de Grymston in comitatu Norff. generosi.
4. p. m. Radulphi Goodwyn nuper de Gyppewico merchant.
5. p. m. Roberti Fryer.

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6. p. m. Simonis Sampson armigeri.
7. p. m. Humfridi Moptyde yoman.
8. p. m. Johannis Foster filii et heredis Lawrencii Foster senioris nuper de Botsham in comitatu Cantebr armigeri.
9. p. m. Thome Myller.
10. p. m. Willielmi Lether nuper de Lynsted parva in comitatu Suff.
11. p. m. Marie Walgrave nuper de Hycham vidue.
12. p. m. Thome Spelman armigeri consanguinei et heredis Johannis Spelman militis videlicet filii et heredis Johannis Spelman armigeri filii et heredis predicti Johannis Spelman militis.

6–7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Noune armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—51 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Waller armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Dec. 7—24 Nov. 8 Eliz.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Greene nuper de Wylbye in comitatu Norff. generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Hare civis et mercatoris London.
3. p. m. Georgii Chamberleyn armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Grenegrace.
5. p. m. Johannis Broke generosi nuper in custodia dicte domine Regine existentis.
6. p. m. Jacobi Sagon.
7. p. m. Roberti Kene nuper dum vixit de Thrandeston in comitatu Suff.
8. p. m. Johannis Bonde.
9. p. m. Willielmi Wase yoman.

8–9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Dereham armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 24 Nov. 8—19 Nov. 9 Eliz.—82 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edmundi Dethicke armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Woodhouse nuper de Hickling militis.
3. p. m. Edwardi Warner militis.
4. p. m. Roberti Bumpsted generosi.

9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi Ashefeld armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 19 Nov. 9—11 Nov. 9 Eliz.—2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Danyell armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Pratyman.
3. p. m. Thome Davye.
4. p. m. Willielmi Howarde nuper de Brockedishe in comitatu Norff. yoman.
5. p. m. Ricardi Quodyngton armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Bacon nuper de Troston in comitatu Suff. armigeri.
7. p. m. Henrici Mynne armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Hunston armigeri.
9. p. m. Roberti Trapps civis et aurifabri London.
10. p. m. Thome de Graye filii et heredis Thome de Graye nuper de Merton in comitatu Norff. armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Garnyshe armigeri. (*Norff.*)
12. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Suff.*)
13. p. m. Thome Lovell militis.
14. p. m. Henrici Reppes nuper de West Walton in comitatu Norff. armigeri.
15. p. m. Ricardi Fulmerston militis.

10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Chettinge armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Katherine Heydon.
2. p. m. Edmundi Beaupre armigeri.
3. p. m. Henrici Payne armigeri.
4. p. m. Suzanne Grys.

11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Attwood armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Jacobi Spencer generosi. [*Much injured: a small portion only remains.*]
2. p. m. Johannis Frelove.
3. p. m. Willielmi Russell generosi.
4. p. m. Thome Carrell armigeri.
5. p. m. Edwardi Blomeville armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Underwood.
7. p. m. Thome Hubbard nuper de parva Plumbsted armigeri.
8. p. m. Rogeri Stannowe nuper de Bedingham in comitatu Norff.
9. p. m. Thome Eden nuper de Sudbury in comitatu Suff. armigeri.
10. p. m. Thome Some generosi.
11. p. m. Ricardi Hoo nuper de Skarnenge in comitatu Norff. armigeri.
12. p. m. Thome Wenteworthe nuper de Mendham in comitatu Suff. armigeri.
13. p. m. Edmundi Wyndam nuper de Felbrigg in comitatu Norff. militis.
14. p. m. Ricardi Beeles nuper de Burnham Thorpe in comitatu Norff. yoman.

12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Bull Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Covill generosi.
2. p. m. Umfridi Beckswell generosi.
3. p. m. Alexandri Newtone armigeri.

4. p. m. Edmundi Daniell armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Lambe armigeri.

(15-16?) *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Hopkyns Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

16-17 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Dowbes armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. * [16?]—1 Dec. 17 Eliz.—74 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Burward nuper de Devage.
2. p. m. Willielmi Dunckon.
3. p. m. Stephani Davie nuper de Beddingham.
4. p. m. Ricardi Davye de Gunthorpe in comitatu Norff. generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Nicholles armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Clerke nuper de Banham in comitatu Norff. yoman.
7. p. m. Thome Townesende nuper de Testerton in comitatu Norff. armigeri.

17-18 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Bacon armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 1 Dec. 17—15 Feb. 18 Eliz.—112 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Bull de Hacheston juxta Parham.
2. p. m. Johannis Parker generosi.
3. p. m. Simonis Smyth senioris nuper de Cratfield in comitatu Suff.
4. p. m. Thome Seckforde armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Sulyard militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Tirrel militis.
7. p. m. Johannis Bull nuper de Hacheston juxta Perham in comitatu Suff. yoman.
8. p. m. Anthonii Bedingfeld armigeri.
9. p. m. Francisci Sturgeis armigeri.
10. p. m. Caroli le Grys armigeri.

18-19 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Carewe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

20-21 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Rookewood armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

21-22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Croft armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 3 Feb. 21—2 Jan. 22 Eliz.—46 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22-23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Bartholomei Plumpsted armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23-24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Clementis Hunstone armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24-25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Thursbye armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 8 Jan. 24—24 Dec. 25 Eliz.—12 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

25-26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Appleton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26-27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Harvey armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Dec. 26—12 Feb. 27 Eliz.—9 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27-28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Steward armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28-29 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Southwell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

29-30 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Veere armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Feb. 29—12 Feb. 30 Eliz.—8 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30-31 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Catlin armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Jan. 30—16 Dec. 31 Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

31-32 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Stannowe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 16 Dec. 31—12 Dec. 32 Eliz.—5 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32-33 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Cantrell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35-36 *Eliz.*—Compotus Gilberti Wakeringe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 14 Jan. 35—14 Jan. 36 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6-7 *Jac. I.*—Compotus Anthonii Longe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

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7–8 *Jac. I.*—Compotus Francisci Choppin armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 8 Dec. 7—1 Dec. 8 Jac. I.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Jac. I.*—Compotus Johannis Forrest armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments of various Accounts, consisting of 32 Membranes.

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4–5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Balles Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5–6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Roberti Gardener Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eodem civitate a die Lune proximo post festum Sancte Trinitatus anno v^to^. usque eundem diem anno vj^to^. Hen. VII. —1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi London Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Roberti Aylmer Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ corum eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Ferrour Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate a die lune proximo post festum Sancte Trinitatis anno viij^vo^. usque eundem diem anno ix°. Hen. VII.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis nuper Comitis Lincoln attincti.

9–10 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Stephani Bryan Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Augustini Styward Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Sywhatt Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate a die Lune proximo post festum Sancte Trinitatis anno xxvij°. usque eundem diem anno xxviij. Hen. VIII.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Ferrour Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 *Mar.* to 1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Marsham Majoris et Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Codde Majoris et Escaetoris Regis et Regine i neadem civitate a die Lune proximo post festum Sancte Trinitatis annis 1 et 2 usque eundem diem annis 2 et 3 Philippi et Marie Regis et Regine.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Augustini Steward Majoris et Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eadem civitate a die lune proximo post festum Sancte Trinitatis annis 2 and 3 usque eundem diem annis 3 and 3 Philippi et Marie Regis et Regine.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Henrici Bacon Majoris et Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eadem civitate a die lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis annis 3 and 4 usque eundem diem annis 4 and 5 Philippi et Marie Regis et Regine.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Aldriche Majoris et Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eadem civitate a die Lune proximo post festum Sancte Trinitatis annis 4° and 5° Ph. and Mar. usque eundem diem anno 1° Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Shelton militis.

2–3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Fletcher Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die Lunæ proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno 2°. usque eundem diem anno 3 Eliz.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Myngay Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4–5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Davye Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die Lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno 4°. usque eundem diem anno 5°. Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5–6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Nicholai Norgate Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die Lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno 5°. usque eundem diem anno 6°. Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Sotherton Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die Lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno 6°. usque eundem diem anno 7°. Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Bakon Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die Lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno 7°. usque eundem diem anno 8°. Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Walle Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die Lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno 8°. usque eundem diem anno 9°. Eliz.—4 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

10–11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Parker armigeri, Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die Lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno 10°. usque eundem diem anno 11°. Eliz. —2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

11-12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Woode, Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die Lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno xj°. usque eundem diem anno xij°.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

12–13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Aldryche Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno xij usque eundem diem anno xiij.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

13–14 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Grene Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno 13°. usque eundem diem anno 14°.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

14–15 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Suclinge Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno 14°. usque eundem diem anno 15°. : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

15–16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Pecke Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno 15°. usque eundem diem anno 16°.—3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

16–17 *Eliz.*—Compotus Christoferi Some Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die lune proximo post festum Sanctæ Trinitatis anno 16°. usque eundem diem anno 17°.—3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

17–18 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Farrer Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a 23°. die Maii anno 17° usque 11 diem Junii anno 18°. Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

18–19 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Layer Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

19–20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Cullen Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate a die lune proximo ante festum vigil. Sancti Johannis Baptiste anno 19°. usque eundem diem anno xx°. —2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

20–21 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Woodd militis Majoris et Escaetoris Regine in eadem civitate : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

Appendix II.

1. Ancient Compotuses of the Exchequer.

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Northamptonshire and Rutland.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE AND RUTLAND.

1 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Baldewini Veer Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2–4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Stephani Flemyng armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.
9 Nov. 2—6 Nov. 4 Hen. VII.—27 m. [*One membrane wanting.*]
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Margarete Harowedon vidue. (2 Hen. VII.)
2. p. m. Margarete que fuit uxor Ricardi Harowedon.
[These are different persons, as appears by the dates of their death, and the heir not being the same, unless there is some wrong finding in one of the cases.]
3. p. m. Thome Harowedon armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Mallory nuper de Lychebarowe in comitatu Northampton gentilman. (3 Hen. VII.)
5. p. m. Henrici Makworth.
6. p. m. Johannis Sutton de Dudley militis.
7. p. m. Henrici Huddelston.
8. p. m. Walteri Mauntell [aut Mauncell] militis.
9. De possessionibus Francisci nuper Vicecomitis Lovell filii et heredis Alicie nuper domine Lovell attincti.
10. De possessionibus Humfridi Stafford attincti.
11. p. m. Johannis Edy nuper de Stonystratford in comitatu Buk armigeri. (4 Hen. VII.)

5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Skrogges Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Margarete que fuit uxor Willielmi Brown. (*Northt.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Rotel.*)
3. p. m. Elizabethe Milton de Staunford.
4. p. m. Ricardi Danvers.
5. p. m. Edmundi Hastynges militis.
6. p. m. Alianore Preston vidue.
7. p. m. Thome Pylkyngton militis.
8. p. m. Johannis Broughton.
9. p. m. Willielmi Brown. (*Northt.*)
10. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Rotel.*)
11. p. m. Johannis Cheyne.

5–6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Edmundi Huntwade Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Henrici Lovell militis.
2. p. m. Marie Greene vidue.
3. p. m. Willielmi Humfrey.
4. p. m. Johannis Hulcote.
5. p. m. Edmundi Corunwell.
6. p. m. Elizabethe que fuit uxor Willielmi Aldewyncle.
7. p. m. Johannis Gryffyn.

6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Lamberti Langtre Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Ricardi nuper Comitis de Ryviers filii Ricardi nuper Comitis.

9 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Seyton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Sothyll armigeri.
2. p. m. Henrici Veere armigeri.
3. De possessionibus Willielmi Catesby attincti.

14 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Seyton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Johannis Newenham.

14–24 *Hen. VII.*—Compoti Lamberti Langtre Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Desunt.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Newenham. (16 Hen. VII).
2. De possessionibus Johannis Norwiche de Brampton Digneley in comitatu Northampton armigeri fatui.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Tanfeld vidue. (18 Hen. VII.).
4. De possessionibus domus sive monasterii beate Marie de Luffeld dissoluti. (*Northt.*)
5. De eodem prioratu dissoluto. (*Northt.*)
6. p. m. Georgii Catesby filii et heredis Willielmi Catesby. Idem Willielmus Catesby et heredes ejus attincti fuerunt, sed postea possessiones per alium actum restitute fuerunt. (21 Hen. VII.).
7. De possessionibus in quibus Matilda Grene nuper uxor Thome Grene militis patris, et postea Thomas Grene miles filius intraverunt et intruserunt absque licentia Regis.
8. De thesauro invento apud Olthorp per Johannem Catesby de Olthorp armigerum.
9. p. m. Guidonis Sapcote. (22 Hen. VII.).
10. De possessionibus Francisci Metcalff ideote.
11. De possessionibus Prioratus domus monasterii et ecclesie sancti Johannis Evangeliste conventualis canonicorum regularium de Coldenorton in comitatu Oxon, dissoluti.
12. De possessionibus quas Johannes Wilton clericus et alii tenuerunt ad usus Roberti Barnard clerici magistri et sociorum collegii de Fodryngay sine licentia Regis et contra formam statuti.
13. p. m. Willielmi Elmes generosi. (23 Hen. VII.).
14. p. m. Johanne Ormond vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Ormond armigeri defuncti.

15–19. De diversis possessionibus Ricardi Comitis Kanc. Egidii Daubney militis domini Daubney Camerarii Regis et aliorum sine licentia Regis alienatis.

20. p. m. Johannis Bernard armigeri. (24 Hen. VII.).

21. De forisfactura cujusdam obligationis per receptionem redditnum de maneriis de Maydewell, &c., contra conditionem ejusdem obligationis.

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Mathewe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 29 Nov. 1—28 Nov. 2 Hen. VIII.—37 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Bartholomei Deens armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Ramsey.
3. p. m. Ricardi Osborne.
4. p. m. Nicholai Gryffyn militis.
5. p. m. Edwardi Cope.
6. p. m. Willielmi Isham armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Palmer armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Melton militis.
9. p. m. Margarete Comitisse Richemond et Derb.
10. De possessionibus Ricardi Empson militis attincti. (*Northt.*)
11. De possessionibus ejusdem Ricardi. (*Northt.*)
12. De possessionibus ejusdem Ricardi Emson militis et Edmundi Dudley attincti. (*Rotel.*)

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Egidii Pulton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Willoby Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 3—26 Nov. 4 Hen. VIII.—21 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Risley militis viz de terris et tenementis Francisci nuper Vicecomitis Lovell eidem Johanni concessis.
2. p. m. Thome Brandon militis viz de possessionibus ejusdem Francisci nuper Vicecomitis Lovell eidem Thome concessis.

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Pulter armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Nov. 4—11 Nov. 5 Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Villers.
2. p. m. Johannis Seynt John armigeri.
3. p. m. Nicholai Malory nuper de Newbold Fenny armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Corbett militis.
5. p. m. Ejusdem.
6. p. m. Katherine Hertwell vidue nuper uxoris Willielmi Hertwell militis.
7. p. m. Johannis Muscote nuper de Barton Comitis generosi.
8. De bonis et catallis utlagatorum.

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Lenton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 11 Nov. 5—27 Nov. 6 Hen. VIII.—28 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Merbury.
2. p. m. Edwardi Saunders.
3. p. m. Willielmi Nowell nuper de Aldewyncle.
4. p. m. Anne Coope vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Coope armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Cheyne militis.—3 m.
6. De possessionibus Francisci Lovell nuper Vicecomitis Lovell attincti, Margarete nuper Comitisse Rychemond et Johanni Rysley militi concessis.
7. De bonis et catallis utlagatorum.

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Davidis Cyssell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 6—29 Nov. 7 Hen VIII.—3 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Reginaldi Coniers armigeri.
2. p. m. Milonis Worseley armigeri. (*Northt.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Rotel.*)
4. p. m. Thome Thurleby.
5. p. m. Willielmi Thorley.
6. p. m. Everardi Feldyng militis. (*Northt.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Rotel.*)
8. De terris et tenementis que fuerunt Johannis Chysselden armigeri.
9. De manerio de Rydlyngton et advocatione ecclesie de Rydlyngton per Regem Henricum VII. matri sue Margarete Comitisse Rychmond et Derb pro termino vite concessis.

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Flowre armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Malory nuper de Newbold Fenny armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Scheffeld generosi.
3. tam p. m. Thome Ramsey armigeri quam p. m. Margarete Restwold nuper uxoris dicti Thome Ramsey.
4. p. m. Thome Clerk patris Jacobi Clerk.

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Clement armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 15 Nov. 8—10 Nov. 9 Hen. VIII.—12 m., and some small fragments of the left hand side of other membranes of the roll. (*Imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Symmys.
2. p. m. Ricardi Haddon militis.
3. p. m. Thome Mountagu generosi.

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4. p. m. Henrici Kebyll nuper civis et groceri civitatis London mercatoris stapule Cales.
5. p. m. Johannis Beawffoo armigeri.
6. p. m. Guidonis Palmes nuper servientis Regis ad legem.

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Palmer Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—16 m. Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Wakelyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Baxter.
2. p. m. Thome Swafyld armigeri.
3. p. m. Christoferi Browne armigeri.
4. p. m. Elianore Melton vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Melton militis quondam uxoris Johannis Zouche armigeri.
5. p. m. Nicholai Boughton.
6. p. m. Ricardi Samuell.
7. p. m. Ricardi Horton.
8. p. m. Ricardi Pulter.
9. p. m. Johanne Power nuper uxoris Johannis Power de Petirburgh defuncti.
10. p. m. Johannis Broughton armigeri.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Hugonis Frebody Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 14 Nov. 11—16 Nov. 12 Hen. VIII.—2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Colly armigeri.
2. p. m. Radulphi Wymark.
3. p. m. Georgii Boyvyll.
4. p. m. Thome Stafford armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Long de Sulgrave.
6. p. m. Roberti Framyngham.
7. p. m. Johannis Danvers militis.
8. p. m. Ricardi Perwich filii Ricardi Perwich.

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus [Edmundi Newenham] Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 16 Nov. 12—2 Dec. 13 Hen. VIII.—14 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Harpur armigeri.
2. De possessionibus Edwardi Ducis Bukyngham nuper de Thornebury in comitatu Glouc. attincti.
3. De possessionibus Johannis Malary attincti in anno tercio H. septimi quas concessit cuidam Ricardo Empson et aliis.

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Andrewes armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Tyrwhit militis.
2. p. m. Henrici Lovell armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Smalbon nuper de Farnedon.
4. p. m. Thome Barker.
5. p. m. Georgii Agard.
6. p. m. Mauricii Barkeley militis.
7. p. m. Roberti Goodman de Northluffenhame in comitatu Rotel yoman.
8. De possessionibus Edwardi Ducis Buk nuper de Thornbury in comitatu Glouc. attincti.

15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Mollesworth Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Flowre armigeri. (*Northt.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Rotel.*)

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Haldenby armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 3 Dec. 15—14 Nov. 16 Hen. VIII.—28 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Grendon generosi.
2. p. m. Lodowici Aprice.
3. p. m. Johannis Haryngton armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Royse.
5. p. m. Willielmi Turpyn nuper de Knaptoft in comitatu Lescestrie armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Murden de Braunston in comitatu Northt.
7. p. m. Willielmi Stuttysbery.
8. p. m. Willielmi Wade nuper de Kelmerche in comitatu Northampton.
9. p. m. Ricardi Waver.
10. p. m. Johannis Harryngton armigeri.
11. De medietate manerii de Preston parva alias Wood Preston in comitatu Northt. quod fuit Johannis Empson generosi.
12. De possessionibus in Haldenby que quondam fuerunt Thome Newman nuper de Norhampton marchaunte.
13. De terris in Pedyngton et Hakylton que fuerunt Nicholai Wakelyn, Thome Chepsey de Northampton grocer et aliis venditis.
14. De quibusdam mesuagiis in Daventry et Drayton, et aliis possessionibus in le Doglayne in Daventre, Rogero Lache de Daventre, merser, venditis.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Birde armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Fitz.

2. p. m. Anne Stidolff.
3. p. m. Guidonis Edmondes.
4. p. m. Johannis Seyton armigeri.
5. p. m. Roberti Skypton nuper de Brokhole.
6. p. m. Georgii Dalyson armigeri.
7. p. m. Hugonis Phelypp gentylman.
8. p. m. Elizabethe nuper uxoris Johannis Tuddenham ac quondam uxoris Ricardi Osborne defuncti.
9. p. m. Johannis Seynt John militis.
10. p. m. Ricardi Druwell armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Baxster.
12. p. m. Thome Greneham.
13. p. m. Thome Lovell militis.
14. p. m. Willielmi Haddon armigeri.
15. p. m. Nicholai Vaux militis domini Vaux.—(3 m.)
16. De possessionibus Monasterii sive Prioratus monachorum ordinis Sancti Benedicti in Daventre in comitatu Northt. dissoluti.
17. De possessionibus Hugonis Haseley clerici, Rectoris ecclesie parochialis de Bugbroke in comitatu Northampton, alias dicti Hugonis Haseley nuper de parochia de Bugburgh* in comitatu Northt. clerici, alias dicti Hugonis Haseley nuper de Bugbroke in comitatu Northampton clerici utlagati.

[17]–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Warner armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—43 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Ramsey.
2. p. m. Caroli Comitis Wigorn.
3. p. m. Georgii Staveley armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Robyns nuper de Houghton magna in comitatu Northt. yoman.
5. p. m. Thome Ingnarsby generosi.
6. p. m. Willielmi Seynt Andrewe generosi.
7. p. m. Edmundi Hasulwode armigeri.
8. p. m. Georgii Burneby armigeri.

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Barnarde armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Gracie Druell vidue nuper uxoris Ricardi Druell armigeri.
2. p. m. Edmundi Newenham armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Tyryngham.
4. p. m. Andree Palmer generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Lane armigeri.
6. p. m. Rogeri Flore generosi.
7. De possessionibus Monasterii sive Prioratus monachorum Cluniacen, ordinis sancti Benedicti in Bradwell in comitatu Buk, suppressi et dissoluti.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Andrewes armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. Dec.*

18 Nov. 19—5 Nov. 20 Hen. VIII.—25 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Chauncye.
2. p. m. Johannis Fyscher.
3. p. m. Thome Lovett filii Thome Lovett de Astwell in comitatu Northt. armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Mountgomery generosi.
5. p. m. Johanne Druell unius filiarum et heredum Ricardi Druell armigeri defuncti.
6. p. m. Georgii Waldegrave armigeri.
7. p. m. Willielmi Waldegrave militis.
8. p. m. Willielmi Trust generosi.
9. p. m. Francisci Catesby de Wyshyngton armigeri.
10. p. m. Richardi Collis generosi.
11. p. m. Johannis Duraunte senioris nuper de Barowghdon.
12. p. m. Isabelle Staveley nuper uxoris Georgii Staveley defuncti.
13. p. m. Georgii Kirkeham armigeri.
14. De rectoria de Assheby Legear in comitatu Northt. et aliis possessionibus per Priorem et Conventum de Launde in comitatu Leicester, Willielmo Catysby armigero attincto in anno primo Hen. VII^mi., dimissis, Item de occupatione eorundem possessionum per Johannem Lancastr nunc priorem.

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Lovet armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. ... Nov. 20—... Nov. 21 Hen. VIII.—33 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis.
2. p. m. Willielmi Tanfeld armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Turpyn armigeri.
4. p. m. Briani Palmes nuper de Lyndeley in comitatu Ebor armigeri.

[21]–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Watson Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—3 m. (*Fragmentum.*) The new escheats for Northampton only.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Hasylwoode armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

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1. p. m. Edwardi Watson generosi.
2. p. m. Roberti Brudenell militis nuper Capitalis Justiciarii Regis de Communi Banco apud Westm. (*Northt.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Rotel.*)
4. p. m. Johannis Bewloo armigeri.
5. p. m. Ricardi Yngarsby generosi.
6. p. m. Nicholai Wodhull armigeri.
7. p. m. Walteri Mauntell [vel Mauncell] militis.

24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Fulconis Barker armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Golde gentylman.
2. p. m. Thome Bassett armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Caldecote generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Kyng.
5. p. m. Thome Crispe generosi.
6. p. m. Ricardi Ireland.
7. p. m. Hugonis Frebody nuper de Thropemowndevile in comitatu Northampton armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Brayn.
9. p. m. Roberti Tyrryngham filii et heredis Thome Tyrryngham.
10. p. m. Thome nuper Marchionis Dorset.
11. p. m. Willielmi Kynsman armigeri.

25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Andrewes armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Spencer filii et heredis Thome Spencer et Margarete uxoris ejus.
2. p. m. Richardi Tresham.
3. p. m. Johannis Knyght.
4. p. m. Johannis Sheffeld generosi.
5. p. m. Johanne Wymark.
6. p. m. Thome Duraunt generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Dygby militis.

25–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Lovett armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 10 Feb. 25—28 Nov. 26 Hen. VIII.—14 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Cave armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 26—26 Nov. 27 Hen. VIII.—45 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Catesby armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Grendon clerici.
3. p. m. Willielmi Staverton.
4. p. m. Willielmi Bonde.
5. p. m. tam Johannis Mulsho, quam Roberti Mulsho armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Spencer nuper de Hodnell in comitatu Northampton.
7. p. m. Johannis Cheyne armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Haldenby armigeri.
9. p. m. Thome Burneby armigeri.
10. p. m. Ricardi Knyghtley militis.
11. p. m. Willielmi Fitzwillyam nuper de Milton in comitatu Northt. militis.—(2 m.)
12. p. m. Edwardi Basset generosi.
13. p. m. Edwardi Watson armigeri.

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Warner armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 27—2 Dec. 28 Hen. VIII.—16 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Benedicti Davy de Tocester in comitatu Northampton yoman.
2. p. m. Georgii Makworth armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Blount militis nuper domini Mountjoye.
4. p. m. Johannis Foxley senioris de Blakesley in comitatu Northampton generosi.

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Brudnell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 2 Dec. 28—31 Dec. 29 Hen. VIII.—6 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Audelet de Abendon in comitatu Berk armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Pemberton armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Burton armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Dyve militis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Dale armigeri.

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Dorant armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —17 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Williams de Staneford generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Cave junioris.
3. p. m. Willielmi Dyve armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Tresham armigeri.
5. p. m. Simonis Swaffeld generosi.
6. p. m. Henrici Wyght yoman.
7. p. m. Ricardi Chisselden.
8. p. m. Rogeri Ratclyff armigeri.
9. p. m. Thome Sherard armigeri.
10. De possessionibus Nicholai Hethe nuper Prioris domus sive monasterii sancte Trinitatis

de Lenton in comitatu Not. alias dicti Nicholai Hethe nuper de Lenton in comitatu Nott. clerici attincti, quas tenuit ut de jure dicti Prioratus.

30-31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Cave armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. [27 Nov.] 30—[ ] 31 Hen. VIII.—20 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Rogeri Corbet armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Palmere de Carleton in comitatu Northt. armigeri.
3. p. m. Ricardi Andrewes armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Lewys.
5. p. m. Ricardi Lucas senioris.
6. p. m. Edmundi Knevett senioris armigeri.
7. De possessionibus Roberti Hobbes nuper Abbatis domus sive monasterii beate Marie de Woborn in comitatu Bed. alias dicti Roberti Hobbes nuper de Woborn in comitatu Bedd. clerici attincti, forisfactis.

32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Simonis Dygby Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33-34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Malory armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Ingresby armigeri.
2. p. m. Roberti Mathewe de Bardden in comitatu Northampton armigeri.
3. p. m. Antonii Woodhull armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Blenkowe de Laurence Marston in comitatu Northampton generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Molsworthe armigeri.
6. p. m. Alicie Standysshe vidue.
7. p. m. Thome Andrews armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Robyns.
9. p. m. Johannis Turner armigeri.
10. p. m. Ricardi Fosbroke generosi.

34-35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Andrewes armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 34—23 Nov. 35 Hen. VIII.—32 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Sapcote militis.
2. p. m. Thome Lovet.
3. p. m. Annabille Caldecot vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Caldecot.
4. p. m. Ricardi Flower armigeri.
5. p. m. Edmundi Knyghtley militis.—(2 m.)
6. De possessionibus Willielmi Petyver attincti de felonia eo quod felonice interfecit et murderavit Robertum Petyver de Myddelton Cheney in comitatu Northt. fratrem suum.

35-36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Hasylwood armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Sheffeld generosi.
2. p. m. Laurencii Saunders armigeri.
3. p. m. Josephi Saunders generosi.
4. p. m. Elizabethe Englefeld vidue.—(2 m.)

36-37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Humfrey armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 19 Nov. 36—7 Nov. 37 Hen. VIII.—24 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Antonii Irelond generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Conye generosi.
3. p. m. Roberti Marburye de Grysbye in comitatu Lincoln armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Hochynson clerici nuper Rectoris ecclesie parochialis de Scalldwell in comitatu Northampton.
5. p. m. Jacobi Pemberton clerici filii et heredis Cristoferi Pemberton generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Worsley armigeri.
7. p. m. Edwardi Warnar generosi.
8. p. m. Gracie Palmer nuper uxoris Roberti Palmer de Parva Bowdon in comitatu Northt. generosi ac filie et heredis Thome Cost generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Aleyn militis.
10. p. m. Johannis Multon nuper de Briklesworthe.
11. p. m. Thome Chypsey.
12. Breve eidem Escaetori et aliis directum de bonis et catallis que fuerunt cujusdam Thome Russell nuper attincti Item due schedule de appreciatione et venditione eorundem.—(3 m.)

37-38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Wake armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 7 Nov. 37—22 Nov. 38 Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Symmes de Daventre.
2. p. m. Willielmi Newenham militis.
3. p. m. Roberti Belcher generosi.
4. p. m. Edwardi Slade generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Tressham armigeri defuncti filii et heredis apparentis Thome Tressham de Russheton in comitatu Northt. militis.
6. p. m. Anne Warner nuper uxoris Roberti Warner armigeri filie et heredis Ricardi Drewell armigeri ac preantea uxoris Thome Peryent armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Dyve armigeri.
8. p. m. Georgii Ralegh armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Lane nuper de Ketering armigeri.

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Northamptonshire and Rutland.

38 *Hen. VIII.*—? 1 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Thome Andrewes armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Nov. 38—[ ] ? 1 Ed. VI.—9 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Barnard armigeri Escaetoris in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 1—5 Dec. 2 Ed. VI.—11 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2–3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Mulsho armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Dec. 2—12 Nov. 3 Ed. VI.—17 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Ed. VI.*—Compotus Ricardi Wade armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4–5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Henrici Dygby Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 11 Nov. 4—11 Nov. 5 Ed. VI.—21 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5–6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Chauncey armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7 *Edw. VI.*—1 *Mar.*—Compotus Egidii Isham Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Burton nuper de Braunston in comitatu Rotel yeoman.
2. p. m. Johannis Harrington militis.
3. p. m. Thome Lovell armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannes Stodderd nuper de Dosthorpe in comitatu Northampton generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Cicill armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Harvye de Cannonsashebye in comitatu Northampton.
7. p. m. Willielmi Gyford generosi.
8. p. m. Ricardi Catesby militis.—(2 m.)
9. p. m. Henrici Wyndesour armigeri.

1 *Mar.*—1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Francisci Tanfeld armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—9 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Stephani Kyrton nuper civis et aldermanni civitatis London.
2. p. m. Antonii Catesbye armigeri.

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Georgii Lynne armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 8 Dec. 1 and 2—[ ] 2 and 3 Ph. and Mar.—10 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Roberti Winkefield armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Francisci Conyers armigeri.

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Spensar armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Onley armigeri.
2. p. m. Humfridi Cumberford armigeri.
3. p. m. Rogeri Horton civis et aurifabri London.
4. p. m. Johannis Danvers de Culworthe armigeri.
5. p. m. Baldwini Payne marcatoris stapule Calis.
6. p. m. Egidii Poulton armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Durante nuper de Baroughdon in comitatu Rotel. generosi.
8. p. m. Roberti Glover yoman nuper de Helidon.
9. p. m. Johannis Mathewe armigeri.
10. p. m. Roberti Browne nuper de Helmeden yoman.
11. p. m. Georgii Gage generosi.
12. p. m. Johannis Lane nuper de Walgrave armigeri.
13. p. m. Francisci Catesby armigeri.
14. p. m. Roberti Grendon generosi.
15. p. m. Marie Smyth filie et heredis Humfridi Smythe nuper de Shirford in comitatu War. armigeri.
16. p. m. Ricardi Humfrey nuper de Barton Hauredd in comitatu Northampton armigeri.

4 and 5—5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Edwardi Watson armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Cope armigeri.
2. p. m. Lawrencii Mauley [aut Mauley] de Northampton mercer.
3. p. m. Johannis Coope militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Norwiche armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Campynet generosi.
6. p. m. Anthonii Andrewes generosi.
7. p. m. Roberti Harryson nuper de Itowe [i. e. Stowe] cum novem ecclesiis in comitatu Northampton generosi.
8. p. m. Ricardi Andrewes de Harleston in comitatu Northt. generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Durant nuper de Cottesmore in comitatu Rotel. armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Hartwell armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Ekyns senioris.
12. p. m. Thome Broke armigeri.
13. p. m. Edwardi Osborne armigeri.
14. p. m. Georgii Isham nuper de Braunston in comitatu Northampton generosi
15. p. m. Thome Cave militis.

16. p. m. Ricardi Muscott generosi.
17. p. m. Henrici Neale senioris de villa Northampton clothyer.
18. p. m. Thome Wade nuper de Clypston in comitatu Northampton yeoman.

1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Galfridi Dormer armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—113 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Hales nuper de Aysheton in comitatu Northampton yoman.
2. p. m. Thome Osborne generosi.
3. p. m. Egidii Wykeley generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Grey generosi.
5. p. m. Simonis Smythe nuper de Brockhole in comitatu Northt. yoman.
6. p. m. Johannis Mole.
7. p. m. Thome Barnewell generosi.
8. p. m. Antonii Furtho generosi.
9. p. m. Thome Tayler nuper de Myddleton Chendnute alias vocati Middleton Cheyney in comitatu Northt.
10. p. m. Johannis Lenton armigeri.
11. p. m. Fulconis Barker generosi.
12. p. m. Thome Catlyn de Roundes in comitatu Northt. generosi.
13. p. m. Frideswide Pargetour nuper uxoris Edmundi Pargetour.
14. p. m. Thome Smythe nuper de Brockhole in comitatu Northt. yoman.
15. p. m. Thome Dudley armigeri.
16. p. m. Fulconis Buttry de Marson sancti Lawrencii in comitatu Northt. generosi.
17. p. m. Roberti Pargeter generosi.
18. p. m. Willielmi Tresham armigeri.
19. p. m. Alexandri Belcher nuper de Guyllesbrugh in comitatu Northt. generosi.
20. p. m. Willielmi Butteler de Preston Capes alias Preston super Montem in comitatu Northt. generosi.
21. p. m. Egidii Isham armigeri.
22. p. m. Johannis Knyvette armigeri.
23. p. m. Roberti Kirkham nuper de Fynysheade in comitatu Northt. militis.
24. p. m. Thome Sanders armigeri.
25. p. m. Johannis Butlin nuper de Hollwell in comitatu Northt. yoman.
26 p. m. Francisci Morgan nuper unius Justiciariorum domini Regis et domine Regine Philippi et Marie nuper Regis et Regine Angl. ad placita.
27. p. m. Nicholai Rande de villa Northt. draper.
28. p. m. Francisci Tanfe'd armigeri.
29. p. m. Thome Tresham militis nuper Prioris nuper Hospitalis Sancti Johannis Jerusalem in Anglia.—(2 m.)
30. p. m. Frauncisci Macworthe de Empingham in comitatu Ruteland armigeri.
31. p. m. Thome Pell de Eltyngton in comitatu Northt.—(2 m.)

2–3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Webbe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 17 Nov. 2 –28 Nov. 3 Eliz.—58 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Anne Comitisse Bedford.
2. p. m. Reginaldi Conyers armigeri. (*Northt.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Rotel.*)
4. p. m. Johannis Browne armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Butler armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Durant nuper de Cottesmore in comitatu Rotel armigeri.—(2 m.)
7. p. m. Willielmi Lane filii et heredis Johannis Lane armigeri.—(2 m.)

3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Bartholomei Tate armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—45 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Smythe nuper de Braunston in comitatu Northt.
2. p. m. Simonis Dygbye armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Loftis nuper de Assheton in comitatu Northt.
4. p. m. Willielmi Stutesburye generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Eykyns nuper de Horpoll in comitatu Northt.
6. p. m. Ricardi Cave armigeri.

3-4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Gent armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus [4]—[5] Eliz.—67 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Tayler nuper de Myddelton Chendnut alias Myddelton Cheyney in comitatu Northt.
2. p. m. Willielmi Heyns de Bifield in comitatu Northt. yoman.
3. p. m. Johannis Wylkyns nuper de Moreton Pynkeney in comitatu Northt.
4. p. m. Thome Dalyson generosi.
5. p. m. Henrici Thorneton de Newenham in comitatu Northt. generosi.
6. p. m. Willielmi Warde de Yelvertoft in comitatu Northt. yoman.
7. p. m. Jacobi Payn filii et heredis Baldwini Payn defuncti ac nuper in warda ipsius Regine ratione minoris etatis sue existentis.
8. p. m. Alexandri Cooke nuper de Newbold in comitatu Warwic husbondman.
9. p. m. Johannis Foxley de Blakesley in comitatu Northt. armigeri.

4–5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Wake armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—70 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Blinco generosi.
2. p. m. Nicholai Gyfford generosi.
3. p. m. Thome Mulsho armigeri.

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4. p. m. Rogeri Brocke generosi.
5. p. m. Andree Nowell armigeri.
6. p. m. Galfridi Dormer armigeri.—(2 m.)

6–7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Brooke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Snokestubbe.
2. p. m. Stephani Argard [aut Agard] armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti Isham clerici.—(2 m.)
4. p. m. Katherine Andrewes nuper uxoris Thome Andrewes militis defuncti.
5. p. m. Willielmi Gent armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Andrewes militis.

7–[? 8] *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Onley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [ ] 7–[ ] *Eliz.*—65 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Cave armigeri.

11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Barnard armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11–12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Andree Fyssher Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—32 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[14]–15] *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Watson armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

15 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Kirkham armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus [ ] –[ ] Eliz.—34 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Georgii Shukborough generosi.
2. p. m. Roberti Loftis.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Skenington [aut Skevington] defuncte nuper uxoris Jacobi Skenington generosi et nuper preantea uxoris Thome Cave militis.

16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Mountstephan armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. —7 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Dorothee Dayrell vidue.—(2 m.)
2. p. m. Marie Brooke.—(2 m.)

20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Albani Butler de Aston in the Wall in comitatu Northt. armigeri Escaetoris in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Petri Coles nuper de Preston Capes in comitatu Northt. generosi.

20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Sheffeld generosi Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Smyth militis unius principalium Secretariorum et Cancellarii Ordinis dicte domine Regine.
2. p. m. Thome Parrys alias Taylor de Middleton Cheyney in comitatu Northt. yeoman.
3. p. m. Edwardi Saunders militis.—(3 m.)
4. p. m. Willielmi Nicolles generosi.

21–22 [aut 22–23] *Eliz.*—Compotus Samuelis Danvers armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus [ ] 21–[ ] 22 [aut 22–23] Eliz.—40 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Belcher generosi.

23–24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Cheyney armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 3 Feb. 23—18 Nov. 24 Eliz.—75 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Jane Troughton vidue.
2. p. m. Johannis Stiles nuper de Baddington alias Bainton in comitatu Northt. yoman.
3. p. m. Johannis Osberne armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Wake nuper de Hartwell in comitatu Northampton generosi. (Capta coram Escaetore et aliis Commissionariis.)
5. p. m. Johannis Pell de Eltington in comitatu Northampton generosi.—(2 m.)

24–25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Mulsho armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus [24] –[25] Eliz.—63 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

25–26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Pickeringe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Jan. 25—19 Dec. 26 Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Arthuri Brooke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 19 Dec. 26—22 Dec. 27 Eliz.—2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Burnabye armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 10 Feb. 27—10 Feb. 28 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28–29 *Eliz.*—Compotus Rogeri Charnocke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 10 Feb. 28—5 Mar. 29 Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodum: *Desunt.*

29–30 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Read armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Mar. 29—16 Jan. 30 Eliz.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–[31] *Eliz.*—Compotus Clementis Lewes armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[31]–32 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Pickeringe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 23 Jan. 31—23. . . .32 Eliz.—5 m.—(*Some of them small fragments.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32–33 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Palmer armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 30 Jan. 32—19 Jan. 33 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[33–34] *Eliz.*—Compotus Fardinandi Caldecott armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34–35 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Nichols armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Dec. 34—24 Jan. 35 Eliz.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35–36 *Eliz.*—Compotus Erasmi Draidon armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 24 Jan. 35—24 Jan. 36 Eliz.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[36]–37 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Dudley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

37–38 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Sotherton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 30 Nov. 37—30 Nov. 38 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[39]–40 *Eliz.*—Compotus Gilberti Pickeringe Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

40–41 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Samuel armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—2 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[7–8] *Jac. I.*—Compotus 'Sharkley' Marmyon armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Jac. I.*—Compotus Francisci Muscot armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 14 Dec. 8—14 Dec. 9 Jac. 1.—1 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments of various Accounts consisting of 55 membranes.

TOWN OF NORTHAMPTON.

Town of Northampton.

12–13 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Wattys Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13–14 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Humfrey Majoris et Escaetoris ibidem. Mich. 13—Mich. 14. Hen. VII.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[14–15] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Mathei Swayn Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Saxby Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1—2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Parvyn Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. Mich. 1—Mich 2. Hen. VIII.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Wellys Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem. Mich. 2—Mich. 3 Hen. VIII.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–[4] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Hilton Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

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15 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Basset Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Caxton.
2. p. m. Thome Bosume.
3. p. m. Thome Gloucestr.
4. p. m. Alicie Biroon.
5. p. m. Johannis Stanhope.
6. De manerio de Laxton quod Milo Etton miles tenuit die obitus sui viz. decimo die Februarii anno 16 Hen. VI.

16-24 *Hen. VII.*—Compoti Roberti Ardern Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Desunt.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. De perquisitione manerii de Langwyth Basset per Johannem Vavasour militem. (19 Hen. VII.)
2. p. m. Cuthberti Rye nuper de Witwell. (20 Hen. VII.)
3. p. m. Willielmi Staunton.
4. p. m. Johannis Leke de Sutton in le Dale.
5. p. m. Radulphi Slory de Colwyke Nowers. (*cancellata.*)
Item p. m. Thome Langton de Kyrkebe.
6. p. m. Roberti Moresby.
7. p. m. Matilde Willughby quondam uxoris Johannis Fitz William militis.
8. p. m. Radulphi Slory de Colwyk Nowers.
9. p. m. Thome Comitis Derb.
10. p. m. Johannis Abney nuper de Willesley.
11. p. m. Thome Gresley militis.
12. De ecclesia parochiali de Laxton collegio Jesu de Rotherham data per Archiepiscopum Ebor.
13. p. m. Thome Langton de Kyrkby. (21 Hen. VII.)
14. p. m. Johannis Dampard de Stapilford.
15. p. m. Georgii Clay.
16. p. m. Edmundi Appulby nuper de Appulby in comitatu Leyc armigeri.
17. p. m. Roberti Teverey de Stapilford.
18. p. m. Johannis Babyngton militis. (22 Hen. VII.)
19. p. m. Radulphi Marsshall nuper de South Carleton in parochia de Suthmuskham.
20. p. m. Agnetis Clyfton nuper uxoris Gervasii Clyfton militis defuncti.
21. p. m. Radulphi Longforth de Suthwell in comitatu Not. armigeri.
22. p. m. Ricardi Slurry gentilman nuper de Uffyngton in comitatu Lincoln.
23. p. m. Elisabethe Sotehyll.
24. p. m. Ricardi Curson nuper de Ketelston armigeri.
25. p. m. Edmundi Appulby de Appulby generosi.
26. p. m. Thome Segrave generosi.
27. p. m. Johannis Styrley. (24 Hen. VII.)
28. p. m. Thome Hunt de Normanton juxta Sothwell in comitatu Not.
29. p. m. Thome Rosyll.
30. p. m. Nicholai Serleby.
31. p. m. Johannis Wydmerpolle.
32. p. m. Thome Balgy de Aston junioris.
33. p. m. Radulphi Pole de Wakebrigge gentilman.
34. p. m. Johannis Hardwyk gentilman.

[1]-2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Bosom armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2-3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Godefridi Foljambe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 2—28 Nov. 3 Hen. VIII.—15 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. De lunacia Margarete nuper uxoris Thome Chaworth armigeri (Not.).
2. De lunacia ejusdem (Derb.).

3-4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Cokeyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 3*—28 Nov. 4* Hen. VIII.—28 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Fitz William de Athewik armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Vavasour.
3. p. m. Willielmi Hartishill.
4. p. m. Humfridi Hercy armigeri.
5. p. m. Edwardi Stanhop militis.
6. p. m. Egidii Brugge militis.
7. p. m. Johannis Curson nuper de Ketilston armigeri.
8. p. m. Nicholai Berde.
9. p. m. Rogeri Kelk junioris.
10. p. m. Arthuri Frechevyle.

[4-5] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Christoferi Metheley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Nicholai Frechevile.
2. p. m. Willielmi Fox nuper de Hasland.

* These numerals are four and five in the heading, but a line is drawn through them, and by comparison with the other accounts, the above dates are distinctly correct.

3. p. m. Johannis Mountgomery militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Ferrers militis.
5. p. m. Roberti Strelley nuper de Wodburrugh (obiit in anno 2do Hen. VIII).
6. p. m. Johannis Thurveton nuper de Carcolston.
7. p. m. Thome Bowes nuper de Cortlyngstoke (ob. anno secundo).
8. p. m. Willielmi Bevercotes.
9. De possessionibus in Claworth, &c., quas Johannes Jesop qui obiit anno 13° Hen. VII. tenuit.
10. De possessionibus in Flyntham quas Johannes Hottofte nuper de Flyntham in comitatu Not. qui obiit anno 14 Hen. VII. tenuit.

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Meverell Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 11 Nov. 5—27 Nov. 6 Hen. VIII.—2 m. (*Fragmentum*).

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Petri Pole nuper de Chestrefeld. (*Not.*)
2. p. m. Roberti Lynacre.
3. p. m. Thome Samon de Annesley Wood-house.
4. p. m. Thome Alsopp de Alsopp.
5. p. m. Thome Bowes.
6. p. m. Hugonis Wyllughby de Resley armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Frechevile armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Armestrong.
9. p. m. Wichardi Harebotell.
10. p. m. Radulphi Savage.
11. p. m. Petri Pole nuper de Chestrefeld. (*Derb.*)
12. p. m. Thome Cheyne militis. (*Not.*)
13. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Thurland armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elizabethe que fuit uxor Thome Cokesey militis ac nuper uxor Edwardi Stanley domini de Mountegle militis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Trewthaylle gentilman.
3. p. m. Nicholai Morton.
4. p. m. Willielmi Bliton armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Fitz William.

8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Eyre Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Wymondiswold Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Radulphi Shirley militis. (*Not.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
3. p. m. Rogeri Ayer armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Clifton armigeri.
5. p. m. Henrici Gloucestr.
6. p. m. Hugonis Teverey. (*Not.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
8. p. m. Thome Poge.
9. p. m. Wichardi Harebotell armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Knyvett militis.

10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Humfridi Hercy Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Wastenes Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Alexandri Nevell Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Styrley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxor Radulphi Shirley militis ac postea uxoris Willielmi Hastyngys armigeri.
2. p. m. Roberti Shaa.
3. p. m. Anne Hopton vidue.
4. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis.
5. p. m. Humfridi Roos armigeri.
6. De possessionibus Edwardi Ducis Buk. nuper de Thornebury in comitatu Glouc. proditoris, attincti.

14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Curson armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Thymelby armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Grisley militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Bradshawe de Wyndeley.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Basset de Muskham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—7 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Cristoferi Wode generosi.
2. p. m. Hugonis Annesley senioris.
3. p. m. Johannis Waren.
4. p. m. Willielmi Rothewode.
5. p. m. Johanne nuper uxoris Ricardi Walwen.

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6. p. m. Stephani Hatfild marcatoris stapule Calesie.
7. p. m. Thome Marshall.
8. p. m. Roberti Thornhill.
9. p. m. Mauricii Berkeley de Berkeley militis.
10. p. m. Thome Thurland armigeri.
11. p. m. Willielmi Fitzwilliam armigeri.
12. p. m. Edwardi Stanley militis domini Mountegle. (*Not.*)
13. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
14. p. m. Christoferi Kelke.
15. p m. Thome Lyndley de Lyndley armigeri.
16. Breve de possessionibus ejusdem restituendis.
17. De possessionibus Francisci Lovell militis nuper Vicecomitis Lovell attincti.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Arthuri Eyre armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 15 Nov. 16—15 Nov. 17 Hen. VIII.—10 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Legh generosi.
2. p. m. Milonis Busshy militis. (*Not.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
4. p. m. Johannis Dunham armigeri.
5. p. m. Ricardi Basset militis.

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Curson armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Fitzwilliam filii et heredis Thome Fitzwilliam de Aldewarke in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
2. p. m. Gerrardi Meynell generosi.
3. p. m. Rogeri Horton armigeri.

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Hersey [aut Hercy] Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Meverell de Thoroley in comitatu Staff. armigeri.
2. p. m. Rogeri Leche armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Savage senioris militis. (*Not.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
5. p. m. Rogeri Foljambe armigeri.
6. p. m. Johanne Wymbusshe nuper uxoris Johannis Wymbusshe armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Twyselton civis et aldermanni London.
8. p. m. Willielmi Lyndeley.
9. p. m. Thome Barry generosi.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Merynge armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 16 [ ] 19—16 Nov. 20 Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Willughby militis. (*Not.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
3. p. m. Thome Saunders.
4. p. m. Georgii Hartbottell armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Frechevile filii et heredis Johannis Frechevile.
6. p. m. Roberti Nevill senioris armigeri.
7. p. m. Anne Fitzwilliam.
8. p. m. Johannis Hardwyke armigeri.
9. p. m. Elizabethe Delvys vidue.
10. p. m. Ankeri Frechevyle.
11. p. m. Ricardi Stanhope armigeri.
12. p. m. Ricardi Knyveton armigeri.
13. De possessionibus Johannis Barton qui habitum religionis assumpsit.
14. p. m. Johannis Bradburne.

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Molyneux armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Fraunces de Stonistanton juxta pontem de Swarkiston.
2. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis.
3. p. m. Edmundi Pylkyngton armigeri.

22 *Hen. VIII*—Compotus Georgii Wastnes armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Bothe armigeri.
2. p. m. Cristoferi Wymbisshe armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Williamson.

23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Germani Pole armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Radulphi Bonyngton armigeri. (*Not.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
3. p. m. Ricardi Caxston.
4. p. m. Willielmi Fraunceys armigeri.
5. p. m. Roberti Sheffelde militis. (*Not.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)

25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Grenhall armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Berley nuper de Berley armigeri.

25–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Wastnes filii et heredis Georgii Wastnes Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Feb. 25—16 Aug. 26 Hen. VIII.—12 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Wastnes Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Basset armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Blount militis nuper domini Mountjoy.
2. p. m. Johannis Huse de Sleford in comitatu Lincoln militis domini Huse alias dicti Johannis Hussey militis domini Hussey nuper de Sleford in comitatu Lincoln.
3. p. m. Antonii Babington militis. (*Not.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
5. p. m. Philippi Pole armigeri. (*Not.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
7. p. m. Johannis Porter generosi.

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Francisci Meryng armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Cristoferi Hunt armigeri. (*Not.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Poole de Wakebridge armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Williamson.
5. p. m. Antonii Fitzherbert militis nuper unius justiciariorum Regis de Communi Banco.
6. p. m. Thome Barkeley nuper domini Barkeley, Mowbray et Saygrave.
7. p. m. Thome Monoux.
8. p. m. Hugonis Annesley armigeri.
9. p. m. Willielmi Hussye.
10. p. m. Nicholai Strelley unper de Lyndeby militis.
11. p. m. Humfridi Okever armigeri.
12. p. m. Johannis Mundy militis.
13. p. m. Francisci Cokayn armigeri.
14. p. m. Willielmi Meryng militis.
15. De possessionibus Nicholai Hethe nuper Prioris domus sive monasterii sancte Trinitatis de Lenton alias dicti Nicholai Hethe nuper de Lenton clerici attincti.
16. De possessionibus Johannis Husseye nuper de Sleford in comitatu Lincoln militis, domini Husseye; alias dicti Johannis Husseye domini Hussye nuper de Sleford militis, attincti.
17. De possessionibus Thome Darcy nuper de Templehyrst in comitatu Ebor. militis domini Darcy alias dicti Thome Darcy domini Darcy nuper de Templehyrst militis, attincti.

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Francisci Pole armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Radulphi Sacheverell armigeri. (*Not.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
3. p. m. Roberti Molyneux armigeri.
4. p. m. Edmundi Hunt.

31–32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Lucas armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 31—17 Nov. 32 Hen. VIII.—29 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Leeke armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Ireton junioris armigeri.
2. p. m. Alicie Mynours vidue nuper uxoris Rogeri Mynours militis.
3. p. m. Edwardi Willoughby militis.
4. p. m. Antonii Bafforth generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Sheffeld de Byghton.
6. p. m. Willielmi Selioke de Norton generosi.
7. p. m. Henrici Hatfeld armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Kytson militis.
9. p. m. Hugonis Hastynges militis nuper de Elsinge in comitatu Norff.

33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Vincentii Mundie armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Curson armigeri.
2. p. m. Isabelle Griffith.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Lucas armigeri jam defuncti per Thomam Webster administratorem bonorum et catallorum que fuerunt dicti Escaetoris et quem Georgius Souche armiger nuper vicecomes comitatuum predictorum retornavit administratorem bonorum et catallorum ejusdem Escaetoris. 27 Nov. 34—23 Nov. 35 Hen. VIII.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Radulphi Langford militis.
2. p. m. Arthuri Barley armigeri.
3. p. m. Georgii Barley. (*Not.*)
4. p. m. Georgii Barley de Stoke armigeri. (*Derb.*)
5. p. m. Willielmi Hogekynson.
6. p. m. Thome Pooge generosi.
7. p. m. Thome Ropar de Allerkyrke in comitatu Lincoln.
8. p. m. Henrici Stokwyth de Stokwythe generosi.
9. p. m. Ricardi Lakyn de Elleston generosi.
10. p. m. Johannis Tounley militis.

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11. p. m. Alexandri Dreyton generosi.
12. p. m. Willielmi Hollys militis. (*Not.*)
13. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Derb.*)
14. p. m. Willielmi Ascue nuper de Stalyngbrugh in comitatu Lincoln militis.
15. p. m. Johannis Jessope.

36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Marshall armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Johannis Basset armigeri. (*A copy on* 13 *sheets of paper.*)

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Grenehalghe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Guidonis Fairfaxe filii et heredis Thome Fairfaxe servientis ad legem defuncti.
2. p. m. Johannis Leeke de Hasland armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Aleyn militis.
4. p. m. Georgii Beresford alias dicti Barford generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Fairfaxe servientis ad legem.
6. p. m. Ricardi Willoughbye nuper de Notyngh.
7. p. m. Ricardi Berry generosi.
8. p. m. Roberti Topclyff.

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Francisci Meryng armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 7 Nov. 37—22 Nov. 38 Hen. VIII.—25 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Blythe generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Clytherowe armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Dunston.
4. p. m. Michaelis Clarkson.
5. p. m. Willielmi Legh armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Coggan generosi.
7. p. m. Nicholai Purefrey generosi.
8. p. m. Ricardi Bevercottes generosi.

38 *Hen. VIII.* to 1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Porte militis Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Nov. 38 Hen. VIII.—22 Jan. 1 Edw. VI.—10 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ricardi Blackwall armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 1*—5 Dec. 2 Edw. VI.—24 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Curson de Kedilston armigeri.
2. p. m. Georgii Greysley militis.
3. p. m. Rolandi Babington armigeri.
4. p. m. Gabrielis Armestronge armigeri.
(*In baga cum compoto.*)

2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Francisci Pole armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Anthonii Foster Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Powtrell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Agarde armigeri.
2. p. m. Henrici Bradshaw de Wyndley in comitatu Derb.
3. p. m. Godfridi Somershall generosi.
4. p. m. Radulphi Leche armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Cowper.
6. p. m. Henrici Wylloughbye armigeri.
7. p. m. Cuthberti Bevercottes.

5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Marshall armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Gelston.
2. p. m. Thome Fenton nuper de Fenton in comitatu Notingham generosi.
3. p. m. Nicholai Denman armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Stoketh generosi.

6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Vincentii Mondye armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem Comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Cranmer de Aslackton in comitatu Notingham armigeri.
2. p. m. Henrici Hopkynson generosi.
3. p. m. Thome Wawyn armigeri alias Leche.
4. p. m. Godfridi Foljambe de Plumley armigeri.
5. p. m. Edmundi Molyneux militis unius Justiciariorum Regis de Communi Banco.
6. p. m. Francisci Bonyngton armigeri.
7. p. m. Germani Poole armigeri.
8. p. m. Laurentii Hotofte de Flyntham.

1 *Mar.*—Compotus Hugonis Thornhill armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Clerke de Lytell Gryngley juxta Grove in comitatu Not.
2. p. m. Roberti Lawe generosi.
3. p. m. Caroli Morton armigeri.
4. p. m. Georgii Wastenes armigeri.
(*In baga.*)

* Secundo in the roll, evidently a mistake for primo.

1 *Mar.*—1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Babyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 1 Mar.—[ ] 1 and 2 Ph. & Mar.—19 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Christoferi Hunt armigeri.

(*In baga.*)

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Dethyke armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 1 and 2—28 Nov. 2 and 3 Ph. & Mar.—25 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Anne que fuit uxor Johannis Markham militis.
2. p. m. Godfridi Foljambe armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Flaket yoman.
4. p. m. Willielmi Basset militis.
5. p. m. Rogeri Grenehall junioris.

(*In baga cum compoto.*)

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Anthonii Foster armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Grenhall generosi.
2. p. m. Georgii Zowche armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Copley militis.
4. p. m. Edmundi Claxton generosi.
5. p. m. Roberti Brynnesley armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Hussey militis.
7. p. m. Agnetis Cartwright vidue nuper uxoris Edmundi Cartwryght de Ossington in comitatu Notingham generosi.

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Francis armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus, 9 Feb. 3 and 4—14 Mar. 4 and 5 Ph. & Mar.—57 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Powtrell armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Vernon armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Cavendisshe militis. (5 m.)
4. p. m. Willielmi Sacheverell armigeri.
5. p. m. Edwardi Columbell generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Rowlesley generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Russell militis.
8. p. m. Domine Marie Fyton vidue.
9. p. m. Willielmi Welbeck generosi.
10. p. m. Rogeri North generosi.
11. p. m. Rogeri Horton nuper civis et aurifabri London.
12. p. m. Alicie Sutton.
13. p. m. Thome Willoughbye.
14. p. m. Georgii Wastnes armigeri.
15. p. m. Roberti Thornhill armigeri.

(*In baga cum compoto.*)

5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Gilberti Thacker armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Radulphi Cliderowe.
2. p. m. Thome Fynderne armigeri.
3. p. m. Anthonii Thorne generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Chawurth militis.
5. p. m. Henrici Sacheverell armigeri.
6. p. m. Francisci Mackworth armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Sharpe de Derby generosi.
8. p. m. Thome Knyfton nuper de Lamley generosi nuper de alta proditione attincti.

1–2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Poole armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2–3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Elizei Markham armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Mar. 2—2 Jan. 3 Eliz.—44 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Eaton.
2. p. m. Margerie Swillington.
3. p. m. Thome Willoughby armigeri. (2 m.)

3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Whalley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Nevell Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Nicholai Strelley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—9 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elizabethe Knyveton vidue nuper uxoris Mathei Knyveton armigeri defuncti.

8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Revell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—59 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Bartholomei Metheleye generosi.
2. p. m. Godfridi Somersall generosi.
3. p. m. Georgii Kendale armigeri.
4. p. m. Hugonis Kelsterne.
5. p. m. Thome Robertson generosi.
6. p. m. Leonis Sherbrooke.

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Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire.

9–10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Stapleton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Nov. 9 Eliz.—[.]—38 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis White generosi.
2. p. m. Briani Stapilton.
3. p. m. Ricardi Strelley generosi.
4. p. m. Roberti Mylward.
5. p. m. Godfridi Somersall.
6. p. m. Johannis Basford alias Berisford armigeri.

10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Nedham armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus [.] —1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Andrei Heringe generosi Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Radulphi Denmam nuper de Netleworthe in comitatu Not. armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Thurland generosi.
3. p. m. Hugonis Cressey generosi.
4. p. m. Edwardi Thurland nuper de Gamelstan generosi.
5. p. m. Edmundi Rygg armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Staveley armigeri.
7. p. m. Antonii Shalcrosse generosi.
8. p. m. Willielmi Bonyngton armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Selioke nuper de Hasilbarewe in comitatu Derb. armigeri.
10. p. m. Arthuri Kynder.
11. p. m. Johannis Eyre generosi.
12. p. m. Rolandi Durant generosi.
13. p. m. Johannis Tailor generosi.
14. p. m. Georgii Barley armigeri.
15. p. m. Thome Aleyne yoman.
16. p. m. Ricardi Blackwall armigeri.

12–13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Draycot armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.] 12—[ ] 13 Eliz.—21 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Barton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Feldyng armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

19 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Sutton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Humfridi Dethick* armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Rogeri Columbell* armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

22–23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Whalley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Sherbrucke de Oxton yoman.
2. p. m. Ejusdem generosi. (Capta coram eodem et aliis Commissionariis.)
3. p. m. Willielmi Poole.
4. p. m. Mathei Gybbon yeoman.
5. p. m. Edwardi Bassett nuper de Fledbroughe armigeri. (2 m.)
6. p. m. Nicholai Powtrell servientis ad legem. (5 m.)
7. p. m. Johannis Barker nuper de Dore generosi (Capta coram eodem Escaetore et aliis commissionariis.)
8. p. m. Antonii College de Steede generosi.
9. p. m. Willielmi Lee yoman.
10. p. m. Georgii Bowdon generosi.
11. p. m. Francisci Leeke militis. (3 m.)

23–24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi Monday armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome White nuper de Woodheade in comitatu Rutland armigeri.
2. p. m. Edwardi Goldinge generosi.
3. p. m. Roberti Halle nuper de Ratclyff super Trente generosi.
4. p. m. Humfridi Bradborne militis.

24–25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Anthonii† Salmon armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 3 Feb. 24—31 Dec. 25 Eliz.—3 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

25–26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Christopheri Power armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 31 Dec. 25—18 Feb. 26 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

26–[27] *Eliz.*—Compotus Humfridi Stockwith armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Gilberti Thacker armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Feb. 27—12 Feb. 28 Eliz.—2 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

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* It is doubtful whether Humphrey Dethick came first, or Roger Columbell, as both of them are set down in the old calendar in the 20th year.

† In another Roll he is called Francis.

28–[29] *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Towers armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[29]–30 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Nevell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–31 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Palmer armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 13 Jan. 30—1 Feb. 31 Eliz.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

31–32 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Stringer armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[33]–34 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Brimesley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34–35 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Gilbert armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 9 Nov. 34—27 Jan. 35 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35–[36] *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Jessoppe Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides these Accounts, there is a membrane of an Account of the reign of Elizabeth.

TOWN OF NOTTINGHAM.

Town of Nottingham.

4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Edwardi Chamberleyn Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 & 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Roberti Hesylrigge Majoris et Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Rachaelis Strelley vidue.

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OXFORDSHIRE AND BERKSHIRE.

1–2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Saye Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Nov. 1—5 Nov. 2 Hen. VII.—19 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Dabrigcourt.
2. p. m. Ricardi Harecourt militis. (*Oxon.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
4. p. m. Johannis Barantyne armigeri. (*Oxon.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
6. p. m. Thome Frowyke militis.
7. p. m. Roberti Broun. (*Oxon.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
9. p. m. Thome Fermer alias dicti Thome Richard. (*Oxon.*)
10. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
11. p. m. Humfridi Bewefo armigeri alias dicti Humfridi Beaufo.
12. p. m. Thome Wyndesore.
13. p. m. Thome Lynde armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Twynyho armigeri.
15. p. m. Johannis Storke.
16. p. m. Ricardi Mosyer.
17. p. m. Margerie que fuit uxor Edmundi Hungerford militis.
18. p. m. Johannis Goylyn.
19. De bonis utlagatorum.

2–3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Edmundi Hampden armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Harecourt armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Raynford armigeri.

3–4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Proude Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 4 Nov. 3—6 Nov. 4 Hen. VII.—16 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi domini Fitzhugh.
2. p. m. Humfridi Forster armigeri. (*Oxon.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
4. p. m. Humfridi Sakvyle armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Stokes.
6. p. m. Marie que fuit uxor Johannis Barantyne armigeri.

4–[5] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Hewet Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Osbalston [aut Osbaldeston] Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Lovet.
2. p. m. Johannis Samuell.
3. p. m. Edwardi Vicecomitis Lisle.
4. p. m. Henrici Dogett.
5. p. m. Elizabethe Seintemound nuper uxoris Rogeri Tokotes militis. (*Oxon.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
7. p. m. Thome Delamare militis.
8. De possessionibus Johannis Abbatis de Abyngdon forisfactis. (*Oxon.*)
9. De possessionibus ejusdem Abbatis. (*Berk.*)
10. De bonis et catallis utlagatorum, &c.

11–14. Quatuor brevia.

11–12 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Hulse Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Nov. 11—5 Nov. 12 Hen. VII.—9 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elene More.
2. p. m. Ricardi More armigeri.
3. p. m. Petri Fetyplace.
4. p. m. Johannis Wotton Prioris monasterii sive domus et ecclesie sancti Johannis Evangeliste conventualis canonicorum de Coldenorton in comitatu Oxon.
5. De manerio de Remenham quod Edmundus Mountfort habuit pro termino vite sue.

6 & 7. Duo brevia.

12–15 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Hulse Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—32 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Frideswyde Moreton. (12 Hen. VII.)
2. p. m. Ricardi Chamberleyn armigeri.
3. De manerio de Marcham et aliis possessionibus per Abbatem Monasterii beate Marie d Abendon in comitatu Berk. sine licentia Regis perquisitis.
4. p. m. Edwardi Wodward. (13 Hen. VII.)
5. p. m. Edwardi Babyngton.
6. p. m. Johannis Denton. (*Oxon.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
8. p. m. Margarete Wodehull.
9. p. m. Elizabethe Dalamer vidue que fuit uxor Thome Dalamer militis.
10. p. m. Thome Hall de Shorthampton.

11. De maneriis de Molesford et Charleton in quibus Thomas Barow cler. et Willielmus Gale cler. ingressi sunt.
12. p. m. Oliveri Seynt John armigeri. (14 Hen. VII.)
13. p. m. Katherine Rede vidue nuper uxoris Edmundi Rede militis defuncti.
14. p. m. Edmundi Bekyngham.
15. p. m. Johannis Cheyne.
16. De manerio de Appulton et advocatione ecclesie ibidem quas Edwardus Fitzwaren consanguineus et propinquior heres Egidii de la Mote qui obiit anno 12 tenuit.
17. p. m. Georgii Dalamere. (15 Hen. VII.)
18. p. m. Willielmi Staneley [vel Staveley]. (*Oxon.*)
19. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
20. p. m. Thome Ramsey armigeri.
21. p. m. Willielmi Lentall.
22. p. m. Johannis Colyngrige.
23. p. m. Amisie Mauntell.
24. p. m. De bonis et catallis utlagatorum.

25–33. Brevia eidem Escaetori directa.

[17]–18 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Rokes Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

18–19 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Stepenyth Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Nov. 18—6 Dec. 19 Hen. VII.—23 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Dyneley filii et heredis Edwardi Dyneley et Sanchie uxoris ejusdem. (*Oxon.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)

19–20 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Blyke Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Bysseley Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Cammell.

22–23 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Yonge Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edwardi Trussell filii et heredis Willielmi Trussell militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Champernown militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Trussell filii et heredis Edwardi Trussell armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Frowyk militis nuper Capitalis Justiciarii Regis de Communi Banco.
5. p. m. Roberti Cheyne militis.
6. p. m. Willielmi Brocas armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Colyn armigeri.
8. p. m. Roberti Broughton militis.
9. p. m. Thome [Mayho aut] Marowe gentilman. (*A copy on paper.*)
10. p. m. Thome Kyngeston nuper de Childrey.
11. p. m. Johannis Gyse militis.
12. De prioratu domo monasterio et ecclesia sancti Johannis Evangeliste conventuali Canonicorum Regularium de Coldenorton in comitatu Oxon dissolutio.

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Yong Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 20 Oct. 1—28 Nov. 2 Hen. VIII.—42 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Court armigeri.
2. p. m. Edmundi Hampden militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Chebenhurst.
4. p. m. Roberti Ingleton. (*Oxon.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
6. p. m. Ricardi Hungerford armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Fetiplace. (*Oxon.*)
8. p. m. Johannis Fetiplace de Cherney senioris armigeri. (*Berk.*)
9. p. m. Thome Ramsey armigeri.
10. p. m. Thome Bekyngham.
11. p. m. Willielmi Noreis militis. (2 m.)
12. De possessionibus Edmundi de la Pole nuper comitis Suff. proditoris attincti. (*Oxon.*)
13. De possessionibus ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
14. De possessionibus Johannis Comitis Lincoln attincti.
15. De possessionibus concessis Johanni Comiti Oxon per Ricardum Emson militem.
16. De possessionibus Edmundi Dudley armigeri attincti.
17. De possessionibus Ricardi Emson militis attincti quas Decanus et canonici Capelle sancte Marie sanctique Stephani Prothomartiri infra palacium Regis Westm. concesserunt et dimiserunt eidem Ricardo.
18. De possessionibus quondam Francisci Lovell militis nuper vicecomitis Lovell et quæ descenderunt Edwardo Langford armigero.
19. Bona et catalla per Escaetorem capta.

2–3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Fetiplace armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Philippi Fetiplace armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 3—26 Nov. 4 Hen. VIII.—27 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Francisci Cheyne militis consanguinei et heredis Johannis Cheyne senioris militis.
2. p. m. De possessionibus Francisci Lovell nuper vicecomitis Lovell attincti in quibus Willielmus Compton armiger intravit et ingressus fuit.

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Lenthall armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

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1. p. m. Johannis Ferrers militis.
2. p. m. Georgii Herle armigeri. (*Oxon.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
4. p. m. Johannis Seynt John nuper de Ewell in comitatu Surr. armigeri.
5. p. m. Rogeri Samwell gentylman.
6. p. m. Edmundi Bury.
7. p. m. Willielmi Coope armigeri.
8. p. m. Edwardi Ralegh militis.
9. De possessionibus quæ Edwardus nuper Comes Warr. habuit anno 14° Hen. VIII.

5-6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Yonge [de Chakyngton generosi] Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Nov. 5—5 Nov. 6 Hen. VIII.—34 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Kyngeston armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Englefild militis. (*Oxon.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
4. p. m. Willielmi Browne nuper civis et aldermanni London.
5. p. m. Margarete Docwra nuper uxoris Johannis Docwra filie e heredis Johannis Goylyn. (*Oxon.*) Obiit 14 Oct.
6. p. m. Margarete Dokwra. (*Oxon.*) Obiit 6 Sept.
7. p. m. Roberti Bulkeley armigeri.
8. De manerio et advocatione ecclesie de Rotherfeld Grey quas Franciscus Lovell miles quondam tenuit et quas Robertus Knolles de Rotherfeld Grey armiger occupavit ab anno 19 Hen. VII.
9. De redditibus exeunt. de manerio de Deynford quos Franciscus Lovell quondam tenuit et quos Willielmus Compton percepit ab anno 4th Hen. VIII.

7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Cottesmore armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Besilles armigeri. (*Oxon.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
3. p. m. Oliveri Hyde armigeri.
4. p. m. Nicholai Kyngston armigeri.

7-8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Denton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—9 Nov. 7—14 Nov. 8 Hen. VIII.—24 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Stretley.
2. p. m. tam Thome Ramsey armigeri quam p. m. Margarete Restwold nuper uxoris dicti Thome Ramsey.
3. p. m. Johanne Rogers vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Rogers senioris.
4. p. m. Thome Chebenhurst.
5. p. m. Johannis Hall quondam de Culneham.
6. p. m. Johannis Bewefo armigeri.
7. p. m. Nicholai Osbaldeston.
8. p. m. Margarete Docwra nuper uxoris Johannis Docwra filie et heredis Johannis Goylyn.

8-9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Counser Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Elizabethe Fitzwaren vidue.
2. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxor Johannis Dalamare.
3. p. m. Johannis Danvers filii et heredis Johannis Danvers armigeri.
4. p. m. De terris quondam Francisci Lovell militis nuper vicecomitis Lovell.

9-10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Briges armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 10 Nov. 9—10 Nov. 10 Hen. VIII.—20 m. cum breve et schedula.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Margarete Fetyplace nuper uxoris Thome Fetyplace militis ac quondam uxoris Thome Rogers armigeri.

10 [11] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Bullok armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Stavley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Lynde de Stoke in comitatu Oxon.
2. p. m. Willielmi Crochefeld. (*Oxon.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
4. p. m. Thome Halys armigeri. (*Oxon.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
6. p. m. Roberti Hulcott armigeri.
7. p. m. Johanne Lynde.
8. Schedula de bonis et catallis utlagatorum.

13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Hastyngys armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Herle armigeri. (*Oxon.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
3. p. m. Elizabethe Louett nuper uxoris Nicholai Lovett. (*Oxon.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
5. p. m. Radulphi Massy armigeri.

13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Moleyns armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. De possessionibus monasterii sive prioratus de Bromhall. (*Oxon.*)
2. De possessionibus ejusdem. (*Berk.*)

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Woodcok armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 14—18 Nov. 15 Hen. VIII.—21 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Agnetis Hyde vidue.
2. p. m. Ricardi Fox.
3. p. m. Thome Lovet armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Pope.
5. p. m. Simonis Seymer armigeri.
6. p. m. Henrici Marny militis domini Marny.
7. p. m. Thome Danvers armigeri.

[15]–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Fetyplace armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Umpton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 23 Nov. 16—23 Nov. 17 Hen. VIII.—36 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Hulls.
2. p. m. tam Thome Fetiplace militis quam p. m. Nicholai Fetiplace filii predicti Thome.
3. p. m. Thome Perkyns armigeri.
4. p. m. Georgii Staveley armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Stanley armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Marney militis nuper domini Marny.
7. p. m. Johannis Butler nuper de Badmynton in comitatu Glouc. armigeri.
8. p. m. Sibille Chamberleyn vidue nuper uxoris Ricardi Chamberleyn armigeri.
9. p. m. Roberti Wighthull.
10. p. m. Willielmi Haddon armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome nuper Comitis Derb.
12. De possessionibus prioratus sancti Augustini in Oxon in comitatu Oxon vulgariter nominati the Priory of Saynt Fridiswide. (*Oxon.*)
13. De possessionibus ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
14. De possessionibus Prioratus monialium in Lytlemore vulgariter nominati the Pryorye of Lytlemore. (*Oxon.*)
15. De possessionibus ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
16. De possessionibus monasterii in Poghley in comitatu Berk. vulgariter nominati the Pryorye of Poghley.

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Osbaldeston armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 23 Nov. 17—[ ] Nov. 18 Hen. VIII.—45 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Power armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Horne.
3. p. m. Ricardi Langston generosi.

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Bustard Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Ramsey.
2. p. m. Elizabethe nuper uxoris Georgii Foster militis.
3. p. m. Thome Bekyngham.
4. p. m. Johanne Golde uxoris Elie Golde jam defunct.
5. p. m. Willielmi Rede militis. (*Oxon.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
7. p. m. Edwardi nuper Ducis Buk, de possessionibus ejusdem Edwardi attincti.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Moleyns armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 19—15 Dec. 20 Hen. VIII.—13 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Radulphi Verney militis.
2. De possessionibus prioratus de Wallyngford. (*Oxon.*)
3. De possessionibus ejusdem prioratus. (*Berk.*)
4. De possessionibus prioratus de Litlemore. (*Oxon.*)
5. De possessionibus ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
6. De possessionibus prioratus Sancte Fredeswide.

20-21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Bullok armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis.
2. p. m. Petri Cowdrey.
3. p. m. Edwardi Fenys armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Bekyngham.
5. p. m. Willielmi Fetiplace de Chilrey armigeri.

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Walteri Barton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 9 Feb. 21—26 Nov. 22 Hen. VIII.—22 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Marmyon armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Say militis.
3. p. m. Edwardi Darell militis.

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Antonii Coope armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Nov. 22—28 Nov. 23 Hen. VIII.—16 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Eyston generosi. (*Oxon.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Yong [generosi]. (*Oxon.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)

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5. p. m. Edwardi Garrard generosi.
6. p. m. Nicholai Wodhull armigeri.

23 [24] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Warde armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 23—[ ].—20 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Byrmyngham armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Beaupho armigeri.
3. p. m. Elizabethe nuper uxoris Edwardi Fabean armigeri et antea uxoris Thome Feteplace: militis.

[24]-25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Becke armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Unton militis.

25-26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Silvestri Pecke armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Feb. 25—28 Nov. 26 Hen. VIII.—24 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Sacheverell militis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Wenman.
3. p. m. Willielmi Byllyng generosi.
4. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis.*
5. De manerio de Shutford alias Shoteford quod Margareta Bulstrode vidua defuncta vendidit Edmundo Knyghtley armigero.
6. De possessionibus in Longcote datis capellano capelle apud Longcote infra parochiam de Shrenham in comitatu Berk.

26-27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Vachell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 26—24 Nov. 27 Hen. VIII.—17 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Antonii Twynnho filii et heredis Edwardi Twynnho armigeri.
2. p. m. Anne uxoris Willielmi Lussher armigeri nuper uxoris Willielmi Samborne armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Osbaldeston armigeri.
4. p. m. Stephani Coope armigeri.
5. De possessionibus in Halton per Johannem Brome militem inclusis, &c. Item de possessionibus in Thornley per Priorem Sancte Frediswide eidem Johanni dimissis.

[27]-28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Freere armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Francisci Harecourte armigeri. (*Oxon.*)
2. p. m. Francisci Harecourte armigeri. (*Berk.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Bysley gentilman.
4. p. m. Lionelli Norreys militis.

28-29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Andrews armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Nov. 28—28 Nov. 29 Hen. VIII.—13 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Audelet armigeri. (*Oxon.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Awdlett armigeri. (*Oxon.*)
4. p. m. Georgii Blunt generosi.
5. p. m. Henrici Wyat militis.

29-30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Parkyns armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 29—12 Jan. 30 Hen. VIII.—28 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Warde armigeri.
2. p. m. Henrici Hide nuper de Brympton in comitatu Berk.
3. p. m. Ricardi Garrett nuper de Shynnyngfeld in comitatu Berk.
4. p. m. Walteri Barton generosi nuper de Radyng in comitatu Berk.
5. p. m. Edwardi Hawten generosi.
6. p. m. Thome Englefeld militis nuper unius Justiciariorum Regis de Communi Banco. (*Oxon.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)

30-31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Wayneman armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Clarke militis.
2. p. m. Thome Gyfford senioris armigeri.
3. De possessionibus Henrici nuper Marchionis Exon nuper de Westhorkesley alias dict. Horseley in comitatu Surr. attincti.
4. De possessionibus Johannis Hobbys nuper Abbatis de Wouborne in comitatu Bed. attincti.

31—32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Denton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 31—27 Nov. 32 Hen. VIII.—13 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Baldri armigeri.
2. p. m. Henrici Boller nuper de Rysboroughe Principis in comitatu Buk yoman.

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* "Vacat ista inquisicio quia . . . . . apparet quod eadem inquisitio capta fuit per veredictum xij juratorum, juxta formam statuti in hujusmodi casu editi et provisi, pro eo quod nomina eorundem xij juratorum omittuntur et in eadem inquisitione minime specificantur, ideo consideratum est per Curiam Canc. . . . . in presencia Cristofori Hales attorn. dicti domini Regis, et aliorum peritorum de consilio ejusdem domini Regis in eadem curia Canc. existentium, quod dicta inquisitio cancellatur dampnatur adnullatur et pro nulla habetur."

3. p. m. Elizabethe Holwey nuper uxoris Alexandri Holwey generosi defuncti.
4. p. m. Willielmi Kyngston militis.

[32–33] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus ejusdem Johannis Denton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Yate armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Yate de Lyfford in comitatu Berk. generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Hethe generosi.
3. p. m. Marie Lysley.
4. p. m. Ricardi Weston militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Elmys armigeri. (*Oxon.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
7. p. m. Roulandi Lathum armigeri servientis Caterie Regis.
8. p. m. Willielmi Gaddeburye generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis George generosi.
10. p. m. Antonii Wodhull armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis More de Hadden alias dicti parva Hadden in parochia de Bampton in comitatu Oxon. armigeri.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Warde armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 23 Nov. 34—23 Nov. 35 Hen. VIII.—24 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Sapcote militis.
2. p. m. Edmundi Nowers armigeri.
3. p. m. Gilberti Talbott militis.
4. p. m. Ricardi Plotte.

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Perkyns armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Leonardi Chamberleyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 15 Nov. 36—7 Nov. 37 Hen. VIII.—17 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Reynoldes de Faryngdon in comitatu Berk. yoman.
2. p. m. Petri Compton armigeri.

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Vachell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Eyston generosi. (*Oxon.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Barrey generosi.
4. p. m. Georgii Ralegh armigeri.
5. p. m. Nicholai Walwyn generosi.
6. p. m. Agnetis Harecourt vidue.
7. p. m. Johannis Davy armigeri.
8. p. m. Alexandri Haydok generosi.
9. p. m. Anne Ayleworth nuper uxoris Antonii Aleworth generosi unius consanguinearum et heredum Edmundi Nowers armigeri videlicet filie Thome Nowers filii et heredis predicti Edmundi Nowers.
10. p. m. Domine Marie Englefyld.
11. p. m. Isabelle Tanfeld nuper uxoris Ricardi Humfrey armigeri.
12. p. m. Johannis Cheyney senioris armigeri.
13. p. m. tam Philippi Fetiplace armigeri quam p. m. Antonii Fetiplace generosi, filii et heredis predicti Philippi.
14. p. m. Thome Beke armigeri.

2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Hyde Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2–3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Elizabethe Knyght et aliorum executorum testamenti Johannis Knyght armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Dec. 2.—12 Nov. 3 Edw. VI.—20 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Foxe de Bareford generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Essex militis. (3 m.)

3–4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Denton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Nov. 3—11 Nov. 4. Edw. VI.—20 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Fox filii et heredis Johannis Fox de Barford in comitatu Oxon. Generosi.
2. p. m. Anthonii Marmyon armigeri.
3. p. m. Ricardi Curson generosi.
4. p. m. Willielmi Barantyne militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Boyer.
6. p. m. Johannis Knyght armigeri.

[4–5] *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Lovelase Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Vincentii Power armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Marten.
2. p. m. Rogeri More armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Stephyns generosi.
4. p. m. Willielmi Latton generosi.

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7 *Edw. VI.*—1 *Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Wynchecombe armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Bradschawe armigeri.
2. p. m. Anthonii Brygham generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Fermor armigeri.

1 *Mar.*—1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Yate armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 1 Mar.—8 Nov. 1 and 2 Ph. & Mar.—38 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edmundi Horne armigeri.
2. p. m. Johanne Seynt John vidue.
3. p. m. Thome Tuckewell de Longworthe in comitatu Berk. husbondman.
4. p. m. Willielmi Birmyngham generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Tate militis.
6. p. m. Thome Vachell senioris armigeri.

1 and 2—[2 and 3] *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Edmundi Powell armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Anthonii Bustard armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—22 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Betham generosi.
2. p. m. Humfridi Harte civis et zonarii London.
3. p. m. Thome Rede generosi.
4. p. m. Elizabethe Foxe unius filiarum Johannis Foxe nuper de Berforde generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Aldeworthe generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Pollard nuper de Newenham Courteney in comitatu Oxon. militis.
7. p. m. Henrici Rathbon de Blechyndon generosi.
8. p. m. Edwardi Love generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Edmondes de Adderbury in comitatu Oxon. generosi, filii et heredis Johannis Edmondes senioris nuper de Dadington in comitatu Oxon. defuncti.
10. p. m. Willielmi Raynsford militis.
11. p. m. Willielmi Fletcher de Hanborwe yoman.
12. p. m. Johanne Tirrell vidue.
13. p. m. Edwardi Courtney nuper comitis Devon.
14. p. m. Thome Wenman militis. (*Oxon.*)
15. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
16. p. m. Willielmi Hyde armigeri.

4 and 5—5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Willielmi Dunche armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Francisci Fetyplace generosi.
2. p. m. Edwardi Cope armigeri.
3. p. m. Jacobi Bury armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Hethe generosi. (*Oxon.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Berk.*)
6. p. m. Johannis Wynchecombe armigeri.
7. p. m. Brigitte Seyntlowe nuper uxoris Johannis Skutt.
8. p. m. Johannis Chocke armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Cope nuper de Coopesashbye in comitatu Northt. militis.
10. p. m. Georgii Owen de Godstowe in comitatu Oxon. armigeri.

4–5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Hever Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5–6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Eylston armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 6 Jan. 5—22 Dec. 6 Eliz.—12 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Okeham Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Hyde armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Wyrdenham armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [ ] Eliz.—2 m. (*Fragmentum*).

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ambrosii Dormer armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Millet nuper de Newbery in comitatu Berk. fysshemonger.
3. p. m. Thome Goldesboroughe nuper de Goldesboroughe in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
4. p. m. Oliveri Hide generosi.
5. p. m. Francisci Stoner militis.
6. p. m. Anne Newton vidue.
7. p. m. Ricardi Stampe.
8. p. m. Henrici Fallowfield civis et haberdasher London.
9. p. m. Cuthberti Warcupp nuper de London mercer.
10. p. m. Jane Kydwelley.

9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Martyn armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [ ] Eliz.—56 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Weldon armigeri. (2 m.)
2. p. m. Johannis Cheny armigeri.

10–11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Everard armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11–12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Moris armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 11—23 Nov. 12 Eliz.—52 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Ricardi Smythe armigeri.

[12] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Stampe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [ ] Eliz.—66 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Mores generosi.
2. p. m. Roberti Southbye.

[12]–13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi Wiseman armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Georgii Dalby generosi.
2. p. m. Bartholomei Plott generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Clarke de Ardington.
4. p. m. Francisci Chamberlayne armigeri.
5. p. m. Ricardi Belson generosi.

[15] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Whalley Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Griffini Curteys armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [ ] 16 Eliz.—100 m. (*In baga cum inquisitionibus.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Dew.
2. p. m. Willielmi Nottingham generosi.
3. p. m. Anthonii Foster armigeri.
4. p. m. Isaac George generosi.
5. p. m. Jacobi Wolveridge.
6. p. m. Ricardi Dewe.
7. p. m. Andree Newberye yeoman.
8. p. m. Johannis Wynchcombe armigeri.
9. p. m. Willielmi Forster armigeri. (2 m.)

21 *Eliz.*—Compotus Anthonii Hynton Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[22–23] *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi Taverner armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23–24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Bullocke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—7 Jan. 23—7 Jan. 24 Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[24–25] *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Bridges armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[25–26] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Chamberlyne armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Stonnor armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—7 Jan 26—12 Dec. 27 Eliz.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Readi Stafforde armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[36–37] *Eliz.*—Compotus Griffini Paine armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[37–38] *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Harte armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—25 Nov. 37—12 Feb. 38 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[38–39] *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Bastion armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above Accounts, there is a fragment of 1 membrane.

Town of Oxford.

TOWN OF OXFORD.

34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Freure Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem et aliis commissionariis.
p. m. Jeronomi Hampden nuper de Hartwell in Com. Buck. armigeri.

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[2–3] *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Humfridi Blount Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3–4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Edwardi Corbet executoris testamenti Thome Corbet Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 4 Nov. 3—6 Nov. 4 Hen. VII.—9 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Enderby militis.
2. p. m. Margarete Collyngton.

4–5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Leighton Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Bawdwyn Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Swynerton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Gryffith.

11–18 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Brokwell Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Domine Alicie Lucy. (11 Hen. VII.)
2. p. m. Johanne Ingaldesthorp nuper uxoris Edmundi Ingaldesthorp.
3. p. m. Johannis Grey militis nuper domini de Powes.
4. p. m. Edmundi Lucy. (14 Hen. VII.)
5. p. m. Ejusdem Edmundi Lucye armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Horde armigeri.
7. p. m. Ricardi Ludlowe militis.
8. p. m. Elizabethe nuper uxoris Willielmi Stanley militis.
9. p. m. Thome Ferrers militis.
10. p. m. Ricardi Lee armigeri.
11. p. m. Willielmi Whitton gentilman. (15 Hen. VII.)
12. p. m. Willielmi Maynwaryng.
13. p. m. Willielmi Harwell armigeri. (16 Hen. VII.)
14. p. m. Willielmi Wynnesbury. (17. Hen. VII.)
15. p. m. Lawrencii Hosier alias dicti Lawrencii Howell de villa Salop armigeri. (18 Hen. VII.)
16. De manerio sive dominio de Aldenham concesso sine licentia Regis.

19–20 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome White Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Whitcombe armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardi Laken militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Harewell armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Clibbrey generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Whitton generosi.
6. p. m. Edmundi Lucy armigeri filii et heredis Willielmi Lucy militis.

1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Otley Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Laken armigeri Escaetoris ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Troutbeke militis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Egge.

4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Mitton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Agnetis Harwell vidue.
2. p. m. Johannis Newport armigeri.

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Knyght armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Ferrers militis.
2. p. m. Willielmi Mitton armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti Corbet militis.
4. p. m. Georgii Maynwaryng armigeri.

6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Pygott Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Sandeford armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Hille de Blore.
2. p. m. Katerine Audeley vidue nuper uxoris Thome Audeley.
3. p. m. Willielmi Litilton militis.
4. p. m. Thome Acton nuper de Longnor armigeri.
5. p. m. Fulconis Ley nuper de Longley armigeri.

9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Charleton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edmundi Lucy militis.
2. p. m. Domine Isabelle Nevyll alias dicte domine Isabelle Smyth nuper uxoris Willielmi Smyth militis unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Marchionis Mountague ac unius consanguinearum et heredum domine Isabelle de Ingoldesthorp vidue. Item, Breve.
3. p. m. Gilberti Talbot senioris militis.

4. p. m. Georgii Ouneslowe nuper de Rodyngton in comitatu Salop generosi.
5. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis.
6. p. m. Johanne Molionex uxoris Willielmi Molionex militis.

10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Thornes armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Elizabethe Dacre nuper uxoris Thome Dacre militis domini de Dacre et Gillesland.
2. p. m. Johannis Maynewaryng militis.

11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Cotes Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Vernon armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Egerton armigeri.
2. p. m. Matilde nuper uxoris Johannis Leighton armigeri.
3. p. m. Ricardi Sanfort armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Grey domini de Powys filii et heredis Johannis Grey nuper domini de Powys militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Langley armigeri.
6. Copia ejusdem inquisitionis.

13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Humfridi Wolriche armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Rondulphi Gravenour nuper de Beulaport armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Tracy generosi.
3. De possessionibus que fuerunt Edwardi Ducis Buckyngham nuper de Thornebury in comitatu Glouc. attincti.

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Laurencii Ludlowe armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Hord armigeri.
2. p. m. Isabelle Lingham nuper uxoris Johannis Lyngham militis filie et unius heredum Johannis Burgh militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Archarde.
4. p. m. Johannis Rerid.

15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Lakyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Nicholai Warley nuper de London goldsmyth.

16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Skrymsher armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Elienore Maynwaryng vidue nuper uxoris Georgii Maynwaryng armigeri defuncti.
2. p. m. Johanne Maynwaring vidue.
3. p. m. Johannis ap Redith alias dicti Rerid.

16-17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Gattacre armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Wenlok clerici.
2. p. m. Thome Lucy militis.
3. p. m. Petri Newton militis.
4. Alia inquisitio p. m. ejusdem.
5. p. m. Thome Lee generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Forster de Wellyngton generosi.
7. p. m. Nicholai Warley.
8. p. m. Petri Blyke generosi.
9. Copia ejusdem.

18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Chorleton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Georgii Twynyho armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Le.

19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Pygot armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Cotys armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardi Knyght armigeri.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Banastre armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Stury nuper de Salop armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Savage senioris militis.
3. p. m. Ricardi Corbett militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Blont nuper de Ludlowe armigeri.
5. p. m. Radulphi Banastre nuper de Laken armigeri. Item de possessionibus in Hampton per Johannem Kynaston forisfactis. Item de possessionibus in Whiksale que fuerunt Willielmi Bentley de Whiksale ideote.
6. De medietate de Alderton per Fulconem Lee armigerum concessa Ricardo Forster de Ivelith generoso et aliis ad inveniendum capellanum in ecclesia de Shuffenall.
7. De possessionibus in Haghton et de dominio et feodo de Roodon concessis Thome Moris et aliis et postea per eundem Thomam et alios, Ricardo Pontisbury Abbati de Haghmon concessis.

21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Yonge armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Johanne Acton vidue nuper uxoris Edmundi Acton et quondam uxoris Thome Acton armigeri defuncti.

22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Chorlton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Lyngeyn militis.

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2. p. m. Hugonis Sandford armigeri.
3. De possessionibus Johannis Lyngen nuper de Witton generosi indictati pro murdero et utlagati.

23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Francisci Yonge armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Johannis Blount militis.

24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ade Mitton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Lytelton armigeri.
2. p. m. Domine Anne Lucy nuper uxoris Edmundi Lucy militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Chorleton armigeri.

24–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Forster armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Sandford armigeri.
2. p. m. Francisci Yonge armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Leighton de Plashe armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Skreven armigeri.

25–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Cotton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Cornwall militis.
2. p. m. Rogeri Kynaston de Walford armigeri.
3. p. m. Humfridi Wolriche armigeri.
4. p. m. Georgii Bromley armigeri.
5. p. m. Francisci Lovell militis nuper vicecomitis Lovell. De possessionibus ejusdem Francisci attincti.

27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Lee armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Reginaldi Ap Guilliam [aut Williams] armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Lakyn militis.
2. p. m. Roberti Pygott armigeri.
3. p. m. Edwardi [Onslowe armigeri].

29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Laken armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Johannis Wolriche armigeri.

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Corbet armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Englefeld militis nuper unius justiciariorum Regis de communi Banco.
2. p. m. Henrici Eyton armigeri.
3. p. m. Lawrencii Ludlowe nuper de Morehowse generosi.

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Yonge armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. [ ] Nov. 30—[ ] 31 Hen. VIII.—14 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Rogeri Corbet armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Sturry nuper de Fyttes armigeri.

32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Wolseley Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Lee armigeri Escaetoris ibidem.—1 Feb. 32—27 Nov. 33 Hen. VIII.—8 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Katerine Blount vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Blount militis.
2. p. m. Stephani Kemsey nuper de Wyken in parochia de Worweld armigeri.
3. p. m. Humfridi Measey armigeri.

34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Gataker armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Humfridi Vernon armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Gowre nuper de Stone Acton.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ade Otteley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Gilberti Talbott militis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Laken armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Burton generosi.
4. p. m. Georgii Kenesdon armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Baldwyn generosi.
6. p. m. Thome Arthure de Clopton in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
7. p. m. Humfridi Calshill generosi.

36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Houghton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Lee Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

38 *Hen. VIII.*—1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Andree Corbett armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Henrici Knivett militis.
2. p. m. Thome Hibbyn de Weo generosi.
3. p. m. Ricardi Trentham armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Clybery generosi.

2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ade Otteley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Edwardi Ralegh armigeri.

3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Chorleton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Marie Dauntsey nuper uxoris Ricardi Dauntsey armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Pygott armigeri.

4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Francisci Charleton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Thome Kynaston armigeri.

5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Dodd armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Collfox.
2. p. m. Rogeri Kynnaston.
3. p. m. Georgii Pontesbury generosi.

6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Ludlowe armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Katherine Dudley nuper de villa Salop vidue.
2. p. m. Roberti Longe civis et merceri London.
3. p. m. Galfridi Thornes armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Thornes nuper de Otteley armigeri.
4. p. m. Edwardi Bostocke.
5. Super ideociam, lunaticiam sive impotenciam Willielmi Langforde de Ludlowe, draper.

6 *Edw. VI.*–1 *Mar.*—Compotus Ade Ottley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Cludde generosi.
2. p. m. Brigitte Aston vidue nuper uxoris Thome Aston armigeri ac unius sororum et heredum Thome Harwell armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Kery generosi.
4. p. m. Thome Poynour de Beslowe armigeri.

1 & 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Corbett armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Ierlond armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Foxe armigeri.
3. p. m. Bartholomei Warley generosi.
4. p. m. Humfridi Ferrers militis.
5. p. m. Alani Horde de Ewell in comitatu Surr. armigeri.
6. p. m. Francisci Adams armigeri.
7. p. m. Willielmi Whorwood armigeri.

1 & 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Eyton armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Domine Johanne Dudley nuper Ducisse Northumbr. et nuper uxoris Johannis Dudley nuper Ducis Northumbr. de alta prodicione attincti.
2. p. m. Georgii Vernon armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Bromley militis nuper Capitalis Justiciarii Regis et Regine ad placita coram ipsis Rege et Regina tenenda.

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Ricardi Lawley armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Vernon generosi.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Horde vidue.
3. p. m. Roberti Nedeham militis.
4. p. m. Rogeri Goughe generosi
5. p. m. Johannis Brome yoman.
6. p. m. Reginaldi Williams armigeri.
7. p. m. Humfridi Kery.
8. p. m. Humfridi Packyngton armigeri.

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Lodowici Jones armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Clayton generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Brereton nuper de Tatton in comitatu Cestr. militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Spencer de Wytton senioris generosi.
4. p. m. Roberti Touneshende militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Otteley armigeri.
6. p. m. Edwardi Hopton generosi.
7. p. m. Thome Draper senioris de Walton generosi.
8. p. m. Francisci Charleton armigeri.
9. De idiocia Johannis Pryceley.

4 and 5—5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Willielmi Yonge armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edwardi Barker generosi.
2. p. m. Edwardi Moore generosi.
3. p. m. Ricardi Powell armigeri.
4. p. m. Humfridi Plouden armigeri.

1-2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Rydleye armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

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1. p. m. Georgii Lucye armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Corbett armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Lawley armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Maynwaring militis.
5. p. m. Edwardi Burton generosi.
6. p. m. Randulphi Grosvenor armigeri.
7. p. m. Jane Russell defuncte nuper uxoris cujusdam Willielmi Russell armigeri similiter defuncti, et p. m. ejusdem Willielmi Russell.
8. p. m. Humfridi Conigsbye armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Talbot militis.

2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Charleton Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Rogeri Smythe armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Stevyngton armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Walcote generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Colefoxe generosi.

6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Leighton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Cresset armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Ketilbye armigeri.
3. p. m. Georgii Sandford armigeri. (2 m.)

8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Eyton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Crumpton generosi filii et heredis Thome Crumpton defuncti.
2. p. m. Thome Crompton de Acton Burnell generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Yonge armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Meysey armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Felton generosi.

9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Hopton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Georgii Forster generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Chorleton armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Conysbie armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Goldeston generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Jones generosi.
6. p. m. Ricardi Lawley nuper de Stranssham in comitatu Wigorn generosi.
7. p. m. Walteri Cheese nuper de Asteleye Bridge yoman.
8. p. m. Willielmi Wolridge armigeri.

10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Caroli Walcotte armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Yonge nuper Archiepiscopi Eboracen primatis et metropolitani Anglie.
2. p. m. Roberti Barnefeld nuper de Newport generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Cressett armigeri.

14 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Leighe armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Purslowe generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Colfoxe generosi.

16 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Lawley armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Radulphi Corfield nuper de Longfield alias Longveld yoman.
2. p. m. Ranulphi Breerton armigeri.

20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Barkeley armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Colbache generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Pakington armigeri.

21 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Purslowe armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Heye yoman.
2. p. m. Johannis Clerke yoman.

22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Nicholai Thornes armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Crowther nuper de Bedston generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Trever Vaughan generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Wilcox yoman.
4. p. m. Ricardi Hanmar generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Homfreston generosi. (*Coram Esc. et feodar.*)
6. p. m. Petri Clerke alias Breise clerici.

23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Radulphi Clyve armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Lea de Oxenbolde generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Lloid alias Llen de Wigan alias Wiginton generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Treavor Vaughan de Oswestrye generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Tonge yoman.
5. p. m. Johannis Yong Johns yoman.
6. p. m. Francisce Fermor defuncte nuper uxoris Thome Fermor armigeri similiter defuncti ac filie et heredis Thome Hoorde armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Kynaston yoman

24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Rogeri Kynaston armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Morris yoman.
2. p. m. Johannis Downton yoman.
3. p. m. Thome Eaton armigeri.

[26]–27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Acton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27-28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ade Lutley armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 15 Feb. 27—15 Feb. 28 Eliz.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[28-29] *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Steventon armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[29–30] *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi Onslowe armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–31 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Cole armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 30 Jan. 30—28 Jan. 31 Eliz.—1 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

31-32 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Burton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 28 Jan. 31—28 Jan. 32 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[32–33] *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Corbett armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Thornes armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 29 Jan. 33—29 Jan. 34 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

34–35 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Kerrye armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 14 Feb. 34–27 Dec. 35 Eliz.—1 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35–36 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Newton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 27 Dec. 35—27 Dec. 36 Eliz.—1 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[36–37] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Piggott armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

37–38 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ade Mitton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 10 Mar. 37—10 Mar. 38 Eliz.—2 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there is a fragment of an Account of 1 membrane.

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SOMERSETSHIRE AND DORSETSHIRE.

1 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Kenne Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Case Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Rodbert.
2. p. m. Katherine Irlond.
3. p. m. Johannis Speke.
4. p. m. Willielmi Berkeley.
5. p. m. Johannis Gefferey.
6. De possessionibus quorundum attinctorum viz—Johannis Souche domini de Zouche et Seigmour, Walteri Deverex domini de Ferreys, Rogeri Wake armigeri, Willielmi Barkeley militis, Nicholai Spycer nuper de Bristoll marchaunt.
7. p. m. Roberti Abbatis de [Athelney] de possessionibus ejusdem abbatie. (*Somers.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
9. p. m. Thome nuper Abbatis monasterii de Keynesham, de possessionibus ejusdem monasterii.

2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Harpur Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Vowell Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

p. m. Walteri Paunesfote.

4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Clayton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Chokke armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Thome Beaumont. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Nicholai Stucle armigeri. (*Somers.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
7. p. m. Willielmi Powlett militis. (*Somers.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
9. p. m. Barnardi Brocas.
10. p. m. Walteri Michell.
11. p. m. Johannis Newton militis.
12. De possessionibus Rogeri Wake attincti.

4–5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Basket Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Coker. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Wykes. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Thome Seyntmaur militis. (*Somers.*
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
7. p. m. Roberti Cammell.
8. p. m. Philippi Courteney militis.
9. p. m. Willielmi Hommer.
10. p. m. Katerine Bayly.
11. p. m. Margarete que fuit uxor Willielmi Botreaux militis ac nuper uxoris Thome Burgh militis.
12. p. m. Willielmi Mountague.
13. p. m. Roberti Basset.

5–6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Pudsey Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Comitis Northumbr. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Audeley de Audeley militis. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Mauricii Sidenham capellani.
6. p. m. Thome Fulford militis.
7. p. m. Margarete [que fuit uxor Reginaldi Stourton].

11–12 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Burgh Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Huntley. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Amicie nuper uxoris Morgani Kidwelle. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Johannis Payne. (*Somers.*)
6. Alia inquisitio p. m. Johannis Payne. (*Somers.*)
7. p. m. Johannis Kyngeston.
8. p. m. Johanne Foster.
9. p. m. Thome Say.
10. p. m. Thome Tracy de Brydeporte.
11. p. m. Thome Burgh militis.
12. p. m. Edmundi Leversegge.
13. . m. Johanne Darell nuper uxoris Georgii Darell militis.

14. p. m. Roberti Coley.
15. p. m. Henrici Hyde.
16. p. m. Johannis Wroughton.
17. p. m. Hugonis nuper Abbatis de Abbottysbury de possessionibus ejusdem Abbatie. (*Somers.*)
18. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
19. Breve de dictis temporalibus restituendis.

13–14 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus ejusdem Johannis Burgh Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Rogeri Twyneho. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Twyneho. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Johannis Hody. (*Somers.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
7. p. m. Matilde Preston. (*Somers.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
9. p. m. Isabelle Neuton nuper uxoris Johannis Neuton militis. (*Somers.*)
10. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
11. p. m. Anne Audeley vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Rogers armigeri. (*Somers.*)
12. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
13. p. m. Elizabethe que fuit uxor Willielmi Pawlet militis. (*Somers.*)
14. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
15. p. m. Roberti Walsshe.
16. p. m. Johannis Molyns.
17. p. m. Humfridi Pokeswell.
18. p. m. Margarete Woodhull.
19. p. m. Johanne Malet.
20. p. m. Roberti Rocheford.
21. p. m. Willielmi Caudraye filii Willielmi et Avicie Caudray. (*Somers.*)
22. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
23. p. m. Margarete nuper uxoris Johannis Ilberde.

14–15 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Lodge Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Strode nuper de Somerton armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Johanne Warre. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Johannis Brice.
6. p. m. Alicie Mountague.
7. p. m. Johannis Newboro armigeri.
8. p. m. Cristine Cheuerell.
9. p. m. Margerie Prude.
10. p. m. Henrici Ogan.
11. p. m. Johannis Walshe.
12. p. m. Petri Baunfeld armigeri.
13. p. m. Ricardi Vowell.
14. p. m. Johannis Seyntlowe militis.
15. p. m. Matilde Seyntlo prius uxoris Johannis Wykes.
16. p. m. Alicie que fuit uxor Willielmi Morgan et que fuit uxor Walteri Torny armigeri.
17. p. m. Johannis Gilbert.
18. p. m. Elizabethe Walssh.
19. p. m. Johannis Lotye.
20. De diversis libertatibus &c. quas Johannes Episcopus Sar clamat habere infra precinctum ville de Sherborne, et infra libertatem de Newlond ibidem.
21. De possessionibus in villa Shaston hospitali vocato Seynt Johns pertinentibus et de proficuis eorundem possessionum, et de ornamentis dicti hospitalis quas David Knolle capellanus abduxit.

15–24. *Hen. VII.*—Compotus aut compoti Willielmi Bysseley Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest* aut *Desunt.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Lucie que fuit uxor Johannis Ap Morgyn. (15 Hen. VII.)
2. p. m. Ricardi Newton armigeri. (*Somers.* 16 Hen. VII.)
3. Alia inquisitio p. m. ejusdem. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxor Willielmi Knyvet militis. (*Somers.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
7. p. m. Humfridi Forster armigeri. (*Somers.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
9. p. m. Willielmi Harwell.
10. p. m. Johannis Savage armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Bodefaunt.
12. p. m. Margarete Plushe.
13. p. m. Johannis Payne armigeri. (17 Hen. VII.)
14. p. m. Willielmi Brounsop.
15. p. m. Willielmi Vynyng armigeri.
16. p. m. Reverendissimi in Christo patris domini Johannis Morton nuper Cardinalis ac Cantuarien. Episcopi.
17. p. m. Johannis Arney, gentilman.
18. p. m. Cristoferi Whityng. (*Somers.*)

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19. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
20. p. m. Alianore que fuit uxor Roberti Spenser militis. (*Somers.*)
21. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
22. p. m. Thome Malet.
23. p. m. Johannis Huntley.
24. p. m. Johannis Percyvale.
25. p. m. Willielmi Knoyell. (*Somers.* 18 Hen. VII.)
26. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
27. p. m. Roberti Willoughby militis nuper domini de Broke.
28. p. m. Johannis Arthur.
29. p. m. Cristofori Troppenell armigeri. (19 Hen. VII.)
30. p. m. Willielmi Seyntmaur militis. (*Somers.*)
31. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
32. p. m. Alicie Clayton.
33. p. m. Johannis Heyron.
34. p. m. Johannis Philpot militis.
35. p. m. Johannis Byconyll militis.
36. p. m. Thome Husie senioris armigeri.
37. p. m. Ricardi Crokerne.
38. p. m. Elizabethe Biconyll quæ fuit uxor Johannis Byconyll militis. (*Somers.* 20 Hen. VII.)
39. Alia inquisitio p. m. ejusdem. (*Somers.*)
40. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
41. p. m. Willielmi de Sancto Mauro militis. (*Somers.*)
42. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
43. Alia inquisitio p. m. ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
44. Alia inquisitio p. m. ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
45. p. m. Thome nuper Marchionis Dors.
46. p. m. Ricardi Turges.
47. p. m. Katerine Harcourte.
48. p. m. Rogeri Wake armigeri.
49. p. m. Johannis Kenne.
50. p. m. Ricardi Gayton.
51. p. m. Johannis Harwell armigeri.
52. p. m. Johannis Grey nuper Vicecomitis Lysle.
53. p. m. Ricardi Wykes.
54. p. m. Henrici Hygons armigeri. (21 Hen. VII.)
55. p. m. Morgani Kydwelly militis. (*Somers.*)
56. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
57. p. m. Thome Hardyng.
58. p. m. Thome Yong armigeri.
59. p. m. Walteri Denys chevalier.
60. p. m. Nicholai Lisle militis.
61. p. m. Willielmi Cammell. (22 Hen. VII.)
62. p. m. Hugonis Beaumont armigeri. (*Somers.*)
63. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
64. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxor Ricardi Chocke defuncti.
65. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxor Edmundi Gorges militis.
66. p. m. Roberti Stowell senioris.
67. p. m. Willielmi June [vel Juyn].
68. p. m. Henrici Champneys armigeri.
69. p. m. Willielmi Brocas armigeri.
70. p. m. Alicie Wadham vidue. (23 Hen. VII.)
71. p. m. Thome Walsche.
72. p. m. Johannis Keynes.
73. p. m. Johannis Thornhill.
74. p. m. Johannis Verney armigeri.
75. p. m. Johannis Williams militis. (24 Hen. VII.)
76. p. m. Roberti Brent armigeri.
77. p. m. Marione Baunfeld vidue.
78. p. m. Robert Stawell armigeri.
79. p. m. Roberti Bassett.
80. p. m. Thome Tremayle militis.
81. p. m. Thome Pomerey.
82. p. m. Nicholai Seyntlo armigeri.
83. De possessionibus Nicholai Kyrkham senioris de Peynton lunatici.

1-2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Brent armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Petri Knoill. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Gerard. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Egidii Daubeny nuper domini Daubeney militis. (*Somers.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
7. p. m. Stephani Payne. (*Somers.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
9. p. m. Roberti Gerard armigeri.
10. p. m. Isabelle nuper uxoris Willielmi Willoughby militis.
11. p. m. Humfridi Fulford militis.
12. p. m. Ricardi Mawdeley.
13. p. m. Johannis Gilbert.
14. p. m. Willielmi Malet armigeri.

15. p. m. Johannis Milborn.
16. p. m. Johannis Heron.
17. p. m. Elizabethe Fitzjames vidue.
18. p. m. Roberti Luttey.
19. p. m. Simonis Grene.
20. p. m. Roberti Montagu.
21. p. m. Roberti Hylle armigeri.
22. p. m. Johannis Oldmixon.
23. p. m. Willielmi Speke.
24. p. m. Thome de la Lynde militis.
25. p. m. Walteri Cervyngton armigeri.
26. p. m. Willielmi Colmore.
27. p. m. Johannis FitzRichard.
28. p. m. Johannis Sydenham.
29. p. m. Marmaduci Gorges armigeri.
30. p. m. Johannis Courtenay nuper de Molland in comitatu Devon armigeri.
31. p. m. Margarete Comitisse Richemond et Derbye avie domini Regis.

3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Moleyns armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitabus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edmundi Gorge militis. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Alexandri Britt.
4. p. m. Johannis Arundell Treris militis.
5. p. m. Johanne nuper uxoris Edmundi Gorges militis.
6. p. m. Rogeri Norman.
7. p. m. Philippi Dodyngton.
8. p. m. domine Johanne Malyverer vidue.
9. p. m. Ricardi Clavyle.
10. p. m. Willielmi Holwale.
11. p. m. Willielmi Chetell.
12. p. m. Johannis Pole valecti corone Regis. (*Somers.*)
13. p. m. ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
14. De possessionibus Thome Courteney nuper Comitis Devon (filii Thome Courteney quondam Comitis Devon) in anno primo Edw. IV^ti. attincti.
15. De possessionibus ejusdem.
16. Item de possessionibus ejusdem.
17. De possessionibus Edmundi Dudley attincti.

3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Hymerford armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Searde de Barowe.
2. p. m. Johannis Wykes.
3. p. m. Willielmi Raynon armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Bogell clerici.
5. p. m. Johannis Hymerford.
6. p. m. Edithe Kayton.
7. p. m. Willielmi Basing.
8. p. m. Willielmi Pychard (vel Pychar).
9. p. m. Agnetis Harwell vidue.
10. p. m. Ricardi Densam.
11. p. m. Johannis Brounsop.
12. p. m. Roberti Abbott.
13. p. m. Margarete que fuit uxor Thome Moleyns.
14. p. m. Matilde Roos nuper uxoris Henrici Roos militis.
15. p. m. Thome Tregathyn.

4–5 *Hen VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Rocheford armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Coker armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Bevyn.
4. p. m. Johannis Peter nuper de Bagbere gentilman.
5. p. m. Ricardi Derby.
6. p. m. Ricardi Turbervile.
7. p. m. Johannis Basyng.
8. p. m. Anne Kemys nuper uxoris Arthuri Kemys generosi.
9. p. m. Willielmi Cope armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Turney.
11. p. m. Johannis Peryman.
12. p. m. Ricardi Vowell.
13. p. m. Ricardi Goffe.
14. p. m. Walteri Turburvyle.
15. p. m. Johannis Eyre senioris.
16. p. m. Willielmi Strode.
17. p. m. Johannis Atwell filii et heredis Ricardi Atwell.
18. p. m. Willielmi Rengeborne.
19. p. m. Thome Estmont.
20. p. m. Ricardi Dowlyng.
21. p. m. Thome Neuburgh armigeri.
22. p. m. Johanne Roucester vidue.
23. De diversis possessionibus de quibus Thomas nuper comes Sar obiit seisitus tempore regis Henrici septimi.

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6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Kayleway Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Domine Johanne Strange vidue.
2. p. m. Philippi Turney.
3. p. m. Cecilie nuper uxoris Roberti Forthey ac sororis et heredis Johannis Berkeley.
4. p. m. Johannis Kyngeston.
5. p. m. Thome Apparre.
6. p. m. Johanne domine de Strange vidue.
7. p. m. Johannis Walton.
8. p. m. Thome Norton.
9. p. m. Johannis Dodyngton.

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Asshe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Reginaldi Fyloll.
2. p. m. Elizabethe nuper uxoris Thome Strangways.
3. p. m. Johannis Lytheate.
4. p. m. Thome Strangways.
5. p. m. Rogeri Neuburgh.
6. p. m. Thome Newborowe.
7. p. m. Johannis Brokewey.
8. p. m. Johannis Waddon.
9. p. m. Johannis Strangman.
10. p. m. Roberti Barbett alias Aden.
11. p. m. Thome Arney de Horton in comitatu Dors. gentilman.
12. p. m. Johannis Hayward.
13. p. m. Johanne Percyvall vidue.
14. p. m. Nicholai Chocke.
15. p. m. Johannis Esterfeld mercatoris.
16. p. m. Willielmi Capell militis.
17. p. m. Cristofori Wroughton.
18. p. m. Johannis Arthure de Estbischopworth.
19. p. m. Thome Halle.
20. p. m. Nicholai Kyngeston.
21. p. m. Willielmi Power.
22. p. m. Philippi Franke.
23. p. m. Willielmi Walton.
24. p. m. Willielmi Bonour.
25. p. m. Johannis Staunton.
26. p. m. Ricardi Leveryge.
27. p. m. Johannis Walwen.
28. p. m. Thome Martyn.
29. p. m. Edmundi Wykys. (*Fragmentum*).

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Hunteley armigeri Escaetoris in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Harcort armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Raulyns alias Bayly.
3. p. m. Gregorii Morgan.
4. p. m. Johannis Porter.
5. p. m. Humfridi Hervy.
6. p. m. Roberti Knolles.
7. p. m. Willielmi Besiles armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Howles.
9. p. m. Willielmi Raulyns.
10. p. m. Humfridi Styver (vel Styner).
11. p. m. Thome Austell.
12. p. m. Johannis Crase.
13. p. m. Willielmi Dingehurst.

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Turbervyle armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.
26 Nov. 8—10 Nov. 9 Hen. VIII.—40 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Alicie Strode vidue nuper uxoris Willielmi Strode nuper de Somerton armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Cristine Marney uxoris Johannis Marney militis. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Johanne Drewrey uxoris Willielmi Drewrey ac filie et heredis Willielmi Seyntmaure militis. (*Somers.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
7. p. m. Willielmi Carent armigeri. (*Somers.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
9. p. m. Andree Hody armigeri. (*Somers.*)
10. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
11. p. m. Thome Feylond.
12. p. m. Elizabethe Fitzwaren vidue.
13. p. m. Rogeri Cheverell armigeri.
14. p. m. Willielmi Nethwey.
15. p. m. Johannis Daccombe senioris.
16. p. m. Nicholai Kirkeham senioris armigeri.
17. p. m. Johannis Wroth armigeri.
18. p. m. Johannis Bartelet.
19. p. m. Willielmi Rocheford.
20. p. m. Johannis Latimer.

21. p. m. Alianore relicte Nicholai Seyntloo.
22. p. m. Jeronimi Bratton armigeri.
23. p. m. Ricardi Moyns.
24. p. m. Johannis Sayard.
25. p. m. Baldewini Hyll.
26. p. m. Agnetis Morton vidue.
27. p. m. Thome Bettiscombe.
28. p. m. Johannis Lane.
29. p. m. Walteri Newborough.
30. p. m. Johannis Bagge de Wotton Fitzpayne in comitatu Dors.
31. p. m. Elizabethe Grey nuper uxoris Johannis Grey domini Grey et nuper uxoris Rogeri Wake armigeri et executricis testamenti dicti Rogeri. (3 m.)

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Kaylewaye armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Speke militis. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Wyke.
4. p. m. Roberti Turges armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Crukerne armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Brokehampton.
7. p. m. Johannis Peke militis.
8. p. m. Ricardi Ogan armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Radbarde.
10. p. m. Elizabethe Dodyngton nuper uxoris Johannis Dodyngton.
11. p. m. Willielmi Selwode.

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Morton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 10 Nov. 10—14 Nov. 11 Hen. VIII.—45 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Dawtrey militis.
2. p. m. Thome Roo.
3. p. m. Roberti More armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Fantlerey armigeri.
5. p. m. Roberti Cammell filii nuper Johannis Cammell de Shapwyke.
6. p. m. Henrici Milbourn.
7. p. m. Margarete Wadham vidue.
8. De possessionibus Edwardi Cervyngton.

12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Walshe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Dynham militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Walshett nuper de Welles in comitatu Somers. marchaunt.
3. p. m. Ricardi Crukerne gentilman.
4. p. m. Philippi Tremayle de Sydbery in comitatu Devon. gentilman.
5. p. m. Thome Evered gentilman.
6. p. m. Willielmi Byrt.

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Phillipps armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Strode de Parham in comitatu Dors. armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Henrici nuper Comitis Derb. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Hugonis Lotterell militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Pyke. (*Somers.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
8. p. m. Johannis Trevilian militis. (*Somers.*)
9. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
10. p. m. Walteri Coker generosi.
11. p. m. Margarete Wroughton.
12. p. m. Willielmi Reigny clerici. (*Somers.*)
13. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
14. p. m. Thome Everard.
15. p. m. Roberti Appulton generosi.
16. p. m. Johannis Porteman.
17. p. m. Johannis Sydenham de Orchard armigeri.
18. p. m. Humfridi Calwodley armigeri.
19. p. m. Edithe Plompton nuper uxoris Johannis Plompton ac ante uxoris Johannis Hody armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Hody militis nuper capitalis Baronis de Scaccario Regis.
20. De possessionibus Edwardi ducis Bukyngham nuper de Thornebury in comitatu Glouc. in anno quarto Hen. VIII^{vi}. attincti.

14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Thornhull armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome nuper Comitis Derb. junioris, filii et heredis Georgii Stanley militis domini Lestraunge. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Fote.
4. p. m. Willielmi Wadham armigeri.
5. . m. Thome Newton militis.

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6. p. m. Willielmi Servyngton armigeri.
7. p. m. Ejusdem Willielmi Cervyngton armigeri. (*Dors.*)
8. p. m. Edmundi Leweston.
9. p. m. Johannis Grey.
10. p. m. Rogeri Cheke.
11. p. m. Thome Percy.
12. p. m. Nicolai Blewet armigeri.
13. p. m. Laurencii Wadham armigeri filii et heredis apparentis Nicholai Wadham militis.
14. p. m. Thome Mountague armigeri.
15. p. m. Johannis Mone.
16. p. m. Johannis Dodyngton.
17. p. m. Johannis Arthur.

15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Gerard Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Lyte armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Johanne Russell vidue. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Roberti Blagge nuper unius Baronum de Scaccario.
6. p. m. Thome Husee senioris dum vixit de Tomeston in comitatu Dors. armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Bettescombe.
8. p. m. Alexandri Sydenham de Huntworthy in comitatu Somers.
9. p. m. Johannis Brooke nuper servientis domini Regis ad legem.
10. p. m. Roberti Biccombe armigeri.
11. p. m. Ricardi Bluett armigeri.
12. p. m. Henrici Marney militis domini Marney.
13. p. m. Roberti Willoughby de Broke militis. (2 m.)

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Turbervyle [vel Trobelvyld] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Hody militis. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. Copia ejusdem.
4. p. m. Willielmi Pyke. (*Somers.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
6. p. m. Willielmi Long. (*Somers.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
8. p. m. Johannis Brent armigeri. (*Somers.*)
9. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
10. p. m. Willielmi Stourton domini de Stourton militis. (*Somers.*)
11. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
12. p. m. Willielmi Anketyll.
13. p. m. Ricardi Willoughby armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Lye militis.
15. p. m. Isabelle Burnell. (*Somers.*)
16. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
17. p. m. Roberti Willoughby de Broke militis.
18. p. m. Alexandri Newton armigeri.
19. p. m. Alicie Malet vidue nuper uxoris Willielmi Malet armigeri defuncti.
20. p. m. Ricardi Hadley armigeri.
21. p. m. Johannis Smyth.
22. p. m. Christine que fuit uxor Roberti Apryce.
23. p. m. Radulphi Smyth alias dicti Radulphi Tyderley.
24. p. m. Roberti Byngham armigeri.
25. p. m. Roberti Colmer.
26. p. m. Hugonis Weston.
27. p. m. Willielmi Kemer.
28. p. m. Elizabethe Newton vidue nuper uxoris Ricardi Newton armigeri defuncti. (*Somers.*)
29. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
30. p. m. Johannis Cauxe.
31. p. m. Cutberti Clavellysheye.
32. p. m. Willielmi Nethewey.
33. p. m. Henrici Abarough.
34. p. m. Domine Johanne Gorgeys vidue unius filiarum et heredum Thome Copston armigeri.
35. p. m. Margarete Batt.
36. p. m. Georgii Rogers armigeri.
37. p. m. Thome Evererd.
38. p. m. Thome Golde.
39. p. m. Johannis Champneys.
40. p. m. Johannis Lardar.
41. p. m. Ricardi Byckham armigeri.
42. p. m. Johannis Roche.
43. p. m. Georgii Stukeleye.
44. p. m. Roberti Bulbeke.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Wydecombe [Witdecombe vel Witcombe] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Comitis Arundell. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)

3. p. m. Cristine Marney nuper uxoris Johannis Marney militis nuper domini Marney, ac filie et heredis Rogeri Newborough militis defuncti. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Isabelle Willoughby. (*Somers.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem vidue. (*Dors.*)
7. p. m. Agnetis Sidenham.
8. p. m. Cristofori Sidenham.
9. p. m. Silvestri Sydenham.
10. p. m. Johannis Butler nuper de Magna Badmynton in comitatu Glouc. armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Wekys armigeri.
12. p. m. Willielmi Cosyn clerici.
13. p. m. Johannis Hawker.
14. p. m. Thome Champneis generosi.
15. p. m. Thome Poxwell armigeri.
16. p. m. Georgii Twynyho armigeri. (*Somers.*)
17. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
18. p. m. Johannis Seynt John militis.
19. p. m. Johannis Newborowe.
20. p. m. Johannis Speke armigeri.
21. p. m. Edwardi Stenyng armigeri.
22. p. m. Johannis Marny militis nuper domini Marney.
23. p. m. Domine Florencie Bourchier nuper uxoris Johannis Bourchier domini Fitzwaren militis et prius uxoris Humfridi Fulford militis.
24. p. m. Cristofori Martyn armigeri.
25. p. m. Edithe Craspyn vidue.
26. p. m. Jacobi Frampton armigeri.

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Gilbert armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 17 Feb. 17—27 Nov. 18 Hen. VIII.—40 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Alexandri Buller armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Warburge nuper uxoris Willielmi Compton militis. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Ricardi Harvy filii et heredis Humfridi Harvy.
6. p. m. Johannis Rodney militis.
7. p. m. Johannis Syddenham de Orcharde armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Syddenham de Moreston.
8. p. m. Edwardi Clement alias dicti Edwardi Browne.
9. p. m. Edwardi Choke generosi.
10. p. m. Nicholai Fraunces armigeri.
11. p. m. Ricardi Aysshe armigeri filii et heredis Cecilie matris sue sororis et heredis Johannis Barkeley.
12. p. m. Willielmi Peverell armigeri.
13. p. m. Johannis Gilhamton [vel Galhampton].
14. p. m. Roberti Montagew.

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Humfridi Hymberford [vel Hymerford] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Morton filii et heredis Ricardi Morton. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Fyloll militis. (2 m.)
4. p. m. Willielmi Lovell armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Husee filii et heredis Thome Husee et Cristine uxoris ejus.
6. p. m. Johannis Witdecombe generosi.
7. p. m. Ricardi Wekkes.
8. p. m. Walteri Bonam.
9. p. m. Willielmi Walshawe generosi.
10. p. m. Johannis Frank.
11. p. m. Andree Norton armigeri.
12. p. m. Michaelis Frank.
13. p. m. Reginaldi Pym.
14. p. m. Lodowici Pollard militis.
15. p. m. Ricardi Wyngood.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Strangways [vel Strangwych] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Hugonis Frome.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Long filie et heredis Willielmi Long defuncti. (*Somers.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
4. p. m. Roberti Morgan armigeri.
5. p. m. Edwardi Bampfelde armigeri. (*Somers.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
7. p. m. Johannis Soper.
8. p. m. Johannis Fyneux militis.
9. p. m. Elizabethe Dawbeney vidue filie et heredis Roberti Pawncefote. (*Somers.*)
10. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
11. p. m. Elizabethe Dackham nuper uxoris Thome Dackham filie et heredis Ricardi Clavell nuper de Corfe Castell in comitatu Dors.
12. p. m. Johannis Boys.
13. p. m. Karoli Holcombe.
14. p. m. Johannis Selwod de Backwell.
15. p. m. Thome Payne de Hutton senioris.[1]

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20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Thornhyll armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Thome Coker armigeri. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Johannis Whytyng. (*Somers.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
7. p. m. Johannis Baunfild armigeri. (*Somers.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
9. p. m. Georgii Speke militis.
10. p. m. Nicholai Newman.
11. p. m. Johannis Lacy.
12. p. m. Willielmi Tanfyld armigeri.
13. p. m. Alicie nuper uxoris Christofori Wadham.
14. p. m. Edwardi Fenys.

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Byrte [vel Brytt] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Rogeri Frampton.
2. p. m. Willielmi Basyng.
3. p. m. Johannis Kyrkeham militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Broughton.
5. p. m. Willielmi Saye militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Sanford armigeri.
7. p. m. Cecilie Staunton vidue.
8. p. m. Ricardi Norton armigeri.

23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Brent armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Sayntbarbe generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Kayleway armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Moleyns.
4. p. m. Roberti Pyke armigeri.

24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Hymerford armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Leonardi Knoyle. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Tristrami Storke armigeri. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Thome Delalynde militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Bert [vel Brett] armigeri.
7. p. m. Henrici Trencharde armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Zouche militis nuper domini Zouche et Seymour.
9. p. m. Nicholai Tose.
10. p. m. Henrici Husee.
11. p. m. Petri Fauntleroy.
12. p. m. Johannis Champyon senioris.
13. p. m. Willielmi Seymour armigeri.

24–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Horner armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Baldwini Malett armigeri. (*Somers.* 2 m.)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Gerard de Longhyd in Purbyke in comitatu Dors. generosi.
4. p. m. Roberti Arney nuper de Pole in comitatu Dors. marchaunt.
5. p. m. Ricardi Mylborne.
6. p. m. Johannis Brette armigeri.
7. p. m. Georgii Redyche generosi.
8. p. m. Elizabethe Warre nuper uxoris Edwardi Bampfyld armigeri defuncti.
9. p. m. Willielmi Balche.
10. p. m. Thome Kyrton generosi.
11. p. m. Johannis Roche nuper de Alverton in comitatu Somers. grasyer.
12. p. m. Jacobi Kyng.
13. p. m. Thome Jubbes generosi.
14. p. m. Willielmi Gylbart nuper Abbatis domus et ecclesie Beate Marie de Brewton viz. de possessionibus ejusdem Abbatie.

26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Bamfeld armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Ludlowe armigeri.
2. p. m. Rogeri Bithemore armigeri et Thome Bithemore filii et heredis dicti Rogeri defuncti.
3. p. m. Ricardi Sacheverell militis.
4. p. m. Willielmi Walrond.
5. p. m. Johannis Warr de Northnewton armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Horton generosi.
7. p. m. Thome Strode.
8. p. m. David Percevall generosi.
9. p. m. Anne Whityng vidue.

27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Guidonis Bonvile [vel Bondvile] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Alicie nuper uxoris Cristofori Wadham de Wareham.
2. p. m. Johannis Morgan de Compton parva in comitatu Wigorn armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Preston.
4. p. m. Willielmi Tylly.
5. p. m. Johannis Tremayle de Blakemore.
6. p. m. Edwardi Stradlyng militis.
7. p. m. Ricardi Rocetur.
8. p. m. Roberti Bulbeck.
9. p. m. Thome Broke armigeri. [*This appears to be a clerical error for* Thomas Howell.]
10. p. m. Petri Milborne.
11. p. m. Hugonis Yonge generosi.
12. p. m. Thome Mychyll.

27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Hugonis Trotter Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

p. m. Roberti Wrothe armigeri.

28 *Hen. VIII.*--Compotus Alexandri Popham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Hody armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Hody armigeri. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Willielmi Brent armigeri. (*Somers.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors,*)
7. p. m. Willielmi Courteney militis. (*Somers.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
9. p. m. Willielmi Clement de Tysbury. (*Dors.*)
10. Copia ejusdem.
11. p. m. Thome Molens generosi.
12. p. m. Willielmi Wikys armigeri.
13. p. m. Johannis Turbervill armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Dyott.
15. p. m. Francisci Harecourt armigeri.
16. p. m. Jacobi Caps.
17. p. m. Katerine Grene.
18. p. m. Hugonis Cawsey.
19. p. m. Johannis Popham.
20. p. m. Rogeri Yorke servientis ad legem.
21. p. m. Thome Poxwell armigeri.
22. p. m. Johannis Holder.
23. p. m. Johannis Chichester armigeri.
24. p. m. Ricardi Nassyon.
25. p. m. Willielmi Wyngod.
26. p. m. Ricardi Dudley clerici.
27. p. m. Johannis Sowthay.
28. p. m. Agnetis Mydlam vidue nuper uxoris Ricardi Midlam defuncti.
29. p. m. Jacobi Percyvall armigeri.
30. Memorandum de precio bonorum et catallorum utlagatorum, &c.

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Lyte armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 28—26 Nov. 29 Hen. VIII.—26 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Milbourne armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Percy generosi.
4. p. m. Roberti Samwys.
5. p. m. Jacobi Kyng.
6. p. m. Ricardi Martyn.
7. p. m. Willielmi Carewe militis.
8. p. m. Walteri Steynyng armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Whytyngton alias Whytton armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Huntley armigeri.
11. p. m. Domine Elizabethe nuper uxoris Johannis Chaworth militis et antea uxoris Walteri Rodney militis filii et heredis Johannis Rodney militis.
12. p. m. Thome Tilly.
13. p. m. Thome Poxwell armigeri.
14. p. m. Johannis Wynde generosi.
15. p. m. Henrici See armigeri.

29-30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Norton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johanne Broke vidue.
2. p. m. Johanne Brook nuper uxoris Thome Brook defuncti.
3. p. m. Johanne Symondes nuper uxoris Johannis Bowyer.
4. p. m. Roberti Gilbert armigeri.
5. p. m. Johanne Cocke nuper uxoris Roberti Cocke unius. fil. et hered. Nicholai Bratton.
6. p. m. Johannis Rugge.
7. p. m. Thome Broke armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Thorneburgh armigeri.
9. p. m. Agnetis Feylonde.
10. p. m. Ricardi Leverage.

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12. p. m. Henrici nuper Ducis Richemond.
13. p. m. Johannis Whitton.
14. p. m. Ricardi Cockes.

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Crowche armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Burley generosi.
2. p. m. Francisci Rodney armigeri.
3. p. m. Amisii Poulett militis.
4. p. m. Willielmi Clavell armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Pery.
6. p. m. Margarete Priston vidue.
7. p. m. Johannis Hales.
8. p. m. Johannis Ford armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Bythemore generosi.
10. p. m. Willielmi Hambrige generosi.
11. p. m. Johannis Abarrough.
12. p. m. Johanne Sydenham vidue.
13. p. m. Willielmi Burlond.
14. p. m. Johannis Hardwell.
15. p. m. Jacobi Hadley armigeri.
16. p. m. Juliane Godwyn nuper uxoris Willielmi Godwyn alias Leng.
17. De possessionibus Henrici Pole nuper de Bukmere in comitatu Buk militis, nuper domini Montague, alias dicti Henrici Pole nuper de Medmenham in comitatu Buk militis nuper domini Montague, alias dicti Henrici nuper domini Montague attincti.
18. De possessionibus Henrici nuper Marchionis Exon attincti. (*Somers.*)
19. De possessionibus ejusdem Henrici nuper Marchionis Exon nuper de Westhorkesley alias dict. Horsseley in comitatu Surr. (*Dors.*)

31–32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Stourton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Stocker senioris nuper de Poole in comitatu Dors. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Viveane Alye.
4. p. m. Jacobi Worsley militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Comitis Bathon.
6. p. m. Thome Dacham generosi.
7. p. m. Walteri Twynyho armigeri.
8. p. m. Roberti Cary senioris de Clovely in comitatu Devon armigeri.

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Francisci Stradlyng armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Hody. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Hody [filii dicti Johannis Hody]. (*Somers.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Ricardi Warr militis. (*Somers.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
7. p. m. Thome Kytson militis. (*Somers.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
9. p. m. Johannis Pawlett armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Brokehampton.
11. p. m. Johannis Mawdley.
12. p. m. Christofori Hadley armigeri.
13. p. m. Arthuri Kemys armigeri.
14. p. m. Roberti Gull.
15. p. m. Johannis Aisshe armigeri.
16. p. m. Hugonis Malett armigeri.
17. p. m. Roberti Brice generosi.
18. p. m. Johannis Preston armigeri.
19. p. m. Edmundi Fetyplace armigeri.
20. p. m. Johannis Wake generosi.
21. p. m. Johannis Tuxwell.
22. p. m. Willielmi Lovell.
23. De lunaticia tam Katherine que fuit uxor Ricardi Tetarsall quam Johannis Tetarsall filii et heredis apparentis dicte Katerine.

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Soper de Taunton armigeri Escatoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Stawell [vel Stowell] de Cothelston in comitatu Somers. armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Uvedale militis.
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
5. p. m. Marie nuper uxoris Thome Lysle militis. (*Somers.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
7. p. m. Willelmi Hymerford armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Mychell armigeri.
9. p. m. Roberti Withelake.
10. p. m. Thome Arthur armigeri.
11. p. m. Georgii Seyntabyn armigeri.

12 p. m. Thome Stucley militis.
13. p. m. Willielmi Caps.
14. p. m. Ricardi Weston militis. (*Somers.*)
15. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
16. p. m. Christofori Hadley armigeri.
17. p. m. Johannis Cokes generosi.
18. p. m. Petri Dodyngton generosi.
19. p. m. Roberti Chyke generosi.
20. p. m. Willielmi Laverstoke generosi.
21. p. m. Johannis Byrt vel Brett.
22. p. m. Ricardi Cawxe generosi.
23. p. m. Georgii Boyes.
24. p. m. Walteri Boys generosi.
25. p. m. Thome Warr armigeri. (*Somers.*)
26. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
27. p. m. Johannis Gerrard.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Hartgyll armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 34—23 Nov. 35 Hen. VIII.—28 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Hymerford armigeri.
2. p. m. Egidii Basset armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Waldegrave armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Bayly.
5. p. m. Nicholai Willughby armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Stantor armigeri.
7. p. m. Georgii Turuye.
8. p. m. Edwardi Sidenham armigeri.
9. De possessionibus Johannis Knyght pro feloniis attincti.

36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Gerrard armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Georgii Turny [vel Turvy] de civitate Sar. in Com. Wilts generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Sydham de Brympton in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Kekewyche generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Cordwan de Stokevrcy yoman.
5. p. m. Georgii Comitis Huntyngdon.
6. p. m. Willielmi Oldmixton generosi.
7. p. m. Marmaduci Mauncell armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Brewen armigeri.
9. p. m. Elienore Long defuncte nuper uxoris Henrici Long militis.

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Wadham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Jan. 36—20 Nov. 37 Hen. VIII.—32 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Petri Compton armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Hyde.
4. p. m. Johannis Agaunt de Marschewoode generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Kemys armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Bysshop.
7. p. m. Willielmi Charde nuper de London bruer.
8. p. m. Johannis Elwall alias dicti Johannis Butte.

37-38 *Hen. VIII.*--Compotus Thome Clerke armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Trevylyan armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Grene.
4. p. m. Johannis Bampfylde armigeri.
5. p. m. Alexandri Langford.
6. p. m. Cristoferi Lyett armigeri.

1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Lyte armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Egidii Strangways militis. (3 m.)
2. p. m. Alicie Storke quondam uxoris Tristami Storke armigeri defuncti.
3. p. m. Jacobi Bowreman.
4. p. m. Johannis Horsey militis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Pury.
6. p. m. Katerine Poynynges vidue unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Marney militis nuper domini de Marney defuncti. (*Somers.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem,—' post mortem domine Katerine Poynynges nuper uxoris Thome Poynynges militis nuper domini Poynynges et unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Marney militis nuper domini de Marney et Cristine uxoris dicti Johannis defuncti.' (*Dors.*)
8. p. m. Rogeri Hill de Taunton marchant.
9. p. m. Willielmi Walron generosi.
10. p. m. Johannis Leverege de Wryngton in comitatu Somers. generosi.
11. p. m. Agnetis Hagatt nuper uxoris Johannis Foster nuper de Northcory in comitatu Somers.
12. p. m. Willielmi Harvye de Trent in comitatu Somers.
13. p. m. Philippi Courteney armigeri.
14. p. m. Roberti Verney armigeri.
15. p. m. Willielmi Pytcher nuper de Crokehorne generosi.
16. p. m. Johannis Ryve de Blansford Forum.
17. p. m. Georgii Anketell armigeri de Estallmer.

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2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Nicholai Halswell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Coker armigeri.
2. p. m. Egidii Dodyngton armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Hodgis alias Bolle.
4. p. m. Henrici nuper comitis de Brydgwater.
5. p. m. Jacobi Rychardes generosi.
6. p. m. Roberti Hymerford de Folke in comitatu Dors. generosi.
7. p. m. Henrici Langford.
8. p. m. Henrici Beamount armigeri.
9. p. m. Roberti Martyn armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Edwardes.
11. p. m. Thome Husey armigeri. (*Somers.*)
12. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
13. p. m. Johannis Compton generosi.
14. p. m. Willielmi Button armigeri.
15. p. m. Michaelis Malet armigeri.
16. p. m. Thome Roynon armigeri.
17. p. m. Edwardi Rawle armigeri.
18. p. m. Marie Keyns nuper uxoris Humfridi Keyns armigeri.
19. p. m. Johannis Persons.
20. p. m. Johannis Barnehowse de Marshe armigeri.
21. p. m. Meriele Horner defuncte nuper uxoris Johannis Horner junioris armigeri et unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Malte civis et mercatoris scissoris . . . . . .

3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Hartgyll armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Cheverell generosi. (*Dors.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem Nicholai Cheverell armigeri. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Thome Butler de Almer in comitatu Dors.
4. p. m. Johannis Williams armigeri.
5. p. m. Henrici Turberfylde de Ower in comitatu Dors. armigeri.
6. p. m. Georgii Lovell de Antyochestoun in comitatu Dors. armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Trenchard de Lychett Maultravers in comitatu Dors. armigeri.
8. p. m. Ricardi Hannam generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Rodney armigeri.
10. p. m. Roberti Martyn armigeri.

4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Lyte armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Zouche militis, domini Zouche Sentmaure et Cantilupe.
2. p. m. Roberti Maye generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Wykes.
4. p. m. Thome Baskatt armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Trenchard militis.
6. p. m. Johannis Woullfryce nuper de Marshe infra parochiam de Bloxworth in comitatu Dors.
7. p. m. Marie Keynes nuper uxoris Humfridi Keynes armigeri.
8. p. m. Humfridi Kaynes armigeri.
9. p. m. Roberti Leversage armigeri.
10. p. m. Ricardi Watkyns Vaughan armigeri.
11. p. m. Nicholai Fitz James armigeri.

6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Alexandri Poppham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Langford.
2. p. m. Johannis Verney armigeri.
3. p. m. Ricardi Mallett armigeri.
4. p. m. Elizabethe Fitz James vidue.
5. p. m. Willielmi Lantroe.
6. p. m. Willielmi Clerke armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Bythemore generosi.
8. p. m. Rogeri Kynsey generosi.
9. p. m. Johanne Hodges vidue.
10. p. m. Ricardi Pury.
11. p. m. Johannis Knight.
12. p. m. Edmundi Percyvall generosi.
13. p. m. Georgii Willowghby armigeri.
14. p. m. Willielmi Standishe generosi.
15. p. m. Ricardi Lykar.
16. p. m. Guidonis Bonvile generosi. (*Somers.*)
17. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
18. p. m. Johannis Cuff generosi.
19. p. m. Thome Compton generosi.
20. p. m. Roberti Ryve.
21. p. m. Johannis There.
22. p. m. Thome Speke militis.
23. p. m. Johannis Warr generosi. (*Somers.*)
24. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
25. p. m. Willielmi Burland.
26. p. m. Willielmi Vowell generosi.
27. p. m. Johannis Swytyng [vel Swetyng.]
28. p. m. Anthonii Norton armigeri.

29. p. m. Jacobi Percivall.
30. p. m. Johannis Kenn armigeri.
31. p. m. Willielmi Bourne generosi.

7 *Edw. VI.*—1 *Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Mawdeley [vel Mawdelyn] armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Clare Northe vidue.
2. p. m. Roberti Temmes armigeri.
3. p. m. Philippi Van Wylder generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Timberye generosi.
5. p. m. Henrici Chettell nuper de Blanforde beate Marie in comitatu Dors. generosi.
6. p. m. Ricardi Parham generosi.

1 *Mar.*—1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Ricardi Cupper armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Hugonis Pollard militis.
2. p. m. Aldredi Fitz James generosi.
3. p. m. Antonii Norton armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Wysse armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Fortescue senioris nuper de Wymston in comitatu Devon.
6. p. m. Willielmi Colmer.
7. p. m. Huberti Hussey armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Arundell armigeri.
9. p. m. Roberti Oldmyxson generosi. (*Somers.*) (*Virtute brevis de Diem Clausit Extremum.*)
10. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*) (*Virtute brevis de Melius Inquirendum.*)

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Henrici Portman armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Cervyngton armigeri. (*Somers.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
3. p. m. Nicholai Copleston.
4. p. m. Agnetis Drew.
5. p. m. Johannis Luttrell militis.
6. p. m. Thome Newton armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Newborough armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Hodges generosi.
9. p. m. Willielmi Hodgis junioris.
10. p. m. Johannis Bevyn generosi.
11. p. m. Willielmi Thurstayne.
12. p. m. Ricardi Clavellysshay generosi.
13. p. m. Johannis Harrys senioris.

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Rogeri Walrond armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Trencharde armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Hartgill generosi.
3. p. m. Ricardi Gunter generosi.
4. p. m. Roberti Reve.
5. p. m. Johannis Estmonde.
6. p. m. Hugonis Verney armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Whyte.
8. p. m. Johannis Bysse.
9. p. m. Johannis Rodberd armigeri.
10. p. m. Ricardi Savage de Pudlehinton in comitatu Dors. yoman.
11. p. m. Johannis Yonge generosi. (*Somers.*)
12. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
13. p. m. Willielmi Thornhull nuper de Thornhull in comitatu Dors. armigeri.
14. p. m. Georgii Persey generosi.
15. p. m. Thome Rodde nuper de Ivelchester in comitatu Somers.
16. p. m. Johannis Selwood generosi.
17. p. m. Johannis Pery generosi.
18. p. m. Willielmi Goodwyn generosi.
19. p. m. Roberti Whetstone.
20. p. m. Johannis Larder armigeri.
21. p. m. Francisci Rowe generosi.
22. p. m. Nicholai Aysheford nuper de Aysheford in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
23. p. m. Johanne Wadham vidue.
24. p. m. Silvestri Stewkeley generosi.
25. p. m. Jacobi Tylley armigeri.
26. p. m. Johannis Cuff generosi.
27. p. m. Willielmi Portman militis.
28. p. m. Elizabethe Sherley vidue nuper uxoris Thome Sherley armigeri.
29. p. m. Ricardi Buckland nuper de Martocke in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
30. p. m. Johannis Sidenham militis.

4 and 5—5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Nicholai Harvey armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Nov. 4 and 5—[ ] Ph. & Mar.—30 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Kinge generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Siddenham armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti Goodwynne generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Galhampton.

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5. p. m. Johannis Clavell armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Mountegew armigeri.
7 p. m. Georgii Delalynd militis.
8. p. m. Johannis Hassarde generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Wadham armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Purye.
11. p. m. Ricardi Kyrton armigeri.
12. p. m. Johanne Hartgill vidue.
13. p. m. Johannis Frampton armigeri.
14. p. m. Brigitte Seyntlowe nuper uxoris Edwardi Seyntlowe armigeri ac nuper uxoris Johannis Skutt defuncti.
15. p. m. Thome Ayshe.
16. p. m. Johannis White generosi.
17. p. m. Walteri Graye armigeri.
18. p. m. Willielmi Griffithe de Felton in comitatu Somers. husbandman.
19. p. m. Johannis Gilbert armigeri.
20. p. m. Johannis Tuchett militis domini Audeley.
21. p. m. Johannis Baunfeld [vel Bampfeld] armigeri.
22. p. m. Thome Baunfield (*virtute brevis de Mandamus*).
23. p. m. Johannis Hippesley generosi.
24. p. m. Henrici Capell militis.
25. p. m. Arthuri Hadley armigeri.
26. p. m. Marie nuper uxoris . . . Comitis Arundell.
27. p. m. Prenobilis viri Edwardi Ducis Somers.
28. p. m. Gertrude Courteney vidue nuper Marchionisse Exon.

1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Humfridi Walrond armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Hodges generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Morgaine nuper de Eston sancti Georgii in Gordano generosi.
3. p. m. Jacobi Downam [vel Dowman] generosi.
4. p. m. Ricardi Marshall armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Lyte nuper de . . . . generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Holbage generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Dyer generosi.
8. p. m. Ricardi Warr.
9. p. m. Roberti Hyat generosi.
10. p. m. Willielmi Owseley.
11. p. m. Johannis Busshe.
12. p. m. Georgii Harryson [generosi].
13. p. m. Thome Martyn.
14. p. m. Bartholomei Combe armigeri.
15. p. m. Johannis Brome generosi.
16. p. m. Humfridi Blake.
17. p. m. Roberti Kaylewaie armigeri.
18. p. m. Johannis Bowdiche nuper de Cha . . . .
19. p. m. Edwardi Napper generosi.
20. p. m. Johannis Myller.
21. p. m. Oliveri Laverence militis.
22. p. m. Johannis Hannam armigeri.
23. p. m. Roberti Pulvertofte generosi.
24. p. m. Roberti Turbervyle armigeri.
25. p. m. Johannis Wogan armigeri.
26. p. m. Roberti Collens de Hargrove in comitatu Dors. yoman.
27. p. m. Johannis Buckland nuper de Westharptre in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
28. p. m. Egidii Daubeney armigeri. (*Somers.*)
29. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
30. p. m. Johannis Cheke militis.
31. p. m. Thome Holwall.
32. p. m. Avicie Welles nuper uxoris Gilberti Welles armigeri. (2 m.)
33. p. m. Nicholai Bonham armigeri.
34. p. m. Willielmi Estmond generosi.
35. p. m. Willielmi Bamfild armigeri.
36. p. m. Ricardi Wake armigeri.
37. p. m. Johannis Seyntloo militis.
38. p. m. Willielmi Ayre.
39. p. m. Ricardi Dodyngton armigeri.
40. p. m. Ricardi Buckland nuper de Clerkenwell in comitatu Midd. armigeri.
41. p. m. Roberti Strode de Parham in comitatu Dors. armigeri. (*Somers.*)
42. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
43. p. m. Willielmi Longe.
44. p. m. Johannis Soper nuper de Taunton in comitatu Somers. armigeri.

3-4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Popham armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Kemys generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Arundell de Trereis militis. (2 m.)
3. p. m. Humfridi Watkins generosi.
4. p. m. Thome Denys militis.
5. p. m. Florencie Tinburey vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Tinburey generosi.
6. p. m. Willielmi Huddie armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Arthur generosi.
8. p. m. Johannis Ayshe nuper de Tycknam in comitatu Somers. armigeri.

9. p. m. Thome Moyle militis.
10. p. m. Thome Arundel militis attincti.

4–5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Wilshyre armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus [ ] 4 Eliz.—[ ] 5.—5 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Buller nuper de civitate Exon in comitatu Devon. generosi.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Selwood vidue.
3. p. m. Petri Hapgood de Wynborne Mynster in comitatu Dors. tanner.
4. p. m. Willielmi Chicke nuper de Willescombe in comitatu Somers. generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Mershalsie de Loder in comitatu Dors.
6. p. m. Thome Allambrig de Cerne in comitatu Dors. generosi.
7. p. m. Roberti Iryshe generosi.
8. p. m. Rogeri Roydon de Crukern in comitatu Somers. generosi.
9. p. m. Henrici Sherwill de Mertok in comitatu Somers. yoman.
10. p. m. Jacobi Worselaye de Hamworth in comitatu Dors. armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Egardon de Southgardon in comitatu Dors. generosi.
12. p. m. Thome Lawrence de Withington in comitatu Glouc. generosi.
13. p. m. Matilde Ludlowe nuper uxoris Edwardi Ludlowe armigeri defuncti.
14. p. m. Ricardi Guppy nuper de Wootton Fitzpaine in comitatu Dors. generosi.
15. p. m. Nicholai Joyce.
16. p. m. Willielmi Shorley nuper de Backbere in comitatu Dors. generosi.
17. p. m. Johannis Golloppe de Netherburie in comitatu Dors. generosi.
18. p. m. Johannis Rose de Haidon.
19. p. m. Roberti Gyllet.
20. p. m. Johannis Horsey armigeri.
21. p. m. Johannis Bottiscombe de Vereswatton in comitatu Dors. generosi.
22. p. m. Willielmi Leonerde generosi.
23. p. m. Philippi Cottynton generosi.
24. p. m. Georgii Frome.
25. p. m. Walteri Smedmore.
26. p. m. Roberti Byngham armigeri.
27. p. m. Roberti Balle nuper de Camley in comitatu Somers.
28. p. m. Willielmi Jesope.
29. p. m. Johannis Horsey armigeri.
30. p. m. Thome Wade de Byrdport in comitatu Dors.
31. p. m. Thome Boxley de Winborn Minster in comitatu Dors. generosi.
32. p. m. Roberti Welstede.
33. p. m. Ricardi Adams generosi.
34. p. m. Willielmi Larstock [vel Laverstock] de Larstock in comitatu Dors. generosi.
35. p. m. Johannis Rudge generosi.
36. p. m. Johannis James de Clyff in comitatu Dors. generosi.
37. p. m. Ricardi Pyke nuper de Melles in comitatu Somers. generosi.
38. p. m. Thome Rodde nuper de Ivelchester in comitatu Somers. generosi.
39. p. m. Willielmi Frye.
40. p. m. Roberti Culleford generosi.

6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Lucar armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Argall nuper de London armigeri.
2. p. m. Henrici Tuchett domini Audeley.
3. p. m. Willielmi Clyfton armigeri. (4 m.)
4. p. m. Ricardi Compton generosi.
5. p. m. Antonii Harvy armigeri.

8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Lacye armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Morgan nuper de Badcombe in comitatu Somers. generosi.
2. p. m. Oliveri Wallopp militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Rosewell junioris armigeri.
4. p. m. Leonardi Tylly generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Cupper de Winscombe in comitatu Somers armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Styver.
7. p. m. Aldredi Fitz James generosi.
8. p. m. Johannis Bysse generosi.
9. p. m. Johanne Byshoppe vidue.
10. p. m. Anne Wykes vidue.
11. p. m. Thome Bonvile armigeri. (*Somers.*)
12. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Dors.*)
13. p. m. Thome Hill generosi.

9 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Coles armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Owini Hebbes.
2. p. m. Roberti Welstede generosi.
3. p. m. Thome Grey generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Newporte nuper de Bridgewater.
5. p. m. Thome Gould de Northover.
6. p. m. Thome Holwall generosi.
7. p. m. Thome Gerrard generosi.
8. p. m. Marmaduci Jenyn.
9. p. m. Johannis Wallys.
10. p. m. Johannis Lyvyng junioris.

10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Harrison armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

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1. p. m. Willielmi Whytinge generosi.

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2. p. m. Johannis Frye.
3. p. m. Henrici Seintbarbe de Ascington in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Newton militis.
5. p. m. Hugonis Bickcombe armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Smethes de Ubley in comitatu Somers. generosi.
7. p. m. Nicholai Cadberye de Wareham in comitatu Dors.
8. p. m. Willielmi Gerarde armigeri.
9. p. m. Henrici Tynburye generosi nuper infra etatem et in custodia domine Regine existentis.
10. p. m. Thome Bowcher generosi.
11. p. m. Edwardi Rogers militis nuper Contrarotulatoris Hospicii domine Regine et unius privati Consilii dicte domine Regine.
12. p. m. Willielmi Hawley armigeri.

11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Stephani Brent armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Balche.
2. p. m. Johannis Roberts yoman.
3. p. m. Georgii Strangweys armigeri.
4. p. m. Jacobi Bysse nuper de Stokelayne in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
5. p. m. Nicholai Williams armigeri.
6. p. m. Anne Williams vidue.
7. p. m. Roberti Williams armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Lyte armigeri.
9. p. m. Edward Gorges, armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Woolfrice generosi.
11. p. m. Willielmi Rosewell generosi.
12. p. m. Johannis Hambridge generosi.
13. p. m. Thome Danett. (*Fragmentum.*)
14. p. m. Johannis Raynes nuper de Foxecote in comitatu Somers. generosi. (*Fragmentum.*)

12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Hugonis Norris armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Chaplyn generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Powle. (2 m.)
3. p. m. Johannis Hawles senioris armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Raynes nuper de Dunyhed in comitatu Somers. generosi.
5. p. m. Roberti Halswell armigeri. (2 m.)
6. p. m. Alexandri Neweton armigeri.
7. p. m. Ricardi Ball.
8. p. m. Johannis Seintbarbe de Ascington in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
9. p. m. Roberti Longe generosi.

13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Nicholai Pawlett armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Pawlett nuper de Gotehurste in comitatu Somers. armigeri.
2. p. m. Edwardi Knollys armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Joneson [vel Johnson] generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Drewe de Charleton Mackerell.
5. p. m. Humfridi Colles armigeri.
6. p. m. Henrici Champneys.
7. p. m. Ricardi Brent armigeri. [4 m.]
8. p. m. Thome Selewood generosi. [2 m.]
9. p. m. Johannis Bowyer nuper de Camerwell in comitatu Surr. armigeri.

15 *Eliz.*—Compotus Leonardi Pennyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Humfridi Beawmont armigeri.
2. p. m. Roberti Coker armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti Bassett armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Ritherdon generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Wake armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Wykes generosi.
7. p. m. Edmundi Haies generosi.
8. p. m. Willielmi Horsey de Martyn in comitatu Wiltes. armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Foster generosi.
10. p. m. Thome Butler de Almer in comitatu Dors.
11. p. m. Johannis Lyte armigeri.
12. p. m. Georgii Farneham de Brodewynsor alias dicti Winsor magna in comitatu Dors. yoman.

18-19 vel 19-20 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Walker armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Dec. 18—18 Dec. 20 Eliz. scilicet per spacium unius anni integri.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

19-20 vel 20-21 *Eliz.*—Compotus ejusdem Johannis Walker armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22-23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Walker armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23-24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Kelway armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Dec. 23—22 Dec. 24 Eliz.—3 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24-25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Chetley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Mar. 24—12 Mar. 25 Eliz.—2 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

25–26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Mawdley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 4 Jan. 25.—4 Jan. 26 Eliz.—3 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

26–27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Hooper armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Dec. 26—18 Dec. 27 Eliz.—2 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi Windham armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 25 Jan. 27—25 Jan. 28 Eliz.—3 m. (*In baga.*)

28–29 *Eliz.*—Compotus Alexandri Ewens armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 28—28 Nov. 29 Eliz.—2 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

29–30 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Carant armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 29 Dec. 29—29 Dec. 30 Eliz.—3 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

30–31 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Evans armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

31–32 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Ewens armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

32–33 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Wyndham armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 14 Jan. 32—14 Nov. 33 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

33–34 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Ewens armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

34–35 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Meere armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

35–36 *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Bodden armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Nov. 35—22 Nov. 36 Eliz.—2 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

[38]-39 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Parsons armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

39–40 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricei Davies armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 23 Nov. 39—[23] Nov. 40 Eliz.—1 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments of various Accounts, consisting of 14 membranes.

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SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY AND WILTSHIRE.

1 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Jacobi Lowther Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Ferys Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Rake Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Ferys Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Cooke armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Milbourne militis. (*Southt.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Poulet. (*Southt.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
5. p. m. Edwardi nuper Vicecomitis Lisle.
6. p. m. Radulphi Banester.
7. p. m. Willielmi Lucy militis.
8. p. m. Johannis Seymour armigeri. (*Southt.*)
9. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
10. p. m. Thome Banaster.

8–10 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Wykes Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Nov. 8—5 Nov. 10 Hen. VII.—35 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johanne Ingaldesthrop.
2. p. m. Katherine domine Stourton. (*Southt.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
4. p. m. Katerine domine la Ware.
5. p. m. Hugonis Assheley.
6. p. m. Johannis Marmyn.
7. p. m. Edmundi Lambard.
8. p. m. Thome Waren.
9. p. m. Katherine nuper uxoris Ricardi West nuper domini la Warr.
10. p. m. Thome Tawke.
11. p. m. Thome Basset.
12. p. m. Johanne Stoner.
13. p. m. Willielmi Stonour militis.
14. p. m. Sanchie Carvannel nuper uxoris Edwardi Dyneley.
15. p. m. Thome Langford.

10 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Uvedale Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

12 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Uvedale Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Uvedale Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Galfridi Dormer Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17–20 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Waren Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Nov. 1—10 Nov. 20 Hen. VII.—10 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. Tam p. m. Edwardi nuper comitis Wiltes quam p.m. Elizabethe nuper uxoris Thome Cheney militis. (17 Hen. VII.)
2. De possessionibus Edmundi Ferrers nuper de Blountesdon Andrewe in comitatu Wiltes. filii et heredis Johannis Ferrers, attincti.
3. p. m. Willielmi Temmyse. (18 Hen. VII.)
4. p. m. Rogeri Fenymore de Chiriell in comitatu [Wiltes.] gentilman.
5. p. m. Thome Dyneley filii et heredis Edwardi Dyneley et Sanchie uxoris ejus.
6. p. m. Domine Johanne Gilbert vidue.
7. p. m. Walteri Daunsy de Trobrige in comitatu [Wiltes.] gentilman.
8. p. m. Georgii Suthill.
9. p. m. Johannis Philpot militis.
10. p. m. Elizabethe que fuit uxor Willielmi Chaworth militis ac nuper uxoris Johannis Dunham armigeri.
11. p. m. Christoferi Tropnell armigeri. (19 Hen. VII.)
12. p. m. Johannis Uffenham.
13. p. m. Elizabethe que fuit uxor Oliveri Seynt John.
14. p. m. Ricardi Wallop armigeri. (*Southt.*)
15. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
16. p. m. Thome Bernardyston militis.
17. p. m. Alexandri Stantor armigeri.
18. p. m. Johanne Bowreman vidue.
19. p. m. Thome Husee senioris armigeri. (*Southt.*)
20. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
21. p. m. Ricardi Fenys nuper de Broughton in comitatu Oxon armigeri.
22. p. m. Willielmi Gunter.

23. p. m. Johannis Grey domini de Powes filii et heredis Johannis Grey nuper domini de Powes militis.
4. p. m. Ricardi Norton.
25. p. m. Johannis Rumsey.
26. p. m. Ricardi Pudsey militis.
27. p. m. Willielmi Lambard. (20 Hen. VII.)
28. p. m. Johannis Blake armigeri. (*Southt.*)
29. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
30. p. m. Ricardi Cuff.
31. p. m. Elizabethe Byconell vidue.
32. p. m. Thome nuper Marchionis Dors.
33. p. m. Nicholai Pistor.

20-24 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Dabriggecourt Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 10 Dec. 20—21 Apr. 24 Hen. VII.—26 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. De manerio de Langleyh Burell cum pertinenciis de quibus Thomas Cobham miles obiit seisitus in anno undecimo Regis Edwardi quarti, proficua cujus manerii Edwardus Borough miles et Anna uxor ejus ceperunt. (20 Hen. VII.)
2. p. m. Johannis Wheteham generosi. (21 Hen. VII.)
3. p. m. Thome Yonge armigeri.
4. p. m. Edwardi Berkeley militis. (*Southt.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
6. p. m. Thome Kyngeston.
7. p. m. Morgani Kydwelly militis.
8. De manerio de Ayshe juxta Basyngstoke in comitatu Southt, proficua cujus Morganus Kydwelle et postea Johanna Kydwelle uxor ejus, perceperunt.
9. p. m. Willielmi Brocas. (22 Hen. VII.)
Item p. m. Alianore Paulet que fuit uxor Johannis Paulet.
10. p. m. Bartholomei Rede. (*Southt.*)
11. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
12. p. m. Margarete Wittonstall nuper uxoris Johannis Cottusmore armigeri que obiit in anno vicesimo secundo Edwardi quarti.
13. p. m. Thome Frowyk militis nuper Capitalis Justiciarii Regis de communi Banco.
14. p. m. Thome Hayne armigeri.
15. p. m. Hugonis Beamount armigeri.
16. p. m. Ricardi Godard. (23 Hen. VII.)
17. p. m. Ricardi Moleyns.
18. p. m. Walteri Escourte.
19. De possessionibus Thome Ive lunatici.

1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Dabriggecourt Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 31 Jul. 1—19 Nov. 1 Hen. VIII.—28 m. (*Fragmentum.*) (*Slightly imperfect.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1-2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Tycheborne Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. [ ] 1—[ ] 2 Hen. VIII.—20 m.—(*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Walteri Ceruyngton.
2. p. m. Margarete Comitisse Richemond et Derb. (*Southt.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
4. p. m. Egidii Daubeney militis nuper domini Daubeney.
5. p. m. Willielmi Thorp ideote nuper defuncti.
6. p. m. Simonis Grene.
7. p. m. Thome Lambard.
8. p. m. Johannis Pounde militis.
9. p. m. Johannis Ludlowe de Faram.
10. p. m. Johannis Melton militis.
11. p. m. Thome Fauconer.
12. p. m. Walteri Estcourte nuper de Westederley in comitatu Sutht. gentilman.
13. Tam p. m. Johannis Bramschott armigeri quam p. m. Elizabethe et Margarete filiarum et heredum dicti Johannis Bramschotte.
14. p. m. Johannis Inkepenne.
15. p. m. Johannis Seymour.
16. De possessionibus Edmundi Dudley attincti. (*Southt.*)
17. De possessionibus ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
18. De possessionibus Ricardi Emson militis attincti. (*Southt.*)
19. De possessionibus ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
20-22. Tria brevia eidem Escaetori directa, &c.

3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Petri Cowdrey armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi atte Mill.
2. p. m. Ricardi Empson militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Kybbell.
4. p. m. Elizabethe Pownde nuper uxoris Johannis Pownd militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Inkepenne.
6. p. m. Thome Tyrell militis.
7. p. m. Willielmi Tysted armigeri.
8. p. m. Philippe Floyer vidue.
9. p. m. Willielmi Troutbek militis.
10. Breve et inquisitio p. m. Johannis Norwode.
11. p. m. Johannis Mompesson.
12. p. m. Willielmi Troutbeke militis.
13. De possessionibus Margarete que fuit uxor Willielmi Chaworth militis lunatice.
14, 15. Duo brevia eidem Escaetori directa.

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3-4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Waller Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 3—26 Nov. 4 Hen. VIII.—31 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Margarete Apsley vidue unius sororum et heredum Willielmi Weston armigeri defuncti.
2. p. m. Willielmi Brune gentilman. (*Southt.*) (*Virtute officio.*)
3. Alia inquisitio p. m. ejusdem. (*Southt.*) (*Virtute brevis de Diem Clausit extremum.*)
4. p. m. Willielmi Rengebourn. (*Southt.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
6. p. m. Johannis Thornburgh. (*Southt.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
8. p. m. Ricardi Lymbery.
9. p. m. Roberti White armigeri.
10. p. m. Ricardi Illingworth.
11. p. m. Egidii Brugge militis.
12. p. m. Walteri Mervyn.
13, 14. De possessionibus Francisci Lovell nuper Vicecomitis Lovell, attincti.

4-5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Norton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Nov. 4—19 Nov. 5 Hen. VIII.—46 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Skyllyng.
2. p. m. Edwardi Ralegh militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Yorke armigeri.
4. p. m. Agnetis Hall alias Nycholas vidue.
5. p. m. Willielmi Coope armigeri.
6. p. m. Mauricii Barkeley armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Langford militis.
8. p. m. Georgii Baynbrig.
9. De manerio de Warblyngton, &c., que Thomas Comes Sar. quondam tenuit et que dominus Rex concessit Willielmo de Arundell militi domino Mautravers et Anne consorti sue anno secundo Regis Hen. VIII.
10. De manerio de Ambresbury et aliis possessionibus de quibus Isabella que fuit uxor Georgii Ducis Clarencie fuit seisita et que descenderunt Edwardo nuper Comiti [Warr.] et postea Margarete Comitisse Richemond.

?5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Bulkeley Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5-6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Ryngwode armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Parker.
2. p. m. Thome Englefyld militis.
3. p. m. Roberti Bulkeley armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Seynt John nuper de Ewell in comitatu Surr. armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Dale.

6-7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Pownde armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 6—9 Nov. 7 Hen. VIII.—26 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Berkeley armigeri.
2. De manerio de Wanborough in comitatu Wiltes. quondam Francisci Lovell militis nuper Vicecomitis Lovell, proficua cujus manerii Johannes Cheyne miles, postea Ricardus Eliot et postremó Edwardus Darell miles perceperunt.

7-8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Ludlowe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Halle nuper de Bradford in comitatu Wiltes. armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis West nuper de Malmesberye in comitatu Wiltes. generosi.
3. p. m. Roberti Blake.
4. p. m. Henrici Bodenham.
5. p. m. Willielmi Capell militis.
6. De maneriis de Broughton Gyfford, et Asheton Gyfford et aliis possessionibus quorum proficua Johanna que fuit uxor Jacobi Audeley militis recepit a tempore mortis viri sui.
7. De possessionibus Francisci Lovell quas Johannes Cheyne miles et alii postea tenuerunt.

8-9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Tvchebourne Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 30 Nov. 8—10 Nov. 9 Hen. VIII.—43 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Nethway.
2. p. m. Guidonis Palmes unius servientium ad legem. (*Southt.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
4. p. m. Johannis Scrope militis.
5. p. m. Anne Seynt Marten vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Brokas armigeri defuncti.
6. p. m. Elizabethe Fitzwaren vidue.
7. p. m. Johannis Criklade.
8. p. m. Roberti Hungerford armigeri.
9. p. m. Cristoferi Wroughton militis.

9-10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Antonii Stileman armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Ralegh militis.
2. p. m. Simonis Wayte.
3. p. m. Willielmi Okeden.
4. p. m. Johanne Drewrey nuper uxoris Willielmi Drewrey armigeri ac filie et heredis Willielmi Seyntmaure militis defuncti. (*Wiltes.*)

5. Alia inquisitio p. m. ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
6. p. m. Johannis Crikelade armigeri.
7. p. m. Ricardi Ogan armigeri.
8. p. m. Anne Seyntmartyn vidue.
9. p. m. Ricardi Pole armigeri.

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Gawen Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. ?13 Nov. 10—14 Nov. 11 Hen. VIII.—39 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Dawtrey militis.
2. p. m. Nicholai Marmyn.
3. p. m. Henrici Milbourn.

12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Whithede armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Coke.

12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Pester [vel Pistour] armigeri Escaetoris in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Ludlow. (*Southt.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
3. p. m. Georgii Whithed armigeri.
4. p. m. Briani Palmes nuper unius servientium ad legem.

13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Ludlowe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 11 Jul. 13—2 Dec. 13 Hen. VIII.—21 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Servyngton armigeri.
2. p. m. Philippi Baynard armigeri. (*Southt.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
4. p. m. Elizabethe Edwardes vidue.
5. p. m. Roberti White armigeri.
6. De possessionibus quas Edwardus Dux Bukyngham nuper de Thornbury in comitatu Glouc. tenuit tempore attinctionis sue viz in anno 4to Hen. VIII. (*Southt.*)
7. De possessionibus ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
8. Breve tangens officium Escaetrie, eidem Willielmo commissum.

13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Antonii Erneley Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Hall armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Dale.
2. p. m. Henrici Milbourn filii et heredis Thome Milbourne militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Halle.
4. p. m. Nicholai Bluet armigeri.
5. p. m. Roberti Thornburgh.
6. p. m. Thome nuper comitis Derb.
7. De possessionibus Prioratus de Bromehall.

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Wayte [vel Wayate] Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—22 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Wylughby domini Broke militis. (2 m.)
2. p. m. Elizabethe Husey que fuit uxor Bartholomei Husey ac nuper uxor Henrici Bodenham.
3. p. m. Roberti Thornburgh armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Coke nuper de Nova Sarum marchaunt. (*Southt.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Chokke armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 3 Dec. 15—23 Nov. 16 Hen. VIII.—19 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Philippe Larder nuper uxoris Johannis Strangeways armigeri.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Warren armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Brent armigeri. (*Southt.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
3. p. m. Isabelle Willyugby. (*Southt.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
5. p. m. Johannis Skyllyng armigeri. (*Southt.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
7. p. m. Warburge Compton nuper uxoris Willielmi Compton militis ac filie et heredis Katerine sororis et heredis Willielmi Barkeley militis. (*Southt.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
9. p. m. Edwardi Raleigh militis.
10. p. m. Thome Busshe.
11. p. m. Thome Champneys.
12. p. m. Johannis Dunham armigeri.
13. p. m. Thome Lucy militis.
14. p. m. Ricardi Brenyng armigeri.
15. p. m. Willielmi Stourton de Stourton militis.
16. p. m. Georgii Rogers armigeri.

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17. p. m. Georgii Twynyho armigeri.
18. p. m. Roberti Mounteagewe.
19. p. m. Thome nuper Comitis Arundell.
20. p. m. Matilde Brent.
21. p. m. Domine Florencie Bourchier nuper uxoris Johannis Bourchier domini de Fytzwaren militis et prius uxoris Humfridi Fulford militis.
22. p. m. Marie Turbervile nuper uxoris Hugonis Turbervile et quondam uxoris Roberti White armigeri.
23. p. m. Willielmi Pounde armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Pounde.
24. p. m. Johannis Paulet militis.

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Vaus [vel Waux] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Waller armigeri.

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Antonii Styleman armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —27 Nov. 18—18 Nov. 19 Hen. VIII.—30 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Clement.
2. p. m. Johannis Gilbert.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Turnour.
4. p. m. Ricardi Pulley.
5. p. m. Johannis Waren armigeri.
6. p. m. Henrici Whitoxmede.
7. p. m. Ricardi Fynnamore.
8. p. m. Matilde Schangton.
9. p. m. Elizabethe West vidue nuper uxoris Willielmi West armigeri preantea uxoris Ricardi Fenys armigeri domini de Say.
10. p. m. Johanne Gold nuper uxoris Elie Gold jam defuncti.
11. Inquisitio capta virtute brevis Regis de Johanne Fetypase inquirendo an fatuus et ideota naturalis sit vel non.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Ryngwood armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Katherine Peter nuper uxoris Henrici Frith.
2. p. m. Willielmi Pistor armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Coke generosi.
4. p. m. Edwardi Baumpfeld armigeri.
5. p. m. Marie Waller nuper uxoris Ricardi Waller.
6. p. m. Johannis Basset militis.
7. p. m. Willielmi Cary nuper de hospicio domini Regis armigeri.
8. p. m. Elizabethe Cervyngton nuper uxoris Willielmi Cervyngton.
9. p. m. Edwardi Morgan armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Gyfford armigeri.
11. De possessionibus Willielmi Gyfford filii et heredis Johannis Gifford armigeri fatui naturalis et idiote.
12. De possessionibus Johannis Seale filii et heredis Roberti Seale nuper de Woodhay in comitatu Southt. fatui naturalis et ideote.

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Christofori Willoughby armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Briani Palmes armigeri filii et heredis Guidonis Palmes unius serviencium Regis ad legem. (*Southt.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
3. p. m. Ricardi Benger armigeri. (*Southt.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
5. p. m. Margarete Hervy vidue filie et heredis Roberti Lygh.
6. p. m. Edwardi Bayntun [vel Baynton] militis.
7. p. m. Edwardi Darrell militis.
8. p. m. Johannis Whyting.

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Wayte armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 30 Nov. 22—28 Nov. 23 Hen. VIII.—2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Carpenter alias dicti Johannis Morecocke.
2. p. m. Thome Horton.
3. p. m. Dorothee Uvedale vidue.
4. p. m. Roberti Aske militis.
5. p. m. Rogeri Frampton armigeri.

23–[24] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Thornehill Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Wyntreshull armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Domine Anne Seyntleger unius filiarum et coheredum domini Thome nuper Comitis Ormond defuncti. (3 m.)
2. p. m. Willielmi Ludelowe.
3. p. m. Johannis Buller armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Iwardby armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Iwardby militis.

25–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Grene armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Laurencii Wadham armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Gummyldon generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Zouche armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Hill armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Maliard.
6. p. m. Johannis Dunham militis.
7. p. m. Johanne Gorge vidue nuper uxoris Simonis Lytelcotte.
8. p. m. Willielmi Ludlowe.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Fawkenour armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Anne Bulkeley vidue.
2. p. m. Ricardi Mylborne armigeri.
3. p. m. Henrici Whyte armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Ludlowe.
6. De terris in Hartham, Yatton, et diversis aliis locis, quas Elizabetha More nuper uxor Gawini More defuncti quæ obiit circa anno ij° Henrici septimi, tenuit.

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Ogden [vel Okeden] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 27—[ ] Nov. 28 Hen. VIII.—25 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Clement de Tysburdy. ("*Hamp.*")
2. p. m. Ejusdem Willielmi Clement de Wylton. (*Wiltes.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Thorneburgh armigeri. (*Southt.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
5. p. m. Roberti Baynarde armigeri. (*Southt.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
7. p. m. Willielmi Brent armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Clement de Hyndon.

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Ticheborne junioris armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Humfridi More armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Audelett armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Dowse.
4. p. m. Henrici White armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Brent armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Norton armigeri.
7. De possessionibus Roberti Aske junioris attincti.

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Grene armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi More armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—5 Dec. 30—5 Dec. 31 Hen. VIII.—17 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Edwardes.
2. p. m. Georgii Turney.
3. p. m. Thome Warneford armigeri.
4. De possessionibus Henrici nuper Marchionis Exon. nuper de West Horkysley alias dicta Horseley in comitatu Surr. attincti.

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Inkepen armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 3 Feb. 32—27 Nov. 33 Hen. VIII.—30 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Rogers armigeri.
2. p. m. Johanne Louther vidue.
3. p. m. Ricardi Aylyff de Scures in comitatu Southt. generosi.
4. p. m. Ricardi Fawconer armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Talke.
6. p. m. Edmundi Fetyplace armigeri.
7. p. m. Petri Philpot militis.
8. p. m. Willielmi Jefson [vel Jesson] generosi.

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Pister armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—11 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Eyer generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Stanter armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti Byrdo generosi.
4. p. m. Petri Dodington armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Beckett generosi.
6. p. m. Nicholai Wylloughby armigeri.
7. p. m. Margarete Burlegh vidue.
8. p. m. Willielmi Uvedale militis.
9. p. m. Thome Warre armigeri.
10. p. m. Marie Lysley nuper uxoris Thome Lysle militis defuncti.
11. p. m. Ricardi Weston militis.
12. p. m. Ricardi Andrewes armigeri.
13. p. m. Marie Lysle.
14. p. m. Georgii Gilbert armigeri.

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35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Wayte Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
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36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Stanton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Tycheborne armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Petri Compton armigeri. (*Southt.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
3. p. m. Edmundi Tame militis.
4. p. m. Edwardi Baynton militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Ryngwood armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Byrde clerici nuper de alta proditione attincti.

38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Pace armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Francisci Butler nuper de Wotton in comitatu Glouc. armigeri.
2. p. m. Nicholai Hame de Escott in comitatu Wiltes.
3. p. m. Georgii Baynham militis.
4. p. m. Ricardi Moggeridge de Langford in comitatu Wiltes.
5. p. m. Johannis Adlam de Penleigh in parochia de Westbery subtus le Playn in comitatu Wiltes.
6. p. m. Johannis Fyssher generosi.
7. p. m. Willielmi Ernely armigeri.
8. p. m. Edwardi Lowen generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Loremer.
10. p. m. Johannis More nuper de Shirfeld super Lodon generosi. (Capta coram Escaetore et Feodario Regis.)
11. p. m. Georgii Ralegh armigeri.
12. p. m. Johannis Ludlowe nuper de Fareham in comitatu Southt. armigeri.
13. p. m. Johannis Wyntreshull armigeri.

1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Whyte armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Chaffyn armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—22 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Nicholai Vaux armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Tropnell armigeri.
2. p. m. Anthonii Browne militis. (2 m.)
3. p. m. Thome Knyght armigeri.

5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Henrici Clifford Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5–6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Pace armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 11 Nov. 5—20 Nov. 6 Edw. VI.—40 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 *Mar.*—Compotus Thome Shelley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 *Mar.*—1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Barwyk armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 1—8 Dec. 1 and 2 Ph. & Mar.—35 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Petri Kydwelly armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 8 Nov. 1 and 2—18 Nov. 2 and 3 Ph. and Mar. per unum annum integrum.—39 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Bereughe generosi. (*Southt.*) (*Virtute brevis de Mandamus.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Southt.*) (*Virtute brevis de Melius Inquirendum.*)
3. p. m. Thome West militis domini Lawar. (*Southt.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
5. p. m. Nicholai Tycheborne armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Westbroke.
7. p. m. Johannis Bonham militis.
8. p. m. Johannis Batten generosi.
9. p. m. Edmundi Mompesson alias dicti Edmundi Mompysson alias dicti Edmundi Mountpynson armigeri. (5 m.)
10. p. m. Egidii Davys filii Thome Davys.
11. p. m. Johannis Causton husbandman.
12. p. m. Thome Barkeley domini Barkeley Mowbrey et Segrave filii et heredis Thome Barkeley militis domini Barkeley Mowbrey et Segrave defuncti.
13. p. m. Thome Packer.
14. p. m. Domine Johanne Dudley vidue nuper Ducisse Northumbr. (*Southt.*)
15. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Wiltes.*)
16. p. m. Nicholai Cervington armigeri. (2 m.)

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Georgii Dawbridgecourt [vel Dapscote] armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Kingesmyll militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Myll generosi.
3. p. m. Roberti Smyth nuper de Cossam in comitatu Wiltes. clotheman.
4. p. m. Ricardi Maurison militis.
5. p. m. Thome Morrys senioris generosi.
6. p. m. Ricardi Poole.

3 and 4—4 and 5—*Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Christoferi Willoughby armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—37 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Cotton militis.
2. p. m. Nicholai Deringe de Stanstede in comitatu Sussex armigeri.
3. p. m. Augustini Whithedd de Tichebourne in comitatu Southt. generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Lamberte civis et aldermanni London.
5. p. m. Johannis Aylyffe militis.
6. p. m. Katerine Baseley quondam uxoris Willielmi Stump armigeri.
7. p. m. Henrici Longe nuper de Draycott Cerne militis.
8. p. m. Johannis Brigge militis domini Chandos.
9. p. m. Ambrosii Dauntesey armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Erneley armigeri.
11. p. m. Johannis Goddarde senioris generosi.

4 and 5—5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Johannis Eyre armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Bainbridge generosi.
2. p. m. Nicholai Twyne de Northwaltam in comitatu Southt.
3. p. m. Prenobilis viri Edwardi Ducis Somers. (2 m.)
4. p. m. Ricardi Kyrton armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Kempson yoman.
6. p. m. Johannis Pescode de Newton Valens in comitatu Southt. yoman.

1-[2] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Busshe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 14 Feb. 1—[. . . 2] Eliz.—67 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Brydges nuper de West Shifford in comitatu Berk. militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Saynsebury.
3. p. m. Willielmi Fawconer armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Brynd.
5. p. m. Johannis Gilbert.
6. p. m. Ricardi Cooper de Durington in comitatu Wiltes. husbondman.
7. p. m. Roberti Whitaker alias Bathe nuper de Bysshoppystrowe in comitatu Wiltes. generosi (*virtute brevis de Diem Clausit Extremum*). (*Wiltes.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem (*virtute brevis de Melius*).
9. p. m. Roberti Hame.
10. p. m. Walteri Skilling armigeri.
11. p. m. Radulphi Harvie yoman.
12. p. m. Ricardi Bellott armigeri.
13. p. m. Thome Baylye.
14. p. m. Ricardi Longe de Lynham generosi.
15. p. m. Virgilii Pledall.
16. p. m. Johannis Dawntesey armigeri.
17. p. m. Willielmi Pound armigeri.
18. p. m. Johannis Adee yoman.
19. p. m. Henrici Longe clotheman
20. p. m. Johannis Wogan armigeri.
21. p. m. Johannis Bonham armigeri.
22. p. m. Christoferi Baylye generosi.
23. p. m. Anthonii Hungerford militis.
24. p. m. Willielmi Wroughton de Brodehenton in comitatu Wiltes. militis.
25. p. m. Willielmi Twine de Norton in comitatu Southt. yoman.
26. p. m. Egidii Worsley. (*Southt.*)
27. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Southt.*)
28. p. m. Francisci Flemyng militis.
29. p. m. Thome Hobson generosi.
30. p. m. Johannis Dowce de Morecourt in comitatu Southt. armigeri.
31. p. m. Nicholai Bowreman generosi.
32. p. m. Thome Edwardes generosi.
33. p. m. Georgii Daberichcorte.
34. p. m. Margarete Tycheborne.
35. p. m. Arthuri Sendye generosi et Edithe Sendye nuper uxoris Arthuri Sendye generosi nuper defuncti.
36. p. m. Nicholai Bonham armigeri.
37. p. m. Johannis Tucker.
38. p. m. Willielmi Gawen armigeri.

2-3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Chaundelor armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 2—15 Nov. 3 Eliz.—123 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Knyght filii et heredis Thome Knyght in custodia Regine nuper existentis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Trenchard armigeri.
3. p. m. Nicholai Adee yoman.
4. p. m. Johannis Salmon.
5. p. m. Thome Pace armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Adee generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Okeden armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Fitzwilliams militis.
9. p. m. Johannis Brune militis.
10. p. m. Thome Sandes domini Sandes.

3-[4] *Eliz.*—Compotus Nicholai Pyrry armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

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4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Tiderleigh armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus.—36 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Worth de Dauntesy in comitatu Wiltes. generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Hidde [vel Hide] generosi.
3. p. m. Willielmi Stone.
4. p. m. Thome Pile generosi.
5. p. m. Roberti Byngham armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Bayly clothman.
7. p. m. Ricardi Webbe generosi.
8. p. m. Johannis Hedges generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Horsey armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Cooper de Ablington yoman.
11. p. m. Thome Long de Trowbridge in comitatu Wiltes. generosi.
12. p. m. Ricardi Lyght generosi.
13. p. m. Roberti Longe generosi.
14. p. m. Egidii Goore de Alderton in comitatu Wiltes. armigeri.
15. p. m. Leonardi Westeley generosi.
16. p. m. Simonis Adee.
17. p. m. Johannis Brinde generosi.
18. p. m. Ambrosii Dawntesey armigeri.

5–6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Dowse armigeri Escaetoris Regine . . . . . 5–24 Nov. 6 Eliz. —53 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Simonis Clarke mercer.
2. p. m. Johannis Twyne.
3. p. m. Edmundi Foster generosi.
4. p. m. Philippi Ryve nuper de Tychefyld in comitatu Southt. yoman.
5. p. m. Johannis Androse.
6. p. m. Willielmi Gifford generosi nuper naturalis fatui et ideote existentis.
7. p. m. Jane Temmes vidue nuper uxoris Roberti Temmes armigeri defuncti et antea uxoris Willielmi Ludlowe armigeri defuncti.
8. p. m. Henrici Lovell generosi.
9. p. m. Thome Twyne de Shaldon in comitatu Southt. generosi.
10. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxor Ricardi Ryman et unius filiarum et heredum Willielmi Tawke defuncti.

6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Hooper armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Chaundelour generosi.
2. p. m. Michaelis Skotte de Amesbury in comitatu Wiltes. mercer.
3. p. m. Johannis Warneforde armigeri.

7 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Rede armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Francisci Ticheborn armigeri.
2. p. m. Ricardi Worsleye armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Trigge.
4. p. m. Roberti White armigeri.

8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Brabon armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Stanesby generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Jones de Kevell in comitatu Wiltes. clothiar.
3. p. m. Edwardi Ferrers nuper de Badesley Clynton in comitatu Warr. armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Horton nuper de Westewood in comitatu Wiltes. generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Twyne de Wonston in comitatu Southt. yoman.
6. p. m. Thome White de Southwarnborne in comitatu Southt. militis.

[9]-[10] *Eliz.*—Compotus Cristoferi Doddyngton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [9]—[10] Eliz.—62 m.

[*The new Escheats for Wiltes. wanting.*]

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Germani Richardes de Yeverlond in Insula Vecta in comitatu Southt. generosi.
2. p. m. Georgii Mille armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Worsley armigeri. (2 m.)

12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Lawrence generosi Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Henrici Tucker nuper de Maddington in comitatu Wiltes. yoman.
2. p. m. Edmundi Salmon de Barton Sasey in comitatu Southt. generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Wythers yoman.
4. p. m. Ricardi Lambert de Haseley in parochia de Twyford in comitatu Southt. generosi.
5. p. m. Henrici Stone filii et heredis Willielmi Stone.
6. p. m. Thome Chace yoman.

13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Michelborne armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Caroli Tucker.
2. p. m. Christoferi Willoughbie armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Sadler de Chylton in parochia de Wroughton in comitatu Wiltes. yoman.

14 *Eliz.*—Compotus Nicholai Pawlett armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Sadler.
2. p. m. Johannis Sturges armigeri.

3. p. m. Thome Goddard generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Ernell [vel Ernele] armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Samborne nuper de Tymmesborowe in comitatu Somerset armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Hooper armigeri.
7. p. m. Ricardi Pescode generosi.

[15-16] *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Foster armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

16-17 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Frankelin armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 8 Nov. 16—8 Nov. 17 Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[17-18] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Clarke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

21-22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Anthonii Godderd armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 24 Jan. 21—29 Feb. 22 Eliz.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

22-23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Noyse armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23-24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Mompessen armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 21 Dec. 23—21 Dec. 24 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

24-25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Snell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Feb. 24—4 Feb. 25 Eliz.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

25-26 *Eliz.*—Compotus Stephani Duckett armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 4 Feb. 25—21 Mar. 26 Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[26] *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Beckenshawe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27-28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Mompesson armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 2 Dec. 27—22 Dec. 28 Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[28-29] *Eliz.*—Compotus Leonor Milles armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[32-33?] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Miners armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33-34 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Clarke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Dec. 33—13 Dec. 34 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[34-35] *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Broke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[35-36] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Mathewe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

36-37 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Cheeke armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 36—27 Nov. 37 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

37-38 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Nicholas armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 23 Nov. 37—23 Nov. 38 *Eliz.*—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

38-39 *Eliz.*—Compotus Dorothee Crane et aliorum executorum Thome Crane armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 38—27 Nov. 39 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[41-42] *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Kingswell Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

42-43 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Kingswell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 42—27 Nov. 43 Eliz.—1 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[43-44] *Eliz.*—Compotus Jacobi Leae Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments of Accounts, consisting of 32 membranes.

TOWN OF SOUTHAMPTON.

Town of Southampton.

11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Dey Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Johannis Dawtrey militis.

15-16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Maior Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

16-17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Percher Majoris et Escaetoris Regis in eadem villa a festo sancti Michaelis anno 16 usque idem festum anno 17 Hen. VIII.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Willielmi Pound armigeri filii et heredis Johannis Pound militis.

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STAFFORDSHIRE.

1–2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Harper senioris Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 5 Nov. 1—5 Nov. 2 Hen. VII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Domine Margarete Harecourt vidue.
2. De possessionibus Francisci Lovell nuper Vicecomitis Lovell.

2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Roberti Mersshe Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

3 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Woodshawe Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Gower militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Roggers nuper de Fryfolk in comitatu Suth. armigeri.

8 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Lodowici Lloyt Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Humfridi Salwey.

9–13 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Edwardi Fowke clerici filii et heredis Willielmi Fowke defuncti Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 5 Nov. 9—5 Nov. 13 Hen. VII.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

14 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Edwardi Knyght Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
De possessionibus Johannis Hill de Wolverhampton in comitatu Staff. baker felonis.

17–24 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Wildecote Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Wynnesbury. (17 Hen. VII.)
2. p. m. Transcriptum ejusdem inquisitionis.
3. p. m. Nicholai Knyfton junioris de Mircaston.
4. p. m. Transcriptum ejusdem.
5. p. m. Thome Meverell armigeri. (18 Hen. VII.)
6. p. m. Roberti Broke militis domini de Broke.
7. p. m. Cecilie nuper uxoris Johannis Josselyn armigeri. (19 Hen. VII.)
8. p. m. Ricardi Coton. (20 Hen. VII.)
9. p. m. Radulphi Wolseley nuper de Wolseley armigeri.
10. p. m. Thome Gresley militis.
11. p. m. Ricardi Heylyn.
12. p. m. Johannis Higford armigeri.
13. p. m. Hugonis Egerton armigeri. (21 Hen. VII.)
14. p. m. Ricardi Arblaster armigeri.
15. p. m. Thome Brocton.
16. p. m. Johannis Harwell.
17. p m. Humfridi Swynnerton armigeri.
18. p. m. Ricardi Bedyll.
19. p. m. Henrici Strangways armigeri.
20. p. m. Johannis Trussell filii et heredis Edwardi Trussell armigeri. (22 Hen. VII.)
21. p. m. Willielmi Basset armigeri.
22. p. m. Roberti Wittelbery armigeri.
23. p. m. Thome Audeley armigeri. (23 Hen. VII.)
24. p. m. Willielmi Littelton militis. (24 Hen. VIII.)
25. p. m. Thome Heth.

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Harecourt armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Wyttilbury armigeri.
2. Transcriptum ejusdem (paper).
3. p. m. Thome Elyngbrigge et Johannis Elynbrigge. (De manerio de Aspley etc.)
4. p. m. Hugonis Erdeswyke filii et heredis Hugonis Erdeswyke armigeri nuper de Sondon in comitatu Staff.
5. p. m. Margarete nuper Comitisse Richemond.
6. De possessionibus Johannis Smithe ideote filii et heredis Ricardi Smythe nuper de Weddysbury in dicto comitatu.
7. De possessionibus Ricardi Emson et Edmundi Dudley de alta proditione attinctorum.

3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Asteley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Wirley armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Harecourt.

4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Swynerton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Clare Leycestre.
2. p. m. Walteri Lyveson.
3. p. m. Johannis Ferrers militis.

5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Wellys Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Humfridi Stanley militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Mountgomery militis.
3. p. m. Thome Salwey.

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Strethay Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 11 Nov. 5—7 Nov. 6 Hen. VIII.—9 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Wylkes armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Hyll de Blore.
2. p. m. Katerine Audeley vidue nuper uxoris Thome Audeley armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Fitz William.

[7]–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Egerton armigeri Escaetoris ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Simonis Rugeley.
2. De possessionibus Willielmi Sare alias Sareson de Castell Bromwich in comitatu Warr. fatui.

[8]–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Beresford Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Ricardi Lane armigeri.

10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Lyttelton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Stokley generosi.
2. p. m. Ranulphi Egerton armigeri.
3. p. m. Eustachii Fitzherbert gentilman.
4. p. m. Johannis Eggerton armigeri.
5. p. m. Radulphi Mountgomery.

11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Kynnersley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Sapurton.
2. p. m. Thome Meverell.
3. p. m. Antonii Stokeley.

12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Cumberford armigeri Escaetoris ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Brocton generosi.
2. p. m. Roberti Sheffeld militis.

13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Partriche armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Greysley militis.
2. De possessionibus Francisci Lovell militis nuper domini Lovell attincti viz. in anno primo Hen. VII.
3. De possessionibus Edwardi Ducis Bukingham nuper de Thornbury in comitatu Glouc. attincti.

14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Vernon Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Draycott militis.
2. p. m. Ranulphi Gravenor armigeri.

15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Asteley Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Harper.
2. p. m. Johannis Aston militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Berisford generosi.
4. p. m. Beatricis Hussey vidue.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Gyfford armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Willoughby de Broke militis.
2. p. m. Edwardi Rawleygh militis.
3. p. m. Ricardi Perssall gentilman.
4. p. m. Mauricii Berkeley de Wymondham in comitatu Leicestr militis.
5. De murdero et felonia per Beatricem Milnes nuper de Blythebury spynster et Nicholaum Robynson nuper de eadem villa yoman factis et de possessionibus ejusdem Nicholai.

17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Kynnersley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Georgii Colwiche generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Blount militis.
3. p. m. Elene Stanley vidue.
4. De possessionibus monasterii de Canwell dissoluti.
5. De possessionibus Prioratus de Sandewell dissoluti.

18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Parteriche armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johanne Aston vidue.
2. p. m. Willielmi Fitzwilliam filii et heredis Thome Fitzwilliam de Aldewarke in comitatu Ebor. armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Josselyn armigeri.

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Asteley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Georgii Meverell armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Savage senioris militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Whorwood armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Cotes armigeri.
5. De possessionibus prioratus de Farewell dissoluti.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Walteri Wrotesley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Salway filii et heredis Humfridi Salwey.

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Skrymsher Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Savage militis.

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2. p. m. Johannis Skevyngton militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Egerton armigeri.
4. p. m. Edwardi Grey militis.
5. p. m. Alicie Lyttelton vidue.
6. p. m. Johannis Wellys.
7. p. m. Thome Whalley.
8. De possessionibus in Oldyngton in comitatu Staff. quas Johannis Kenerton de Appullton in comitatu Berk. yoman alias dictus Johannes Tubney de Appulton yoman tenuit tempore utlegationis sue.

22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Philippi Draycott Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Wolseley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Frost armigeri.
2. p. m. Roberti Barbur armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Parteryche armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Blount militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Fitzherbert de Norbury armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Asteley armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Sprott generosi.

24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Chetewyne armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Sheffeld militis.
2. p. m. Walteri Gryffith militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Lyttelton armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Hussy generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Staunford.

25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Walteri Wrottesley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Lodowici Meverell.
2. p. m. Johannis Mitton armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Antwysell.
4. p. m. Domine Anne Seyntleger unius filiarum et co-heredum domini Thome nuper Comitis Ormund defuncti. (3 m.)
5. De possessionibus prioratus de Calewiche dissoluti.

26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Harrecourt armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Humfridi Wolrich.
2. p. m. Johannis Stanley armigeri.
3. p. m. Lodowici Bagott militis.

28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Skrymsher armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Hall de Overcastoren.

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Thyrkell armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ranulphi Brereton militis.
2. Transcriptum ejusdem.
3. p. m. Willielmi Blount militis nuper domini Mowntjoye.

30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Gifford armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Humfridi Okeuer armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Wolriche armigeri.

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Bedyll armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Mundy militis nuper civis et aldermanni London.
2. p. m. Fraunciscí Cokayn armigeri.
3. p. m. Antonii Fitzherbert militis nuper unius Justiciariorum Regis de communi Banco.

32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Wolseley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Kynersley de Loxley armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Comberford armigeri.

34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Humfridi Mynor armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Peytoo nuper de Chesterton in comitatu Warr. senioris armigeri.

35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Samsonis Erdisweke armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Rolandi Lee nuper Covent. et Lich. episcopi.
2. p. m. Johannis Haywoodde de Stonyloe in comitatu Staff. generosi.

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Humfridi Welles armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Humfridi Mynors generosi.
2. p. m. Roberti Barresford generosi.
3. p. m. Galfridi Walkeden.
4. p. m. Johannis Colclough generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Harecourte armigeri.
6. p. m. Elizabethe Hollys vidue nuper uxoris Willielmi Hollys militis defuncti.

3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Otteley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Cokes.
2. p. m. Dorothee Egerton nuper uxoris Ricardi Egerton militis.

4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ricardi Bedell Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Briani Fowler armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Francisci Repyngton nuper de Parva Amyngton in comitatu Warr. armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Skevyngton armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Skrymsher armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Whytgreve armigeri.

5–6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Humfridi Welles armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 11 Nov. 5—20 Nov. 6 Edw. VI.—15 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Matilde Fitharbert consanguinee et unius heredum Elizabethe Cotton.
2. p. m. Ricardi Clerkson generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Bradoke armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Dowis armigeri.
5. p. m. Cecilie Stanley vidue.
6. p. m. Ricardi Bidulfe armigeri.
7. p. m. Germani Pole armigeri.

6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Otteley armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

3 and 4—4 and 5 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Humfridi Welles armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Davidis Cawarden armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Gyfforde militis.
3. p. m. Thome Vernon.
4. p. m. Ricardi Huddulston armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Porte militis.
6. p. m. Francisci Stanley armigeri.

1–2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Humfridi Swynnerton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Trayford generosi.
2. p. m. Philippi Draycott militis.
3. p. m. Walteri Vicecomitis Hereford domini Ferrers et de Chartley. (2 m.)
4. p. m. Roberti Broke militis nuper capitalis Justicarii Regis et Regine de Communi Banco.
5. p. m. Galfridi Foljambe armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Wilbram nuper de Woodhey in comitatu Cestr. armigeri.
7. p. m. Georgii Griffith militis.
8. p. m. Ricardi Creswell generosi.
9. p. m. Elene Basset vidue nuper uxoris Willielmi Basset militis et quondam uxoris Johannis Cotes armigeri defuncti.
10. p. m. Thome Woode armigeri.
11. p. m. Laurentii Rolston armigeri.

2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi James armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Gifford militis. (3 m.)
2. p. m. Thome Grey armigeri.

9? *Eliz.*—Compotus Humfridi . . . . . Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Georgii Wood armigeri.

12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Mathei Morton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edwardi Mynors armigeri.

14 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Mountforde armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Staunford armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Eggerton armigeri.

14 *Eliz.*—Compotus Francisci Dauntesey armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Edwardi Staunford.

[21]–22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Unwinne armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

22–23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Moreton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 1 Mar. 22—1 Mar. 23 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

22–[24] *Eliz.*—Compotus Godefridi Fulljambe armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

28–29 *aut* 29–30 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Barber armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 20 Jan. 29*—20 Jan. *29 Eliz. scilicet per spacium unius anni integri.—1 m. (*In baga.*)

38–39 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Greene generosi Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

39–40 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Mytton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 6 Feb. 39—6 Feb. 40 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

Besides the above Accounts, there are fragments, consisting of two membranes.

* Sic.

Appendix II.

1. Ancient Compotuses of the Exchequer.

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Surrey and Sussex.

SURREY AND SUSSEX.

1–2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Edwardi Lewkenore Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2*–4 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Rote Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Nov. 2—11 Nov. 4 Hen. VII.—29 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Hoo.
2. p. m. Roberti Wyntershill.
3. p. m. Agnetis at Hyll vidue.
4. p. m. Katerine Harecourte.
5. p. m. Johannis Ludlowe. (*Surr.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Sussex.*)
7. p. m. Domine Elizabethe nuper uxoris Georgii Browne militis defuncti. (*Surr.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Sussex.*)
9. p. m. Anne relicte Johannis Nevil militis.
10. p. m. Elizabethe Uvedale.
11. p. m. Thome Rogers.
12. p. m. Henrici Belknap. [*Very much injured.*]
13. Inquisitio de possessionibus Johannis Comitis Lincoln. attincti.
14. Inquisitio de possessionibus Humfridi Stafford attincti.
15. Surr. et Sussex.—Bona et catalla utlagatorum felonum et attinctorum in com. Sussex. et Surr. per Thomam Rote Escaetorem in com. predictis tempore quo fuit Escaetor ibidem in manum Regis capta et seisita.

4–5 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Asheby Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

7–9 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Gilberti Stocton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Nov. 7—5 Nov. 9 Hen. VII.—24 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

9, 10, and 11 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Twygge Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Cok nuper de Lewys. (ann. 9.)
2. p. m. Willielmi Covert. (ann. 10.)
3. p. m. Willielmi Marston nuper de Horton in comitatu Surr. armigeri. (ann. 11.)

13–14 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Henrici Coton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Harecurte militis.
2. p. m. Willielmi Birstowe nuper de Suthwerk bruer.

14–15 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Anthonii Forde Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi at Lee.
2. p. m. Radulphi Agmondesham. (*Surr.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Sussex.*)
4. p. m. Willielmi Fyssher armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Skynner.
6. p. m. Johannis Mathue nuper aldermanni London.
7. p. m. Willielmi Gage.
8. p. m. Philippi Agmondesham nuper civis et merceri London.
9. Inquisitio de possessionibus Ricardi Charleton militis de alta prodicione attincti.
10. Inquisitio de possessionibus Abbatie sive Monasterii de Berkyng in comitatu Essex.
11. Bona et catalla utlagatorum et felonum que devenerunt ad manus Antonii Forde nuper Escaetoris Regis in comitatibus Surr. et Sussex.

15–16 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Wodye Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Nov. 15—5 Nov. 16 Hen. VII.—12 m. [*Fragmentum.*]
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Andree Dymmok.
2. p. m. Ricardi Ardern.
3. p. m. Radulphi Comitis Westmerl.
4. p. m. Inquisitio de possessionibus Thome Hornecastell clerici.
5. Bona et catalla Domino Regi forisfacta.

18 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Breme Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Jope.
2. p. m. Ricardi Bolney nuper de Bolney in com. Suss. generosi.

21–22 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Willielmi Tyndall Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Nicholai Alwyn nuper civis et aldermanni London.
2. p. m. Bartholomei Rede militis.
3. p. m. Thome Elmebrigge armigeri.
4. p. m. Ejusdem.
5. p. m. Roberti Skerne de Kyngeston super Thamisiam in comitatu Surr. armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Holgrave filii et heredis Johannis Holgrave.
7. p. m. Ricardi Merlond.

* In the old Calendar, John Beawfitz occurs as Escheator between Lewkenore and Rote, viz. 2–3 Hen. VII.

8. p. m. Henrici Lovell nuper de Hartyng in comitatu Sussex armigeri.
9. Inquisitio de manerio de Hammesey alias dicto manerio de Hammes et Hevynstrete in comitatu Sussex.

1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Tyndall Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Bolokherd.
2. p. m. Willielmi Byne.
3. p. m. tam Thome Elingbrigge armigeri quam Johannis Elingbrigge fil. et her. ejusdem.
4. Inquisitio de terris datis Mysterie de Tallow Chaundelers London.

2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Dautry armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. Inquisitio de possessionibus Edmundi Dudley armigeri de alta prodicione attincti. [*Copy on paper.*]

2-3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Radulphi Belyngeham Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 2—28 Nov. 3 Hen. VIII.—19 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Nicholai Ashton armigeri filii et heredis Edwardi Ashton armigeri.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Pownd nuper uxoris Johannis Pownd militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Gounter nuper de Chilworth in comitatu Surr. armigeri.

3-4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Stydolf Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 3—26 Nov. 4 Hen. VIII.—25 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Illingworth senioris.
2. p. m. Margarete Appesley vidue unius sororum et heredum Willielmi Weston armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Merston.
4. p. m. Johannis Aston armigeri.
5. Inquisitio de terris in Bermondsey nuper Valentini Dryland per abbatem de Barmondesey emptis.

4-5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Thetcher Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5-6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Gage Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

6-7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Wyntershull armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 6—12 Nov. 7 Hen. VIII.—18 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Purwiche.
2. p. m. Edwardi Elryngton armigeri.
3. p. m. Wynchardi Harbotell.
4. Inquisitio de possessionibus Petri Graunt ideote.
[*In baga cum Rotulo.*]

7-8 *Hen VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Saunder Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 2 Nov. 7—12 Nov. 8 Hen. VIII.—21 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Heron.
2. p. m. Ricardi Welbek.
3. p. m. Thome Pelham armigeri.
4. p. m. Roberti Morley armigeri.
5. Inquisitio de terris et tenementis Francisci Lovell militis nuper Domini Lovell de alta prodicione attincti.
6. Inquisitio de ideocia Johannis Compton.

8-9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Gaynesford Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 10 Nov. 8—9 Nov. 9 Hen. VIII.—14 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Morton armigeri.
2. p. m. Wichardi Harebotell armigeri.
3. Inquisitio de terris Willielmi Merston.
[*In baga cum Rotulo.*]

9-10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Chaloner Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 10 Nov. 9-10 Nov. 10 Hen. VIII.—12 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

10-11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Lee Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11-12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Lussher Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 14 Nov. 11—16 Nov. 12 Hen. VIII.—27 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Byne.
2. p. m. Humfridi Hiberden.
3. p. m. Johannis Ernele militis Capitalis Justiciarii Domini Regis de Communi Banco.
4. p. m. Ricardi Carewe militis.
5. Schedula de bonis et catallis utlagatorum et felonum.
[*In baga cum Rotulo.*]

12-13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Lovett armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti White armigeri.
2. p. m. Margarete nuper Comitisse Richemond.
3. p. m. Edwardi Belknap militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Erneley militis.
5. Inquisicio de terris Edwardi nuper Ducis Buckingham attincti.

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13–14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Elie Prestall armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Cutte militis.
2. p. m. Thome comitis Derb. filii Georgii Stanley militis domini de Straunge.
3. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii de Bromehall. (*Surr.*)
4. Inquisitio de possessionibus ejusdem Monasterii. (*Sussex.*)

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Lewknor armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Comitis Derb. filii Georgii Stanley militis domini le Strange.
2. p. m. Johannis Aston militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Lee de Stockwell in comitatu Surr. militis.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Scardefield armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Lovell militis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Adams gentilman.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Heron armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Thatcher armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 24 Nov. 17—24 Nov. 18 Hen. VIII.—27 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Englys.
2. p. m. Thome West militis domini La War.
3. p. m. Johannis Cooke senioris nuper de London civis et pelliparii.
4. p. m. Thome Fenys militis.
5. p. m. Henrici Torell armigeri filii et heredis Humfridi Torell armigeri.
6. p. m. Caroli comitis Wigorn.
[*In baga cum Rotulo.*]

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Burton executoris testamenti Roberti Burton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 18—18 Nov. 19 Hen. VIII.—16 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edwardi nuper Ducis Buck.
2. p. m. Edmundi Threle armigeri.
3. p. m. Elizabethe Shelley nuper uxoris Johannis Shelley armigeri filie et heredis Johannis Michelgrove alias dicti Johannis Fawkenor armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Shelley armigeri.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Tufton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 19—5 Dec. 20 Hen. VIII.—18 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edwardi Borowe militis. (*Surr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Sussex.*)
3. p. m. Georgii Harbotell filii et heredis Wichardi Harbotell.
4. p. m. Roberti Burton de Burne gentilman.
5. Inquisitio de possessionibus Thome Loke ideote filii Thome Loke.
6. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii sive Abbathiæ Canonicorum Regularium Sancti Augustini Lyesnes in comitatu Kanc.
7. Inquisitio de possessionibus Monasterii sive Prioratus Canonicorum Regularium ordinis Sancti Augustini in Tonbridge in comitatu Kanc.

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Mychell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Dec. 20—15 Nov. 21 Hen. VIII.—21 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Stidolf armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 15 Nov. 21—23 Nov. 22 Hen. VIII.—13 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Sondes armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Slyffeld nuper de Magna-Bukham in comitatu Surr. armigeri.
3. Inquisicio capta virtute brevis Regis "de inquirendo pro ipso Rege si Willielmus Assheton "filius et heres Nicholai Assheton in eodem brevi nominatus est ac a nativitate sua fuit fatuus "naturalis necne."

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Muschamp armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 19 Nov. 22—23 Nov. 23 Hen. VIII.—15 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Aske militis.
2. p. m. Godardi Oxenbrige militis.

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Radulphi Vine armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 23 Nov. 23—18 Nov. 24 Hen. VIII.—17 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Scott senioris armigeri.
2. p. m. Radulphi Belyngham armigeri.
3. Inquisitio de decasu mesuagii in tenura Johannis Ledys de Wappingthorne in parochia de Steyning in comitatu Sussex generosi contra statutum 2 Hen. VII.
4. Inquisitio de occupacione Ecclesie Parochialis de Wasshyngton in comitatu Sussex. per Robertum Wilson contra formam statuti 21 Hen. VIII.
5. Inquisicio de occupacione Ecclesie Parochialis de Pagham per Alexandrum Shaw contra formam statuti 21 Hen. VIII.

24–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Creswell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

25–26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Danielis Mugge armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —4 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Fenys militis nuper Domini Dacre.

26–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Gunter armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 26—26 Nov. 27 Hen. VIII.—15 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Wellys.
2. p. m. Johannis Levett.
3. p. m. Inquisitio de tertia parte advocacionis Ecclesie de Torryngnevell data Prioratui de Lewes.

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Burley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Nov. 27—26 Nov. 28 Hen. VIII.—16 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Rede armigeri.

28–29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Ledys armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Heron armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Nov. 29—5 Dec. 30 Hen. VIII.—15 m.

1. p. m. Thome Monoux.
2. p. m. Oliveri Knyght quondam de Micheham in com. Surr.

30–31 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Jacobi Burton armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Kentysley.
2. p. m. Inquisitio de possessionibus Nicholai Carewe nuper de Bedington in comitatu Surr. militis alias dicti Nicholai Carewe nuper de villa Westm. in comitatu Midd. militis de alta prodicione attincti.
3. p. m. Inquisitio de possessionibus Henrici nuper Marchionis Exoñ de alta prodicione attincti.

31–32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Bedon armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 2 Dec. 31—26 Jan. 32 Hen. VIII.—17 m.

1. p. m. Nicholai Whytt generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Oxenbrigge armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Danaster nuper de Chabham in comitatu Surr. armigeri.
4. p. m. Nicholai Tufton armigeri.
5. p. m. Thome Walshe generosi.

32–33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Gunter armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Sakevile armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Stephani Frenche.
2. p. m. Georgii Stephens.
3. p. m. Ricardi Prymer.
4. p. m. Roberti Haule.
5. p. m. Quintini Sevior.
6. p. m. Georgii Putnam militis.
7. p. m. Willielmi Paye.
8. p. m. Thome Gerard.
9. p. m. Georgii Cheseman.
10. p. m. Johannis Bray de Westden generosi.
11. p. m. Thome Selwyn de Fryston generosi.
12. p. m. Johannis Taillour.
13. p. m. Ricardi Cooke de Felde.
14. p. m. Thome Bysshop.
15. p. m. Roberti Pyper.
16. p. m. Johannis Colyn.
17. p. m. Willielmi Muschampe nuper de Peckham in comitatu Surr. (*Sussex.*)
18. p. m. Ejusdem armigeri. (*Surr.*)
19. p. m. Ricardi Shirley militis.
20. p. m. Edwardi Pyers generosi.
21. p. m. Ricardi Bolokeherde.
22. p. m. Ricardi Hollyer.
23. p. m. Thome Widerishe.
24. p. m. Johannis Boyer de Hartfeld in comitatu Sussex. yoman.
25. p. m. Roberti Bacheler.
26. p. m. Johannis Ellis de Nenfeld in comitatu Sussex.
27. p. m. Ricardi Knight.
28. p. m. Thome Hidney.
29. p. m. Roberti Fuller.
30. p. m. Thome Chamber.
31. p. m. Johannis Parham.
32. p. m. Thome Thaccher.
33. p. m. Ricardi Devenysshe armigeri.
34. p. m. Johannis Burdevyle.
35. p. m. Willielmi Sayer.
36. p. m. Willielmi Haye.

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37. p. m. Thome Tysehurst.
38. p. m. Johannis Gratewike.
39. p. m. Ricardi Ryman generosi.
40. p. m. Cristoferi Diconson.
41. p. m. Thome Fromondis generosi.
42. p. m. Danielis Mugge generosi.
43. p. m. Ricardi Weston militis.
44. p. m. Johannis Fowle.
45. p. m. Thome Wildgose.
46. p. m. Johannis Bellingeham de Lymester.
47. p. m. Thome Myll nuper de Gretham in comitatu Sussex generosi.
48. Inquisitio de possessionibus Ricardi Fermor attincti.

34–35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Apsley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 8 Dec. 34—23 Nov. 35 Hen. VIII.—14 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Bellingeham de Littell Horsted generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Dawtrey militis.
3. p. m. Johannis Bellingeham de Lymester armigeri.
4. Breve concedens officium Escaetoris Johanni Appesley dat 8 Dec. 34 Hen. VIII.

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Shirley armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —44 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Sakevyll armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 36—7 Nov. 37 Hen. VIII.—26 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ade Beeston generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Heron.
3. p. m. Johannis Jenyns militis.
4. p. m. Roberti Wylford generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Rede armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Stydolf armigeri.
7. p. m. Elizei Bradschawe generosi.

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Fennar armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Humfridi Stafford militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Kyttowe.
3. p. m. Roberti Burstowe senioris.
4. p. m. Johannis Castelton generosi.
5. p. m. Edmundi Leuknor.
6. p. m. Thome Shyrley nuper de West Grensted in comitatu Sussex. armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Benett nuper de Chanckton in comitatu Sussex. yoman.
8. p. m. Johannis Berde nuper de Aberton.
9. p. m. Rogeri Leukenor militis.
10. p. m. Willielmi Erneley armigeri.
11. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Imperfect copy on paper.*)

38 *Hen. VIII.* to 1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Staplegh armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Hall nuper de Compton juxta Guldeford generosi.
2. p. m. Anne Ferrer vidue.
3. p. m. Nicholai Apsley generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Peryer.
5. p. m. Ricardi Strodewyke de Amblehurst yoman.
6. p. m. Johannis Agmondesham armigeri.
7. p. m. Roberti Draper.
8. p. m. Arnoldi Champyon.
9. p. m. Johannis Scarlett nuper de Bramley in comitatu Surr. generosi.
10. p. m. Johannis Naldratt nuper de Ruggewike.
11. p. m. Ricardi Stapleigh de Twyneham generosi.
12. p. m. Ricardi Knyght.
13. p. m. Willielmi Slatter nuper de Armyngdon in comitatu Sussex. yoman.
14. p. m. Roberti Wyntereshull armigeri.
15. p. m. Willielmi Lussher nuper de Cheyham in comitatu Surr. generosi.

1–2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Jacobi Skinner armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Pellond de Fyrles.
2. p. m. Willielmi Forman militis.
3. p. m. Humfridi Stafford militis.
4. p. m. Nicholai Bristow.
5. p. m. Roberti Yong de Capell.
6. p. m. Henrici Burton generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Wodman.
8. p. m. Thome Robynson de Kyngeston yeoman.
9. p. m. Ricardi Benson de Kyngeston super Thamisiam armigeri.

2–3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Saunder armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Georgii Duke armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Dymoke armigeri.

3. p. m. Rogeri Copley militis. (*Sussex.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Surr.*)
5. p. m. Johannis Wyntereshull armigeri.
6. p. m. Christofori More militis.
7. p. m. Anthonii Browne militis. 3 m. (*Surr.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. 2 m. (*Sussex.*)
9. p. m. Willielmi Hardyng [mercer].

3-4 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Henrici Polsted armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Dautrey militis.
2. p. m. Johannis Patchyng.
3. p. m. Johanne Everard vidue.
4. p. m. Edwardi Pyers generosi.
5. p. m. Ricardi Hyll generosi.
6. p. m. Thome Burgh militis Domini Burgh.
7. p. m. Oliveri Strowdes filii et heredis Jacobi Strowdes.
8. p. m. Henrici Bowes de Launda in comitatu Leic. generosi.
9. p. m. Francisci Erneley infra etatem et in custodia Domini Regis existentis.
10. Inquisitio de ideocia Henrici Windesore armigeri.

4-5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Ricardi Sharpp armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

5-6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Anthonii Pelham armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 11 Nov. 5—20 Nov. 6 Edw. VI.—17 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Patche.
2. p. m. Nicholai Eversfeld.
3. p. m. Thome May de Tysherst generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Stanney de Eston armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Cowper.
6. p. m. Johannis Burtynshawe de Hurst Perpond in comitatu Sussex. yeoman.
7. p. m. Ricardi Lee armigeri.
8. Inquisicio de ideocia Johannis Delve de Framfelde filii et heredis Thome Delve de Framfelde predicta yoman.
9. Inquisicio de ideocia Ricardi Warren.
10. Inquisicio de ideocia Edwardi Belson.

6 *Edw. VI.* to 1 *Mary.*—Compotus Barnardi Randolff armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 20 Nov. 6 Edw. VI.—28 Nov. 1 Mary.—29 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Hennage armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Gytto alias Johannis Kytto.
3. p. m. Ricardi Holden.
4. p. m. Henrici Wyndesore armigeri.
5. p. m. Roberti Pakenham armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Kendall.
7. p. m. Johannis Cooke.
8. p. m. Domine Katerine Arundell.
9. p. m. Willielmi Fynche militis.
10. p. m. Thome Colbrond de Lye in comitatu Surr. generosi.
11. p. m. Ricardi Brown.

1 and 2*—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Wells armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 1 and 2—8 December 2 and 3 Phil. and Mar.—17 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. Inquisicio capta "ad inquirend. si Johannes Gaynesford generosus filius et heres Thome Gaynesford armigeri defuncti fatuus et ideota naturalis a nativitate existit." [*In baga cum Rotulo.*]

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Byshop armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Welles armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome West Domini la Warr.
3. p. m. Ejusdem.—(6 m.)
4. p. m. Johannis Levett.
5. p. m. Willielmi Gorynge militis.
6. p. m. Domine Johanne Dudley vidue nuper Ducisse Northumbr.
7. p. m. Willielmi Hennage armigeri.
8. Inquisitio de decem ovibus waviatis ad opus Regis et Regine.
9. Inquisitio de medietate quarumdam terrarum apud Marton nuper parcell possessionum Monasterii de Marton ratione attincture Johannis nuper Comitis Warr. forisfact.

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Henrici Lashford armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 2 and 3.—24 Jan. 3 and 4 Ph. and Mar.—45 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Robertes.
2. p. m. Henrici Polsted armigeri. [*Surr.*]
3. p. m. Ejusdem. [*Sussex.*]
4. p. m. Johannis Rychebell nuper servientis Regine ad arma.
5. p. m. Willielmi Sakevile armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Gage prenobilis Ordinis Garterii militis nuper Domini Camerarii Hospicii Domine Regine.

* Sic, but qy. if not 1 Mar. to 1 and 2 Phil. & Mar.

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1. Ancient Compotuses of the Exchequer.

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Surrey and Sussex.

7. p. m. Johannis Levett.
8. p. m. Willielmi Waller armigeri.
9. Inquisitio capta "ad inquirend melius et certius de quo vel de quibus et per que servicia quoddam manerium de Tanrige alias Tanridge alias Taurigge alias Tavrige et quoddam parcum vocat. Lagham parke modo tenentur et tempore mortis cujusdam Johannis Cooke de London aurifabri tenebantur eo quod in quadam inquisicione post mortem predicti Johannis Cooke capta virtute brevis de diem clausit extremum et in Cancellar. Domini Regis et Domine Regine certificat. non fiebat mencio de quo vel de quibus aut per que servicia predicta manerium et parcum tenebantur."

5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Edwardi Welche Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 *Eliz.*—Petitiones Ricardi Covert armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus nuper computantis de exitibus ejusdem Escaetoris.—8 m.

Compotus et Inquisitiones: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Selwyn armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

2–3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Eliott armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 15 Nov. 2—*Eliz.—46 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Nicholai Pelham militis.
2. p. m. Roberti Trappes nuper de London aurifabri.
3. p. m. Thome Scott generosi filii et heredis Ricardi Scott armigeri.

4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Upton Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Nov. 4—11 Nov. 4 Eliz.—38 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Williemi Cobden junioris in comitatu Sussex. yoman.
2. Inquisicio de ideocia Johannis Winchester filii et heredis Johannis Winchester modo defuncti.

5 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Sackville armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. *—25 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Knyght nuper de Forde in comitatu Sussex.
2. p. m. Johannis Palmer armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Crowcher de North Merden in comitatu Sussex.
4. p. m. Elizabethe Bygley vidue defuncte et nuper uxoris Georgii Bygley generosi similiter defuncti.
5. p. m. Marie Wylde nuper uxoris Wreci Wyeld armigeri ac filie et heredis [Edwardi] Asheton armigeri defuncti.

6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Bowyer armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Brystowe in custod. Regine ratione minoris statis.
2. p. m. Johannis Palmer armigeri.

10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Michelbourn Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

11 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Muschamp Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Pellet armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Rogeri Gratwicke.

13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Cumber Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

14 *Eliz.*—Compotus Anthonii Stapeley Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

18 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Morgan armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Sone de Walderton.
2. p. m. Henrici Smyth de Godalmyng.
3. p. m. Rogeri Michell de Hendfeylde in comitatu Sussex.
4. p. m. Radulphi Cowper yoman.
5. p. m. Ricardi Mill nuper de Gretham in comitatu Sussex. generosi.
6. p. m. Ricardi Carrill armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Nudigate de Nudigate armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Stoughton nuper de Stoughton armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Heath yoman.
10. p. m. Thome Smythe armigeri.
11. p. m. Roberti Shepherd armigeri.
12. p. m. Johannis Stydolf armigeri.

21–22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Sherley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johanne Nowell que fuit uxor Thome Bowyer armigeri defuncti.

22–23 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edmundi Hilles armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 20 Jan. 22.—Eliz.—30 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram Arthuro Kelton deputato Edmundi Hilles Escaetoris.
1. p. m. Ricardi Coverte nuper de Slaugham in comitatu Sussex armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Challoner generosi.

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23–24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Bellingham armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Moyse armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Jeffrey armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 25 Jan. 27—25 Jan. 28 Eliz.—4 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

28–29 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Lashforde armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

31–32 *Eliz.*—Compotus Antonii Stapeley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

32–33 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Evelin armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 11 Dec. 32—10 Dec. 33 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Stile Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 10 Dec. 33—10 Dec. 34 Eliz.—3 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35–36 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Cowper Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

36–37 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Everfield armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: 4 Dec. 36—4 Dec. 37 Eliz.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

37–38 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Morgan Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

38–39 *Eliz.*—Compotus Drugonis Pickas armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 29 Nov. 38—28 Nov. 39 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

39–40 *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Apsley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. *Nov. 39—*Nov. 40 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

40–41 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Mylles armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 25 Nov. 40—25 Nov. 41 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments of Accounts, consisting of 16 m.

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Warwickshire and Leicestershire.

WARWICKSHIRE AND LEICESTERSHIRE.

1–2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Beaufitz Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Blount militis domini Mountjoye.
2. p. m. Thome Straunge.
3. p. m. Ricardi Boughton.
4. De possessionibus Willielmi Catesby armigeri attincti.
5. De possessionibus Johannis Souche militis domini le Souche attincti.
6. De possessionibus in Lappeworth in comitatu Warr. vocatis Bromes landes Nicolao Brome filio et heredi Johannis Brome nuper de Baddesley Clynton armigeri pertinentibus.

2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Beaufitz armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Kebeell.
2. p. m. Johannis Shirley armigeri. (*Warr.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
4. p. m. Johannis Clopton.
5. p. m. Johannis Powers.
6. De possessionibus in Leyre in comitatu Leic. quas Johannes Wyllenhale filii Roberti Wyllenhale tenuit, &c.
7. De manerio de Dyseworth cum pertinenciis et de advocatione ecclesie de Kegworth etc. de quibus Thomas Hoo et alii tempore Regis Ricardi tercii nuper de facto et non de jure fuerunt seisiti.
8. De bonis et catallis utlagatorum.

6–7 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Thome Mountford armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Leycroft gentilman.
2. p. m. Elizabethe Straunge vidue.
3. p. m. Henrici Baker nuper de Colshull in comitatu Warr. generosi.
4. De possessionibus Willielmi Birmyngeham de Byrmyngeham in comitatu Warr. armigeri lunatici.

9 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Brome armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Hugforde de Princethrop.
2. p. m. Willielmi Asfelde nuper Abbatis monasterii de Burton super Trent in comitatu Staff.

10–24 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus vel compoti Johannis Lee Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.* Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Danet. (10 Hen. VII.)
2. p. m. Thome Foster.
3. p. m. Johannis More armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Wynell.
5. p. m. Margarete Catesby nuper uxoris Willielmi Catysby.
6. p. m. Thome Scrope.
7. p. m. Ricardi Burdett. (11 Hen. VII.)
8. p. m. Willielmi Grey armigeri. (*Warr.*)
9. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
10. p. m. Edmundi Verney.
11. p. m. Henrici Brugh.
12. p. m. Alicie Lucy.
13. p. m. Henrici Wynter.
14. De possessionibus Willielmi Stanley militis attincti.
15. p. m. Hugonis Hunt. (12 Hen. VII.)
16. p. m. Willielmi Bret.
17. p. m. Thome Draper.
18. p. m. Willielmi Pope.
19. p. m. Johannis Dansey. (14 Hen. VII.)
20. p. m. Agnetis nuper uxoris Georgii Holand unius filiarum et heredum Johannis Burdet.
21. p. m. Johannis Scrop militis.
22. p. m. Willielmi Derby armigeri.
23. p. m. Willielmi Verney.
24. p. m. Johannis Newenham.
25. p. m. Thome Ferrers militis.
26. p. m. Thome Froxmere armigeri.
27. p. m. Cristine Jenkyns vidue nuper de Bermyngeham filie et heredis Willielmi Brette nuper de Ansley in comitatu Warr. gentilman.
28. p. m. Johannis Spenser.
29. De dampno domino Regi per concessionem possessionum in Estnorton et Frysby super Wrethek in comitatu Leic. Priori et conventui de Landa.
30. p. m. Johannis Gryffyn. (15 Hen. VII.)
31. p. m. Willielmi Assheby armigeri.
32. p. m. Willielmi Birmyngeham.
33. p. m. Edwardi Trussell. (*Warr.*)
34. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Warr.*) (16 Hen. VII.)
35. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
36. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
37. p. m. Humfridi Grey armigeri. (*Warr.*)
38. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
39. p. m. Radulphi Constable armigeri.
40. p. m. Jacobi Whiteney armigeri.

41. p. m. Willielmi Harwell.
42. p. m. Johannis Smyth. (17 Hen. VII.)
43. p. m. Thome Kebell de Humberston nnper servientis Regis ad legem.
44. p. m. Henrici Broun nuper de Napton in comitatu Warr. generosi. (18 Hen. VII.)
45. p. m. Willielmi Clerkson gentilman.
46. p. m. Ricardi Coton armigeri. (19 Hen. VII.)
47. p. m. Thome Nevell armigeri.
48. p. m. Domine Johanne Lytilton vidue.
49. p. m. Thome Nevile.
50. p. m. Benedicti Medley.
51. p. m. Johannis Grey Vicecomitis Lisle. (*Warr.* 20 Hen. VII.)
52. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
53. p. m. Elizabethe Pole.
54. p. m. Thome Greysley militis.
55. p. m. Johannis Hugford armigeri. (qui obiit anno primo Regis nunc.)
56. p. m. Thome Hugford armigeri.
57. p. m. Johannis Cokayn.
58. p. m. Ricardi Cotes.
59. p. m. Thome Marrogh servientis ad legem. (21 Hen. VII.)
60. p. m. Johannis Hoore.
61. p. m. Georgii Catesby armigeri. (*Warr.*)
62. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
63. p. m. Katerine nuper uxoris Jasparis Roskyn defuncti.
64. De possessionibus Katerine Roskyn unius filiarum et heredum Jasparis Roskyn quæ habitum religionis assumpsit et fuit monialis professus. (*Sic*).
65. p. m. Henrici Sotehill armigeri.
66. p. m. Edmundi Appulby.
67. p. m. domine Anne Norres vidue.
68. p. m. Thome Coton armigeri.
69. De maneriis de Kegworth et Clauston in le Vale in comitatu Leic., &c., que Thomas Grene miles senior defunctus pater Thome Grene nunc militis quondam tenuit.

22–24 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Johannis Lee Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Oct. 22—21 Apr. 24 Hen. VII.—56 m. (*Slightly imperfect.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

70. p. m. Edwardi Trussell filii et heredis Willielmi Trussell militis defuncti. (*Warr.* 22 Hen. VII.)
71. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
72. p. m. Johannis Trussell filii et heredis Edwardi Trussell armigeri defuncti. (*Warr.*)
73. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
74. p. m. Johannis Vyllers militis. (*Warr.*)
75. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
76. p. m. Ricardi Arblaster.
77. p. m. Roberti Wittelbery armigeri.
78. p. m. Thome Segrave.
79. p. m. Roberti Broughton militis.
80. p. m. Willielmi Purley.
81. p. m. Roberti Jakes gentilman.
82. p. m. Thome Grey.
83. p. m. Willielmi Smyth.
84. p. m. Johannis Turvyle de Newhall armigeri.
85. p. m. Thome Cotton filii et heredis Ricardi Cotton armigeri.
86. p. m. Anne Ovy vid.
87. p. m. Thome Pulteney militis.
88. p. m. Georgii Kebell.
89. p. m. Elizabethe Verney vidue. (23 Hen. VII.)
90. p. m. Roberti Broughton militis.
91. p. m. Rogeri Wiggeston.
92. p. m. Willielmi Lussell.
93. p. m. Johanne Ormond vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Ormond armigeri.
94. p. m. Ricardi Middelmore nuper de Egebarston in comitatu Warr. armigeri. (24 Hen. VII.)
95. p. m. Johanne Talbot vid. (*Warr.*)
96. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
97. De possessionibus Simonis Mountefort nuper de Colshull in comitatu Warr. militis attincti.

1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Lee Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 31 Jul.—29 Nov. 1 Hen. VIII. 4 m.—(*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Assheby armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 29 Nov. 1—29 Nov. 2 Hen. VIII.—9 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Burton.
2. p. m. Johannis Palmer.
3. p. m. Willielmi Foster nuper de Oreton super Montem.
4. p. m. Elizabethe Skevyngton.
5. p. m. Johannis Hore.
6. p. m. Edmundi Shepey armigeri. (*Warr.*)
7. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
8. p. m. Everardi Digby armigeri.
9. p. m. Thome Agarde armigeri.
10. p. m. Excellentissime comitisse Margarete nuper matris metuendissimi Principis Henrici nuper Regis Anglie septimi nuper comitisse Richemond.
11. p. m. Margarete nuper Comitisse Richemond et Derb.

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12. p. m. Georgii Catesby armigeri filii et heredis Willielmi Catesby armigeri.
13. p. m. Nicolai Gryffyn militis.
14. De possessionibus Ricardi Emson militis attincti.
15 De possessionibus Willielmi Stanley militis attincti.

2–3 *Hen VIII.*—Compotus Henrici Smyth armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Georgii Hastynges militis. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Nevell. (*Warr.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
5. p. m. Johannis Grey Vicecomitis Lysle.
6. p. m. Alianore Lucy nuper uxoris Edmundi Lucy militis et quondam uxoris Ricardi Enderby militis defuncti.
7. p. m. Roberti Walsall armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Gerveys.
9. p. m. Johannis Novery gentilman.
10. p. m. Roberti Bawdys armigeri.
11. p. m. Roberti Harper nuper de Mancestur.
12. p. m. Willielmi Repyngton armigeri.
13. p. m. Willielmi Belgrave.
14. p. m. Willielmi Elton et Alicie uxoris ejus.
15. De possessionibus Radulphi Rachford nuper de Arley in comitatu Warr̃.

3–4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Brome armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 3—26 Nov. 4 Hen. VIII.—30 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Purfrey armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Boteler.
3. p. m. Johannis Belgrave de Belgrave.
4. p. m. Agnetis Harwell.
5. p. m. Johannis Waleys alias dicti Johannis Walssh armigeri.
6. p. m. Roberti Lestrange armigeri.
7. p. m. Georgii Catesby armigeri.

4–5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Bracebrigge armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Nov. 4—11 Nov. 5 Hen. VIII.—30 m. (*Fragmentum.*) (*Warr.*) (*Old Escheats only.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edwardi Ralegh militis. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
3. p. m. Henrici Smyth armigeri. (*Warr.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
5. p. m. Nicholai Malory armigeri. (*Warr.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
7. p. m. Ricardi Hybawde armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Brome armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Comitis Oxon.
10. p. m. Johannis Harewell generosi.
11. p. m. Johannis Malorye.
12. p. m. Johannis Belgrave de Belgrave.
13. p. m. Roberti Stonesby armigeri.
14. p. m. Radulphi Longford militis.
15. p. m. Johannis Ferrers militis.

5–6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Palmer armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—18 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Hardwyk nuper de Lynley in comitatu Leycestr. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
3. p. m. Humfridi Blike.
4. p. m. Anne Coope vidue, nuper uxoris Johannis Coope defuncti.
5. p. m. Isabelle Neville vidue.
6. p. m. Willielmi Assheby.
7. p. m. Willielmi Mitton armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Newport armigeri.
9. p. m. Isabelle Clopton vidue.
10. p. m. Clare Werley vidue.
11. p. m. Johannis Hastynges armigeri. (*Warr.*)
12. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
13. p. m. Johannis Burman.
14. p. m. Domine Johanne Strange vidue.
15. p. m. Thome Cheyne militis.

–7 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Conwey armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 6—27 Nov. 7 Hen. VIII.—14 m. (*Fragmentum.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Everardi Feldyng militis. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
3. p. m. Henrici Bothe armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Newenham filii et heredis Johannis Newenham.
5. p. m. Willielmi Benford generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Stanley armigeri.
7. p. m. Johanne Stafford nuper uxoris Henrici Smyth armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Hylle de Blore armigeri.
9. De boundis et metis manerii sive dominii de Evyngton cum pertinenciis in comitatu Leic. jacentis juxta manerium sive dominium de Knyghton.

7–8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edwardi Odyngsels Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.—17 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–9 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Purefey armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 6 Dec. 8—10 Nov. 9 Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Philippe Hervye.
2. p. m. Johannis Sekyngdon.
3. p. m. Thome Marmyon armigeri.
4. p. m. Johannis Curson armigeri.
5. p. m. Radulphi Shirley militis.
6. p. m. Katerine Botiller vidue.
7. p. m. Nicholai Brome armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Beawffo armigeri.
9. p. m. Thome Moreton armigeri.

9–10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Verney armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 10 Nov. 9—10 Nov. 10 Hen. VIII.—28 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Stafford armigeri.
2. p. m. Nicholai Purley.
3. p. m. Ricardi Greynvile armigeri.
4. p. m. Johanne Handys.
5. p. m. Edwardi Heyton.
6. p. m. Johannis Waren militis.
7. p. m. Johannis Parker.
8. p. m. Thome Jakes.
9. p. m. Willielmi Catesby.
10. p. m. Johannis Grysseld armigeri.
11. p. m. Elizabethe Scrope vidue.
12. p. m. Radulphi Shirley militis.
13. p. m. Thome Fynes militis domini de Clynton et Say.

10–11 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Ardern armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Rogeri Byrd.
2. p. m. Ricardi Litelton armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Colley nuper de Glayston.
4. p. m. Willielmi Pyfford.
5. p. m. Johanne Hodylston vidue.
6. p. m. Johannis Haddon.
7. p. m. Willielmi Holt armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Phelypis.
9. p. m. Elizabethe comitisse Kildar nuper uxoris Geraldi comitis Kildar.
10. p. m. Roberti Throkmarton militis.
11. p. m. Thome Parr militis.
12. p. m. Johannis Broughton armigeri.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Sherrard armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 8 Feb. 11—8 Feb. 12 Hen. VIII.—45 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Gerardi Danett armigeri. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Belgrave filii et heredis Willielmi Belgrave defuncti.
4. p. m. Domine Anne Crane nuper uxoris Radulphi Arundell militis vidue.
5. p. m. Johannis Archer senioris armigeri.
6. p. m. Simonis Dygby armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Underhill gentilman.
8. p. m. Breve de custodia possessionum Johannis Beaufo, Edwardo Ferrers militi, liberanda.

12–13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Paytoo armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johanne que fuit uxoris Radulphi Shirley militis ac postea uxoris Willielmi Hastyngys armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Harpur. (*Warr.*)
3. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
4. p. m. Johannis Butler filii Johannis Butler nuper de Exhale in comitatu civitatis Coventr. generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Middelmore armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Clopton armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Archer armigeri.
8. p. m. Willielmi Marmyon armigeri.
9. p. m. Ricardi Lassellys armigeri.
10. p. m. De possessionibus Edwardi ducis Bukyngham nuper de Thornebury in comitatu Glouc. in anno quarto attincti.

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Hubaude armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 14—13 Dec. 15 Hen. VIII.—38 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Vaus militis domini Harowdon. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
3. p. m. Willielmi Sekington.
4. p. m. Johannis Spencer militis.
5. p. m. Johannis Aston militis.

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6. p. m. Humfridi Wryhte.
7. p. m. Thome Botiller armigeri.
8. p. m. Thome Atwoud.
9. p. m. Mauricii Barkeley armigeri.
10. p. m. Mauricii Berkeley militis.
11. p. m. Roberti Croftys.

15–16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Fulwode armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 13 Dec. 15—23 Nov. 16 Hen. VIII.—30 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Mauricii Berkeley de Berkeley militis. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*) (2 m.)
3. p. m. Willielmi Turpyn armigeri. (*Warr.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
5. p. m. Edwardi Poynynges militis. (*Warr.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
7. p. m. Roberti Willoughby militis domini Broke. (*Warr.*)
8 p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
9. p. m. Thome Pochyn.
10. p. m. Thome Litilton armigeri.
11. p. m. Thome Rowse armigeri.

16–17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Slade armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 23 Nov. 16—17 Feb. 17 Hen VIII.—43 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Lucy militis. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
3. p. m. Edmundi Ryngeley armigeri. (*Warr.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
5. p. m. Willielmi Brokesby armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Kebull armigeri.
7. p m. Galfridi Paynell armigeri.
8. p. m. Roberti Massy de Erdyngton in comitatu Warr. gentilman.
9. p. m. Johannis Whittyngton armigeri.
10. p. m. Petri Blyke gentilman.
11. De possessionibus Prioratus de Canwell dissoluti. (*Warr.*)
12. De possessionibus ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
13. De possessionibus Prioratus Tyckford in comitatu Buk. dissoluti.
14. De possessionibus Prioratus deDaventre in comitatu Northt. dissoluti.

17–18 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Reginaldi Dygby armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 17 Feb. 17—27 Nov. 18 Hen. VIII.—7 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Gower.
2. p. m. Willielmi Lenche nuper de Birmyngeham.
3. p. m. Agnetis Porter vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Wellys.
4. p. m. Andree Ogard.
5. p. m. Johannis Ardern armigeri.
6. p. m. Johanne Aston vidue.
7. p. m. Cristofori Neel armigeri.
8. p. m. Rose Grevyle quondam uxoris Willielmi Clopton armigeri defuncti et postea uxoris Egidii Grevyle militis.
9. De possessionibus Johannis Morton lunatici.

18–19 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Fynderne et Elizabethe uxoris ejus quam quidem Elizabetham, Ricardus Verny armiger. Vicecomes comitatuum Warr. et Leyc. retornavit solam executricem testamenti Willielmi Astell nuper Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 18—18 Nov. 19 Hen. VIII.—24 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Charnels armigeri.

[19–20] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Holt armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

20–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Ardern armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 5 Dec. 20—15 Nov. 21 Hen. VIII.—38 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
3. p. m. Agnetis Dygby nuper uxoris Rolandi Dygby. (*Warr.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
5. p. m. Edwardi Grey militis. (*Warr.*)
6. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
7. p. m. Ricardi Fraunces nuper de Tyknall armigeri. (*Warr.*)
8. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
9. p. m. Willielmi Astell. (*Warr.*)
10. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
11. p. m. Ricardi Appulby armigeri.
12. p. m. Edwardi Grevill militis.
13. p. m. Johannis Turpyn armigeri. (2 m.)

21–22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Wyllington armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 16 Jan. 21—16 Nov. 22 Hen. VIII.—83 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Anne Kyrton nuper uxoris Johannis Kyrton et quondam uxoris cujusdam Johannis Leek ac filie et unius heredum Jasperis Ruskyn.

2. p. m. Johannis Bothe armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Staunton.
4. Tam p. m. Margarete Lacy nuper uxoris Ricardi Lacy defuncti ac filie et unius heredum Jasperis Ruskyn quam p. m. Ricardi Lacy.

22–23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Simonis Mounteforte armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 16 Nov. 22—16 Feb. 23 Hen. VIII.—38 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Roberti Brudenell militis nuper Capitalis Justiciarii Regis de Banco apud Westm. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
3. p. m. Roberti Stoke armigeri.
4. p. m. Ricardi Asteley armigeri.
5. p. m. Domine Johanne Somervile vidue.
6. p. m. Thome Waringe generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Beaufoo armigeri.

23–24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Trye Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 16 Feb. 23—28 Nov. 24 Hen. VIII.—6 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Fitzherbert de Norbury in comitatu Derb. armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Beamont armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome nuper Marchionis Dors. (*Warr.*) (2 m.)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*) (3 m.)
5. p. m. Thome Fytzgerald militis.
6. p. m. Launcelani Grey generosi.
7. p. m. Rogeri Flower generosi.
8. p. m. Edwardi Watson generosi.
9. p. m. Roberti Brokesbye armigeri.
10. p. m. Matilde Parre vidue.
11. p. m. Willielmi Barkeley armigeri.
12. p. m. Thome Spenser armigeri.

[24]–25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Baldewini Porter armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Ludforde generosi. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Clerkeson.
4. p. m. Willielmi Spenser militis.
5. p. m. Domine Anne Seintleger, unius filiarum et coheredum domini Thome nuper comitis Ormundii. (2 m.)
6. p. m. Johannis Dygby militis.

[25–26] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Griswold armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —4 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Dygby generosi.
2. p. m. Radulphi Shirley generosi.
3. p. m. Radulphi Fraunces armigeri. (*Warr.*)
4. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)

[26]–27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Francisci Slade armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —26 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Marie Boosom vidue.
2. p. m. Marie Bosom.
3. p. m. Thome Audby.
4. p. m. Willielmi Seyvell armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Glover.
6. p. m. Edwardi Catysby armigeri.
7. p. m. Thome Coton armigeri.
8. p. m. Rogeri Wynter.
9. Inquisitio de possessionibus in Lapworth, &c., quas Thomas Pratte concessit Johanni Hill clerico Rectori ecclesie de Lapworth et diversis aliis. (*Virtute brevis de Ad quod dampnum.*)

27–28 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Beamond [vel Beamount] armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 27—2 Dec. 28 Hen. VIII.—26 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Anne Skevynton filie et heredis Georgii Ashby.
2. p. m. Johannis Calcotte armigeri.
3. p. m. Roberti Hasilrigge armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Blounte militis nuper domini Mowntjoye.
5. p. m. Petri Bygod armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Berkley domini Berkley Mowebray et Segrave filii et heredis Thome Berkley militis domini Berkley, Mowebray et Segrave defuncti.

28–[29] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Archer armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —45 m. [*The first membrane is wanting.*]

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Whelar.
2. p. m. Johannis Lile armigeri.
3. p. m. Georgii Nevyll militis domini Burgevenny.
4. p. m. Thome Burton nuper de Leicestre mercer.
5. p. m. Elizabethe Chycheley.
6. p. m. Thome Catisby armigeri.
7. p. m. Matthei Woodford.

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8. p. m. Willielmi Raynoldes.
9. p. m. Nicholai Rygeley generosi.
10. p. m. Willelmi Wigstan nuper de Leyc̃. marcatoris stapule ville Cales.
11. p. m. Willielmi Walforthe.
12. p. m. Roberti Sommervile armigeri.
13. p. m. Thome Burdett armigeri.
14. p. m. Ricardi Griswold armigeri.

29–30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Sherard armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 26 Nov. 29—23 Nov. 30 Hen. VIII.—35 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Edwardi Hawten generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Ludford generosi.
3. p. m. Ricardi Cave junioris.
4. p. m. Katerine Babyngton vidue.
5. p. m. Cristofori Villers armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Englefeld militis nuper unius Justiciariorum Regis de communi Banco.
7. p. m. Elizabethe que fuit uxor Johannis Comitis Oxon et quondam uxor Willielmi quondam Vicecomitis Beamont domini de Bardolf.
8. De possessionibus Nicholai Hethe nuper prioris monasterii sancte Trinitatis de Lenton in comitatu Nott. attincti.

30–31 [*Hen. VIII.*]—Compotus Johannis Staresmore Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus.... .....Nov. 31 Hen. VIII.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Pygen.
2. p. m. Nicholai Lyle.
3. p. m. Thome Porter.
4. p. m. Thome Leson clerici.
5. p. m. Francisci Cokayne armigeri.
6. p. m. Thome Bradgate.
7. p. m. Thome Atwood.
8. p. m. Roberti Burgh.
9. p. m. Thome Burneby armigeri.
10. p. m. Johannis Whittell.
11. p. m. Everardi Darby generosi.
12. p. m. Ricardi Andrewes armigeri.
13. p. m. Ricardi Beamount armigeri.
14. p. m. Elizabethe Strelley vidue nuper uxoris Nicholai Strelley de Linby in comitatu Notingh. militis.
15. p. m. Ricardi Chesilden generosi.
16. p. m. Thome Purefey armigeri.
17. p. m. Rogeri Corbet armigeri.
18. p. m. Thome Englefyld militis unius Justiciariorum Regis de communi Banco. (*Virtute brevis* de *Que plura.*)
19. De possessionibus Nicholai Hethe nuper Prioris Domus sive monasterii sancte Trinitatis de Lenton in comitatu Notyngham.

32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Skevyngton Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

33–34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Fulwood armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 33—27 Nov. 34 Hen. VIII.—26 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Radulphi Marshall.
2. p. m. Thome Rowley.
3. p. m. Johannis Yngram.
4. p. m. Antonii Harcourt generosi.
5. p. m. Johannis Peytoo senioris armigeri.
6. De possessionibus in Over Tysso etc. de quibus Thomas Middelton de Over Tysso et Thomas Rychardes de eadem fuerunt seisiti.

35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Alveredi Trussell armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. —42 m. (*The first membrane is wanting.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Atwood filii et heredis cujusdam Thome Atwood.
2. p. m. Willielmi Kendall generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Peytoo nuper de Warwico in comitatu Warr̃. generosi.
4. p. m. Rogeri Wigston nuper de Wolston in comitatu Warr. armigeri. (*Warr.*)
5. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
6. p. m. Willielmi Asteley nuper de Wolvey in comitatu Warr. generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Walshe armigeri.
8. p. m. Roberti Wynter armigeri.
9. p. m. Thome Skevyngton nuper de Skevyngton in comitatu Leyc. armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Assheby armigeri.
11. p. m. cujusdam Roberti Petyver de Myddelton Cheyney in comitatu Northt. (Willielmus Petyver frater et proximus heres dicti Roberti attinctus et convictus fuit eo quod ipse felonice interfecit et murderavit dictum Robertum).

35–36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Vyncent armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 3 Nov. 35—18 Nov. 36 Hen. VIII.—2 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Trappys de London unius filiorum Roberti Trappys civis et aurifabri de London.
2. p. m. Georgii Assheby armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Harve armigeri.
4. p. m. Jacobi Burton generosi, et Elizabethe uxoris ejus.
5. p. m. Georgii nuper comitis Huntyngdon.

36–37 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Wigston armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Nov. 36—7 Nov. 37 Hen. VIII.—85 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Newport armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 7 Nov. 37—2 Nov. 38 Hen. VIII.—54 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Sutton armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Wyghtman.
3. p. m. Johannis Pryor yoman.
4. p. m. Georgii White.
5. p. m. Roberti Grene nuper de Atherston.
6. p. m. Thome Burberye nuper de Dorset magna in comitatu Warr.
7. p. m. Willielmi Newneham militis.
8. p. m. Willielmi Chatwyn armigeri.
9. p. m. Johannis Hubawde armigeri.
10. p. m. Ricardi Gleswold [vel Greswold] armigeri.
11. p. m. Roberti Burgon armigeri.
12. p. m. Humfridi Stafford militis.
13. p. m. Thome Willughby militis nuper unius Justiciariorum Regis de Banco.
14. p. m. Willielmi Holte civis et marchaunt taylor London.
15. p. m. Georgii Ralegh armigeri.
16. p. m. Thome Holte armigeri.

38 *Hen. VIII.*—1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Thome Marrowe armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Nov. 38 Hen. VIII.—27 Nov. 1 Edw. VI.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Uvedale armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 27 Nov. 1—5 Dec. 2 Edw. VI.—29 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Felldynge militis. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
3. p. m. Georgii Greysley militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Digby armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Dockary armigeri.
6. p. m. Johannis Grevyll militis.
7. p. m. Willielmi Cokes de Hansworth in comitatu Staff. yoman.

2–3 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Edwardi Pye armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Nicholai Sekyngton.
2. p. m. Willielmi Kendall armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Turvell militis.
4. p. m. Thome Brudenell militis.
5. p. m. Roberti Wynter armigeri.
6. p. m. Reginaldi Digby armigeri.
7. p. m. Johannis Wylloughby militis.
8. p. m. Francisci Pulteney armigeri.
9. De panno lineo venditioni exposito absque sigillis contra formam statuti per eundem Escaetorem seisito. Item de diversis peciis correi similiter seisitis.

3–4 *Edw VI.*—Compotus Georgii Vyncent armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Nov. 3—11 Nov. 4 Edw. VI.—42 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Wightman generosi. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leyc.*)
3. p. m. Johannis Butler civis et letherseller London.
4. p. m. Roberti Burdett armigeri.
5. p. m. Nicholai Fortescue armigeri.
6. p. m. Francisci Reppyngton armigeri. (2 m.)
7. p. m. Henrici Ryssheton armigeri.
8. p. m. Georgii Willoughby de Netherton in comitatu Wygorn. armigeri.
9. p. m. Henrici Alen generosi.
10. p. m. Johannis domini Scrope de Bolton.

[Item transcriptum ejusdem inquisitionis.]

11. p. m. Roberti Belgrave nuper de Northkelworth in comitatu Leic. generosi.
12. p. m. Johannis Staresmore armigeri.

5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Fyssher armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Willielmi Legh armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Shelley armigeri.
3. p. m. Andree Flammoke militis.
4. p. m. Willielmi Lucye nuper de Charlecotte in comitatu Warr. armigeri filii et heredis Thome Lucye militis. (2 m.)
5. p. m. Francisci Repyngton armigeri.
6. p. m. Gregorii Crumwell militis domini Crumwell.

6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Roberti Myddlemore armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Bury.
2. p. m. Willielmi Morcote.
3. p. m. Willielmi Brabazon militis.
4. p. m. Johannis Sayvell armigeri.
5. p. m. Germani Pole armigeri.
6. p. m. Ricardi Stansfelde armigeri.
7. p. m. Domine Constancie Ferrers vidue.

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Warwickshire and Leicestershire.

[6 *Edw. VI.*]—1 *Mar.*—Compotus Ricardi Nele armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 *Mar.*—1 and 2 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Michaelis Purefrey armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Nov. 1—... Nov. 1 and 2 Ph. and Mar.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Walteri Smythe militis nuper de Shirforde in parochia de Burton Hastynges. (*Warr.*)
2. p. m. Ejusdem. (*Leic.*)
3. p. m. Rogeri Swyfte generosi.
4. p. m. Willielmi Turpyn armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Colbarne generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Peytoo de Chesterton in comitatu Warr. armigeri.
7. p. m. Elizabethe Warner nuper uxoris Roberti Warner et preantea uxoris Johannis Smyth.
8. p. m. Humfridi Ferrers militis.
9. p. m. Willielmi Horewood (vel Whorewood) armigeri.

1 and 2–2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Langham armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Bent generosi.
2. p. m. Katerine Markham nuper uxoris Galfridi Markham armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Chetwyn armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Barkeley domini Barkeley Mowbray et Segrave filii et heredis Thome Barkeley militis domini Barkeley Mowbrey et Segrave defuncti.
5. p. m. Willielmi Starkey nuper de Whitley in comitatu civitatis Coventr. armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Byller nuper de Burstall in comitatu Leicestr. generosi.
7. p. m. Roberti Strelley armigeri alias dicti Roberti Stirley* armigeri alias dicti Roberti Sturley armigeri alias dicti Roberti Strylley armigeri.
8. De bonis et cataliis Hugonis Latymer nuper de Baxterley in comitatu Warr clerici apud Oxon de heresia nuper convicti et attincti et postea scilicet xxiij° die Octobris apud civitatem predictam pro heresia comburati.
9. De possessionibus Roberti Glover nuper de Newhowse Graunge in comitatu Leic. generosi de heresia scilicet apud Lichefeld in comitatu Staff. convicti.

2 and 3–3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Michaelis Cameswell armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 18 Dec. 2 and 3 [ ] 3 and 4 Ph. & Mar.—3 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Woodwarde.
2. p. m. Johannis Digby de Olby in comitatu Leic. senioris generosi.
3. p. m. Roberti Bocher.
4. p. m. Nicolai Beree nuper de Ashewell in comitatu Rutl.
5. p. m. Jocose Blakeston vidue.
6. p. m. Thome Ludford generosi.
7. p. m. Ricardi Griswolde nuper de Longdone Hall in parochia de Sollihull in comitatu Warr. generosi.
8. p. m. Ricardi Everatt generosi.

3 and 4–5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Thome Lisley armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Nov. 3 and 4—27 Jan. 5 and 6 Ph. & Mar.—11 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Thome Starkey nuper de Whitley in comitatu civitatis Coventr. generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Woodward nuper de Butlersmerston in comitatu Warr.
3. p. m. Thome Newsam generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Saunders yeoman.
5. p. m. Thome Banaster generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Staunton.
7. p. m. Johannis Perkyns.
8. p. m. Radulphi Underhill nuper de Barthekington alias dicti Baginton in comitatu Warr. generosi.

1–2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Fyssher armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 28 Jan. 1—29 March 2 Eliz.—24 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem aut coram Willielmo Weston generoso deputato suo.

1. p. m. Edmundi Odingselzes armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Kebell armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Assheby armigeri.
4. p. m. Hugonis Calveley militis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Fawnte senioris armigeri.
6. Transcriptum ejusdem inquisitionis. (2 m.)
7. p. m. Matilde Archer vidue nuper uxoris Ricardi Archarde armigeri.
8. p. m. Edmundi Dalby nuper de Brokhampton in comitatu Warr. generosi.
9. p. m. Johannis Peyto armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Villers armigeri.
11. p. m. Henrici Ward generosi.
12. p. m. Thome Wylkes de Hodnell in comitatu Warr. armigeri.
13. p. m. Jane domine Braye nuper uxoris Edmundi Braye defuncti.
14. p. m. Roberti Harecourte de Routon in comitatu Staff. armigeri.
15. p. m. Marie Dannet vidue.
16. p. m. Johannis Draper de Temple Grafton.
17. p. m. Johannis Beck de Freysley.
18. p. m. Thome Fawkenor.

2–3 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Turvyll armigeri Escaetoris Regine.—3 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Libei Darby generosi.

* Sic.

2. p. m. Thome Shukburghe armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Grey armigeri.
4. p. m. Thome Boughton armigeri.
5. p. m. Francisci Neel armigeri. (2 m.)
6. p. m. Thome Whaytley.
7. p. m. Ricardi Knivet armigeri.
8. p. m. Alveredi Trussell armigeri.
9. p. m. Willielmi Flammok armigeri.
10. p. m. Marmaduci Constable.
11. p. m. Ricardi Dalbie de Brokehampton in comitatu Warr. generosi.
12. p. m. Francisci nuper comitis Huntingdon. (4 m.)

3–4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Leonardi Dannett armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [ ] 3—[ ] 4 Eliz.—33 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem vel coram Ricardo Sympkyn generoso deputato suo.

1. p. m. Roberti Pudsey armigeri.
2. p. m. Willielmi Payne nuper de Medborne in comitatu Leicester. yeoman.
3. p. m. Agnetis Smythe vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Smythe nuper de London militis, ac quondam vnius baronum de Scaccario Regis apud Westm., que quedam Agnes fuit vna sororum et heredum Thome Harwell filii et heredis Johannis Harwell quondam de Shottrey in comitatu Warr. armigeri defuncti.
4. p. m. Roberti Graye nuper de Kenelworth in comitatu Warr. generosi.
5. p. m. Willielmi Villers armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Waldram generosi.
7. p. m. Michaelis Throkemorton armigeri.
8. p. m. Henrici Leighe nuper de Sachewell in comitatu Lecestr. armigeri.
9. p. m. Ricardi Cave armigeri. (2 m.)

4 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Smythe armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 20 Nov. 4—11 Nov. 4 Eliz.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Turvyle armigeri.
2. p. m. Georgii Turvyll armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Farnham nuper de Stoughton in comitatu Leic. generosi.
4. p. m. Thome Marrowe armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Barnes nuper de Talton in comitatu Warr. generosi.

6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Simonis Rawley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [6] Eliz.—3 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Purfrey generosi.
2. p. m. Ricardi Wyllis generosi.
3. p. m. Nicholai Trappes nuper de London generosi unius filiorum Roberti Trappes nuper civis et aurifabri London.
4. p. m. Thome Savage generosi.
5. p. m. Thome Grene generosi.
6. p. m. Johannis Lewys generosi.
7. p. m. Willielmi Gente armigeri.
8. p. m. Johannis Tallantes generosi.
9. p. m. Simonis Pigeon generosi.
10. p. m. Kenelmi Marrowe generosi.
11. p. m. Thome Marrowe generosi.
12. p. m. Elizabethe Grevile vidue nuper uxoris Fulconis Grevill militis defuncti. (7 m.)
13. p. m. Henrici Marmyon generosi.
14. p. m. Ricardi Turvile armigeri.

8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Somervyle armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ricardi Draper de Hylborowe in comitatu Warr.
2. p. m. Johannis Newport generosi.

9–10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Basilii Fyldynge armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 20 Feb. 9—22 Maii 10 Eliz.—32 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Milner yoman.
2. p. m. Henrici Wauer alias Ouer generosi.

10 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Nowell armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 22 Maii—8 Nov. 10 Eliz.—30 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Ambrosii Cave militis nuper Cancellarii Regine ducatus sui Lancastr. et unius privati consilii Regine.

[? 10–11] *Eliz.*—Compotus Georgii Willoughbye armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [10] [? 11 Eliz.—1 m. (*Fragmentum.*)

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

20–21 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Clopton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [ ] 20 [ ] 21 Eliz.—29 m.

Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.

1. p. m. Johannis Fulwood generosi.
2. p. m. Thome Byshope generosi.
3. p. m. Hugonis Ellys generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Pardye.
5. p. m. Edmundi Fulwood generosi.
6. p. m. Thome Grene.
7. p. m. Thome Keyvett.
8. p. m. Elianore Gylberte vidue, nuper de Stretforde super Avon.

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9. p. m. Edwardi Ferrers armigeri.
10. p. m. Thome Golston.
11. p. m. Willielmi Waringe generosi.
12. p. m. Caroli Rainsforde armigeri.
13. p. m. Simonis Walweyn generosi.
14. p. m. Ricardi Coppley generosi.
15. p. m. Henrici Medley armigeri.
16. De terris et tenementis Henrici Ellys de felonia utlagati.

22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Turvyle armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Kenelmi Peck nuper de Knowston in comitatu Leic. husbandman.
2. p. m. Roberti Jackson.
3. p. m. Willielmi Deveroux militis.
(*Capta virtute commissionis coram eodem Escaetore et duobus aliis commissionariis.*)

[22–23] *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Cooper Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

23–24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Bracebridge armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 25 Jan. 23—16 Mar. 24 Eliz.—38 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Perkins.
2. p. m. Ricardi Hurst.
3. p. m. Johannis Tayler.
4. p. m. Roberti Keylway armigeri.
5. p. m. Roberti Preeste.
6. p. m. Johannis Alcock de Aveston alias Aulston in comitatu Warr. husbandman.
7. p. m. Johannis Haye de Aveston alias Aulston husbandman.
8. p. m. Ricardi Trafforde generosi.
9. p. m. Walteri Sheperde generosi.

24–25 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Danvers armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. [24–25] Eliz.—46 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Anthonii Skinner generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Ferrers armigeri.
(*Coram eodem Escaetore et aliis commissionariis.*)
3. p. m. Ricardi Hurste.
4. p. m. Radulphi Smyth. (*Coram eodem Esc. et aliis commissionariis.*)
5. p. m. Thome Staveley de Bowden magna in comitatu Leic. armigeri. (*Similiter.*)
6. p. m. Francisi Staresmore armigeri.

[25–26] *Eliz.*—Compotus Roberti Burgoyne armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

26–27 *Eliz.*—Compotus Bartholomei Hales armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 16 Nov. 26—16 Nov. 27 Eliz.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

27–28 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Brockasse armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[29?]–30 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Underhill armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

30–31 *Eliz.*—Compotus Randolphi Whaley armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 12 Jan. 30—12 Jan. 31 Eliz.—6 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

31–[32] *Eliz.*—Compotus Humfridi Babington armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

[34]–35 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Goodyere armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

35–36 *Eliz.*—Compotus Willielmi Foster armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 21 Dec. 35—21 Dec. 36 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

36–37 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Graye armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus. 14 Feb. 36—2 Dec. 37 Eliz.—2 m. (*In baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

37–[38] *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Burton armigeri Escaetoris Regine in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1 *Jac. I.*—Compotus Humfridi Colles armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1–2 *Jac. I.*—Compotus Theodori Sadlier armigeri Escaetoris Regis in eisdem comitatibus. 11 Feb. 1—11 Feb. 2 Jac. I.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

Besides the above, there are fragments of various Accounts consisting of 226 membranes.

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1–2 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Rogeri Harwell armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Blount domini Mountyoy [vel Mountjoy].
2. Transcriptum ejusdem.
3. De possessionibus Humfridi Stafford nuper de Grafton juxta Bromesgrove in comitatu Wygorn. armigeri attincti.

11 *Hen. VII.*—Compotus Ricardi Sheldon Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Burdet.

1 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Walteri Smyth Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

1-[2] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Edmundi Horewell Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Rede.
2. p. m. Thome Elyngbrigge et Johannis Eyngbrygge filii et heredis ejus.
3. p. m. Johannis Darell.
4. Transcriptum ejusdem inquisitionis.

3 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Ligon armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Egidii Brugge militis.

4 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Washeborne Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Lygon armigeri filii et heredis Thome Lygon armigeri nuper defuncti.
2. p. m. Johannis Waleys alias dicti Johannis Walsh armigeri.
3. p. m. Ricardi Beauchamp domini de Beauchamp militis.

5 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Ricardi Lygon armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Salwey
2. p. m. Roberti Corbett militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Messy.
4. p. m. Walteri Rowdon.

6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Egidii Grevile armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. De possessionibus Johannis Salwey lunatici.
2. De possessionibus que fuerunt Edwardi Blantagynet nuper comitis Warr. attincti et que postea concesse fuerunt Willielmo Dyngley de Charleton in comitatu Wygorn. gentilman.

6 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Leycettour Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Cristofori Throkmorton armigeri.
2. De manerio de Straynscham et aliis terris de quibus Robertus Throkmorton miles et alii fuerunt feoffati ad usum Roberti filii Roberti filii Elizabethe Russell et heredum suorum et ad perimplendam voluntatem dicte Elizabethe.

8 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roulandi Morton Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

8–[9] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Dalamare armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Beawffo armigeri.
2. De manerio et advocatione ecclesie de Grafton Fleford que dominus Rex concessit domine Johanne Howeth nuper uxori Ricardi Fry.
3. De possessionibus Willielmi Horton nuper de Staunton in comitatu Wigorn. gentilman utlagati.

10 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Nicholai Folyett armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Dalamare de Hardewyke in dicto comitatu.
2. p. m. Johanne domine Howethe.
3. p. m. Ricardi Rowdon.
4. p. m. Thome Stafford armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Wolmer.
6. p. m. Henrici Pympe filii et heredis Johannis Pympe.
7. p. m. Johannis Wassheborn armigeri.
8. p. m. Gilberti Talbot senioris militis.
9. p. m. Edwardi Willoughby armigeri.
10. p. m. Willielmi Sheldon.
11. p. m. Willielmi Holte armigeri.

10–[11] *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Wynter armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Throkmorton militis.

11–12 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Egidii Grevile armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Romney nuper de Lullsey yoman.
2. p. m. Alianore Crofte vidue nuper uxoris Ricardi Crofte militis ac antea uxoris Hugonis Mortymer militis defuncti.
3. p. m. Rogeri Fysurs.
4. Breve Escaetori directum.

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13 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Nanfan Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

14 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Lytelton Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

14–15 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Mukelowe armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roberti Wylloughby militis domini de Broke.
2. p. m. Nicholai Vaux militis domini Vaux.

16 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Ketelby Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem: *Desunt.*

17 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Gowre gentilman Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Thome Lucy militis.

19–20 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Radulphi Sheldon armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Trymnell armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Woode.
3. p. m. Domine Margarete Mortymer nuper uxoris Roberti Downes armigeri.
4. p. m. Andree Norton armigeri.
5. p. m. Johannis Gower armigeri.
6. p. m. Willielmi Leycester generosi.
7. p. m. Johannis Ardern armigeri.
8. p. m. Roberti Morgan armigeri.
9. Breve eidem escaetori directum.

22–21 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Walshe armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Compton militis.
2. p. m. Edwardi Grevile militis.
3. p. m. Willielmi Mukelowe armigeri.

22 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Norton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Tracy armigeri junioris.
2. p. m. Philippi Hawverd generosi.
3. p. m. Ricardi Norton generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Beawfoo armigeri qui obiit in anno octavo dicti Regis.
5. p. m. Willielmi Rudhalle armigeri nuper servientis Regis ad legem.

23 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Rogeri Wynter armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. De maneriis de Abbottysley et Cynteley etc. proficua quorum Johanna nuper domina Howth et postea Willielmus Tyler miles et postremo Walterus Walshe receperunt.
2. Breve eidem Escaetori directum.

24 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Newporte armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Edmundi Harwell.
2. p. m. Johannis Beawfo armigeri.
3. p. m. Edwardi Sutton militis domini Dudley.

25 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Johannis Ketelby armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Domine Anne Seyntleger unius filiarum et coheredum domini Thome nuper comitis Ormond defuncti. (3 m).
2. p. m. Ricardi Cornwall militis.

26 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Roberti Acton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Johannis Hackeluet armigeri.

27 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Gower de Wodhall armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Rogeri Wynter armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Wassheborn nuper de Wychenford armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis More generosi. (2 m.)
4. p. m. Johannis Morgan de Comberton parva in comitatu Wigorn. armigeri.
5. p. m. Humfridi Conyngesby militis.
6. De possessionibus Johannis Hale attincti.
7. p. m. Thome Litelton armigeri.

29 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Humfridi Meyse armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Katerine Froxmer vidue nuper uxoris Thome Froxmer defuncti.
2. p. m. Thome Burdet armigeri.
3. p. m. Thome Cornewall militis.

30 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Gower armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Hey de Suckkey in comitatu predicto yoman.
2. p. m. Thome Englefeld militis nuper unius justiciariorum Regis de communi banco.

31 *Hen. VIII*—Compotus Willielmi Cokesey armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Newport senioris generosi.

32 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Acton armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem: *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. De emptione lanarum contra formam statuti.

33 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Willoughby armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Walshe armigeri.
2. p. m. Humfridi Meysye armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Hastynges generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Dyngley armigeri.

34 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Arnoldi Gower armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Andrews armigeri.
2. p. m. Thome Walsshe armigeri nuper unius Baronum de Scaccario Regis apud Westm.
3. p. m. Henrici Comitis Cumbr.

35 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Willielmi Gower armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Edmundi Evott generosi.

36 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Thome Solley Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

37–38 *Hen. VIII.*—Compotus Georgii Willoughby armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Dethyk junioris.
2. p. m. Willielmi Baker.
3. p. m. Willielmi Horton generosi.
4. p. m. Thome Mynkis alias Menske.
5. p. m. Ricardi Habyngton armigeri.
6. p. m. Francisci Folyatt nuper de Pyrton in comitatu Wigorn. armigeri.
7. p. m. Willielmi Gowar armigeri.
8. p. m. Humfridi Stafford militis.
9. p. m. Georgii White.
10. p. m. Thome Acton armigeri.
11. p. m. Christoferi Savage armigeri.
12. p. m. Edwardi Conway armigeri.

1 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Johannis Bourne armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Ardern armigeri.
2. p. m. Johannis Carewe armigeri.

2 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Willielmi Pynnock armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Ricardi Calowhill de civitate Wigorn. generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Vampage armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Pychard de Stuckley.
4. p. m. Johanne Arrowsmyth vidue.

5 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Henrici Russell armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Thome Love alias Egewyn marcatoris stapule Cales.
2. p. m. Kenelmi Bucke generosi.
3. p. m. Johannis Combes generosi.
4. p. m. Johannis Pychard armigeri.

5–6 *Edw. VI.*—Compotus Georgii Wall armigeri Escaetoris Regis ibidem. 11 Nov. 5—20 Nov. 6 Edw. VI.—10 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

1 *Mar.*—Compotus Willielmi Cokesey Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

1 and 2—2 and 3 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Ricardi Sheldon armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Roulandi Morton militis.
2. p. m. Willielmi Pynnocke armigeri.
3. p. m. Johannis Talbot militis filii Johannis Talbot militis.

2 and 3—3 and 4 *Ph. & Mar.*—Compotus Francisci Sheldon armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Russell militis.
2. p. m. Ricardi Lygon militis nuper de Mattysfeld.
3. p. m. Johannis Alderfull generosi.
4. p. m. Ricardi Muckelowe armigeri.

5 and 6 *Ph. & Mar.*—1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Walteri Blunt armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Henrici Syche nuper de Newbold in comitatu Wigorn. husbandman.
2. p. m. Willielmi Sponer.
3. p. m. Henrici Sheldon generosi.
4. p. m. Roberti Dyson generosi.
5. p. m. Philippi Hobbye militis. (3 m.)

1 *Eliz.*—Compotus Anthonii Everett Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

2 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Folyatt armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Johannis Sheldon generosi.
2. p. m. Johannis Talbott militis.
3. p. m. Inquisitio de etate Humfridi Jenettes filii et heredis Willielmi Jenettes defuncti.

Appendix II.

1. Ancient Compotuses of the Exchequer.

Escheators' Accounts and Inquisitions.

Worcestershire.

6 *Eliz.*—Compotus Edwardi Colles armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
p. m. Anne Pakington vidue nuper uxoris Johannis Pakyngton militis defuncti.

7 and 8 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Badger armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Rogeri Birch yoman.
2. p. m. Jeronimi Palmer armigeri.
3. p. m. Willielmi Pynnock nuper de Hanley Castell armigeri.
4. p. m. Willielmi Jeffreis armigeri.
5. p. m. Willielmi Moore generosi.
6. p. m. Thome Meysie armigeri.

12 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Horton armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Willielmi Jefferis generosi.

13 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Bigges armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Conani Richardson generosi.
2. p. m. Willielmi Wrenford generosi.
3. p. m. Rogeri Colinge nuper de civitate Wigorn in comitatu Wigorn.

22 *Eliz.*—Compotus Humfridi Gennett armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem.
1. p. m. Humfridi Syche husbandman.
2. p. m. Francisci Bucke generosi.

23–24 *Eliz.*—Compotus Johannis Nott armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 1 Feb. 23—27 Mar. 24 Eliz.—2 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

24–[25] *Eliz.*—Compotus Henrici Feilde armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

39–40 *Eliz.*—Compotus Ricardi Gowere armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. ... Feb. 39—... Feb. 40 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

[42]–43 *Eliz.*—Compotus Antonii Langston armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem : *Deest.*
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

43–44 *Eliz.*—Compotus Simonis Mucklowe armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 7 Feb. 43—7 Feb. 44 Eliz.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

44–45 *Eliz.*—Compotus Thome Savage armigeri Escaetoris Regine ibidem. 9 Feb. 44—9 Feb. 45 Eliz.—1 m. (*In Baga.*)
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

45 *Eliz.*—1 *Jac. I.*—Compotus Phillippi Bygg armigeri Escaetoris Regis et Regine ibidem. 15 Feb. 45 Eliz.—15 Feb. 1 Jac. I.—1 m.
Inquisitiones captæ coram eodem : *Desunt.*

Prepared by me,

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No. 2.—INVENTORY of PARTICULARS for GRANTS, preserved among the Records of the late AUGMENTATION OFFICE. (Second Part: continued from Ninth Report, Appendix II., No. 2.)

IBGRAVE, THOMAS [day illegible], May, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Rectory of *Langley-Abbots* (Herts), and Woods, of *Levesden Wood*, in *Cayesho*, in the parish of *Watford* (Herts), and of tenements in the town of *St. Albans* (Herts), late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Herts), (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—3 Membranes.

IBGRAVE, WILLIAM, Esquire, 19 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of parcels of the Manors of *Sarret* and *Langley Abbots* (Herts), late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Herts); the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners; Summary and Particulars of Sale (for Woods, see below) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Sarret* entry and the total]; Rents in *Westwyke* (Bedford); late of the *Monastery of Markeat* (Bedford), Memoranda (for Woods, see below), (1); Rents and farms in the parish of *St. Benedict, in Thames-street, London*, late of the *Monastery of Woburn* (Bedford), Memoranda (for Woods, see below) (1) Woods above referred to (1)—5 Membranes.

INGRAM, RICHARD, Esquire, of *Wolford* (Warwick), and ANTHONY FOSTER, Gentleman, 3 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Tydylmyngton* (Worcester, late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester), the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Caversfelde* (Bucks), (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Caversfyld* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of Messenden* (Bucks), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for Thomas Denton), (1); Farm of the Manor with the Rectory of *Crendon* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of Notteley* (Bucks), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods, (3); Farm of the Manor of *Northaston* (Oxford), with a portion of the Tenths there, late of the *Monastery of Bradenstoke* (Wilts), Rents in *Clanveld* (Oxford), and *Aldborne* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Southwike* (Southampton), Particulars of Sale (1)—9 Membranes.

IRELONDE, THOMAS, 24 June, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Albrighton*, in the parish of *St. Mary*, in the town of *Shrewsbury* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury* (Shropshire), (for Woods, see below), (1); Rents and Farms in *Harlescote*, in the parish of *St. Mary*, in the town of *Shrewsbury* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury* (for Woods, see below), (1); Rents and Farms in the parish of *Stutt* or *Stitt* (Shropshire), and in *Sheppingfeld*, in the parish of *Pulderbach* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Haghmounde* (Shropshire), Memorandum (for Woods, see below), (1); Woods above referred to (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—7 Membranes.

IRELONDE, THOMAS, 10 Feb., 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Rents and Farms in *Patton* and *Weston*, in the parish of *Great Wenlock* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wenlock* (Shropshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (rated for Sir Thomas Bromley, Knight, one of the Justices of the Common Bench), (1); Rents and Farms in *Codercote*, in the parish of *Pullerbache* (Shropshire), Memorandum; in *Bechecote*, in the parish of *Smethcote* (Shropshire), Memorandum; in the parish of *Stutt* (Shropshire), Memorandum; and in *Aston Abbotts* (Shropshire), Memorandum, late of the *Monastery of Hagmond* (Shropshire), (for Woods, see below), (4); Farm called *Monkmore* (Shropshire), with the tenths of grain thereon, and on *Fryer Medowe* and *le Hundredall*, in the parish of *St. Giles, Shrewsbury*, late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury* (Shropshire), Memoranda, Summary and Particulars of Sale (for Woods, see below), (2); Woods above referred to, (1); Farm of a grange called *Dorvault*, with the tenths in the parishes of *St. Mary* and *St. Julian, Shrewsbury*, late of the *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire), Memoranda and Woods (2); Farm of a messuage called *Tuden Arthey Broyney Voyle*, in the town of *Arthe* (Carnarvon), late of the *Monastery of Conway* (Carnarvon), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for Robert ap Hugh and William Hookes, of the towns of *Conway* and *Penren*), and Woods (2)—15 Membranes.

ISEHAM, GILES and GREGORY, Gentlemen, of London, 8 July, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of two watermills in the parish of *Stretley* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Goring* (Oxford), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the *Priory of Carmelite Friars, of Plymouth* (Devon), Farm of the *Priory of Friars Minors or Franciscans of Plymouth* (Devon), Rents in *Plymouth* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Plympton* (Devon), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through two of the *Carmelite* items, 8 of the sums, and 1 total]; Farms in *Netherbroughton* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Lenton* (Notts), Memoranda (1); Rent in *Owthorp* (Notts), late of the *Priory of Haverholme* (Lincoln), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Papworth Annys* (Hunts), late of the *Priory of Huntingdon* (Hunts), Farms in the parishes of *Swineshead* (Hunts), and *Iseham* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Huntingdon* (Hunts), Memorandum (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Broughton* (Leicester), (1); Farm in *Barton Segrave* (Northampton), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Dingley* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—11 Membranes.

Appendix II.

2. Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.

JENYNS, JOHN, Esquire, 20 July, 35 Hen. 8. Request to have in gift (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Oxenbold* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wenlock* (Shropshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the scite and lands of the late *House of Friars Minors in the city of Gloucester*, the certificate of the auditor (1)—4 Membranes.

JENOUR, RICHARD, Gentleman, 22 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Laccheleyhall* (Essex), late of *Joan Queen of England*, Memoranda, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

JEPHSON, WILLIAM, Esquire, 20 Feb., 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Froyle*, with the Rectory (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary, Winchester*, Particulars of Sale and Woods (3) [the pen has been drawn through six of the items in the Reprises]—3 Membranes.

JERNINGHAM, EDMUND, 20 Dec., 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *Tottenham* (Middlesex), late of the *Monastery of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memoranda (2) [one membrane is paper]—2 Membranes.

JOBSON, FRANCIS, 20 March, 35 Hen. 8. Request to sell, and Summary and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Manor of *Collopshall*, in the parishes of *Thorp* and *Kirkby* (Essex), and Woods, belonging to the said *Francis Jobson* (2)—3 Membranes.

JOBSON, FRANCIS, ANDREW DUDLEY, ROBERT HENNAGE, and RICHARD DUKE, Esquires, 11 June, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parish of *Hackney* (Middlesex), late of the *Hospital of St. Mary, Bishopsgate Without* (London), Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of a parcel of the scite of the late *Priory of Friars Minors in the Town of Colchester* (Essex), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Stanwey* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Waltham Cross* (Essex), Memorandum (1); Farm of *Brasewik*, in the parishes of *Mile End* and *Lexden* (Essex), late of *Thomas Cromwell, Earl of Essex, of High Treason attainted*, and formerly of the *Monastery of St. John, near Colchester* (Essex), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the scite and demesne lands of the late *Preceptory of Newland* (York), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memoranda, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm of the Manor of *Newlond* (York), lying in *Normanton, Woodhouse, Altofts, Snytall, Huntewyke, Sherleston, Sandall, Walton, Chapelthorp, Cregilston, Milnethorp, Wakefelde, Staneley, Owchetropp, Loftehouse, Pounctefrette, Fryston near the Water, Horreberry, Kirkethorp*, and *Carleton* (York), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—14 Membranes.

JONES, THOMAS, 10 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Rectory of *Whyttley* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of Dertford* (Kent), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

JOHNS, THOMAS. No date. Hen. 8. No request. Grant of the Rectory and Church of *Whitley* (Surrey), with all the rights, members, and appurtenances, late of the *Priory of Dartford* (Kent) (8) [on paper and slightly defective]—8 Membranes.

JONES, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 8 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Lordship of *Llansadorne*, with the capital messuage called *Abermerles* (Carmarthen), and Woods and Farms in *Maynordeylo*, in the parish of *Llandilo Vawr* (Carmarthen), late of *Resi ap Gr̃ of High Treason attainted*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (5); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Llansadorne* (Diocese of St. David's) (1)—7 Membranes.

JOSSELYN, THOMAS, 30 Jan., 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Cowykebury in Sherynge* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of St. Saviour of Bermondsey* (Surrey), Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2)—2 Membranes.

JUDDE, ANDREW, Citizen, and Alderman of London, 29 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—[on paper] Valuation of the Vicarage of *Preston* (Suffolk) (1); Farms in *Oldfield* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary Pre* (Leicester), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Maysters in Preston* (Suffolk), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Battisford* (Suffolk), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Preston* (Suffolk), late of the *Priory of the Holy Trinity in Ipswich* (Suffolk), the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, and Woods (2); Farm of a parcel of the demesne lands of the late *Priory of Oulnescrofte* (Leicester), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—11 Membranes.

KECHYN, JOHN, of Hatfeld (Herts), 6 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the scite and demesne lands of the late *Monastery of Cokersand* (Lancashire), Farms in *Ellell*, parcel of the Grange called *Middleton Hall*, in *Bankhouse*, in the parish of *Cokerham* (Lancashire), and in the town of *Pilling*, in the parish of *Garstang* (Lancashire), late of the *Monastery of Cokersand* (Lancashire), Memoranda, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (6) [m. 5 gall-stained]—7 Membranes.

KEYLEWAYE, ROBERT, Gentleman, of the *Temple*, in *London*, 2 Aug., 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *More Abbas* and *More Malwyn* with the appurtenances (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Romsey* (Southampton) (1); Rent of the Manor of *Hillington*, with lands in *Beckington* and *Longleate*, and the Rectory there (Somerset and Wilts), late of the *Priory of Henton* (Somerset) (1); Rent of the Manor of *Langley*, with the Chapel of *Saint Algar* in *Langley* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester), Rents in *Bardolfston*, in the parish of *Pudeltowne*

(Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Romsey* (Southampton), (Memorandum) (1); Rent of the Manor of *Burdleston*, or *Bureston*, or *Burston* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Milton* (Dorset), Rents in *Westethorpe* and *Southover*, in the parish of *Tollepudell* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Abbotisbury* (Dorset) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Wirdisford* or *Woodford*, with the appurtenances (Dorset), and of all Lands, Tenements, Chases, and Warrens, in the parish of *Woodford* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Cerne* (Dorset), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Woodford* (Dorset), (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—9 Membranes.

KEYNSHAM, GEORGE, Gentleman, 29 Oct., 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm called *Combe Prior*, with the mansion called *Lower Comb*, in the parish of *Plymstock* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Plympton* (Devon), Farm of the Chapels of *Wembury*, *Sheagh* and *Sandford-Spyne* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Plympton*, Memoranda, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the Chapel's entries and 2 totals]; Farms in the town of *Cambridge*, late of the *House of Augustine Friars, in the Town of Cambridge*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for Nicholas Bacon, of the Court of Augmentations, and John Hacher, Doctor of Medicine) (2) [the pen has been drawn through the name of Bacon].

KYNDE, JOHN, 20 July, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Occolde* (Suffolk) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Bedingham* in *Ockholt* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of St. John near Colchester* (Essex), Memoranda, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for John Kene, of *Thrandeston* (Suffolk), (2); Farms in the parishes of *Topcroft* and *Denton* (Norfolk), late of the *Priory of Flixton* (Suffolk), Memorandum, and Woods (2)—6 Membranes.

KINGISMYLLE, JOHN, 23 Feb., 31 Hen. 8. No request. An annual rent going out of the Manor of *Ludishulf* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Hants) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Sandford*, in the parish of *King's Clere* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Godstow* (Oxford) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Sidmanton* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Romsey* (Southampton), Woods, and Particulars of Sale (2) [on paper]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—5 Membranes.

KYNGESMYLL [no Christian name], 7 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Wodecote* (Southampton), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England;* Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

KYNGSTON, Sir ANTHONY, Knight, 1 Sept., 37 Hen. 8. Request to have of gift (1); Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor or late *Preceptory of Quenyngton* (Gloucester), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Quenyngton* (Gloucester) (1) [stained, and part illegible]; Farm called *Le Chertsey House*, with other farms in the parish of *St. Peter*, near *Paul's Wharf, London*, late of the *Monastery of Bustlesham* (Berks), Memorandum (1); Farm of the *Priory and Cell of Stanley* (Gloucester), with all its appurtenances in *Gloucester* and *Wilts*, and elsewhere in the *Kingdom of England*, late of the *Monastery of St. Peter* (Gloucester), the Certificate of the Auditor, and Woods (3)—8 Membranes.

KYNGSTON, LADY MARY, 18 Aug., 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm within the Scite and Precincts of the late *House of Friars Preachers in the City of London*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

KIRKE, RICHARD, of the City of *London*, 25 June, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Stotfold* (Bedford), late of the *Monastery of Newenham* (Bedford), Memorandum and Woods (2); Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

KIRKEHAM, Sir ROBERT, Knight, 17 June, 34 Hen. 8. No request. Valuation of the Rectory of *Haddon* (Hunts) (1) [on paper]—Farm in *Thumley* (Oxford), late of *Sir Thomas Pope, Knight* (1); Farm called *Le Vente*, parcel of the Lordship of *Cuddesdon* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berks) (2) [one Membrane is paper]; Woods, in the parish of *Halton* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berks) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Elmington* (Northampton), late of the *Abbey of Croyland* (Lincoln) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Haddon* (Hunts), late of the *Monastery of Thorney* (Cambridge, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1) [the pen has been drawn through the Particulars], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [on paper]—8 Membranes.

KYRKMAN, JOHN, Gentleman, of *Esterkele* (Lincoln), 1 July, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Esterkele on the South* (Lincoln) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Esterkele on the North* (Lincoln) (1); Rents in *Esterkele* (Lincoln), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Willoughton*, late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

KYRTON, STEPHEN, Citizen and Merchant Taylor of *London*, 21 June, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Christchurch Twyneham* (Southampton), with a pasture called *Lykehay*, meadows in *Nunmeade*, and the moiety of a fishery in *Stower* and *Aven*, in the parish of *Christchurch* (Southampton); also Farm of *Hurnemarshe*, otherwise *Westhayes*, together with Farms in *Oggebere, Holnest, Dudmore, Walmore, Hurnemedde*, and *Littledowne*, in *Hurne* aforesaid, in the parish of *Christchurch*

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(Southampton), all late of the said *Priory of Christchurch* (Southampton), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

KITSON, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 20 Feb., 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Risby* (Suffolk), late belonging to the *Office of Cellarer of Bury;* Farm of the Manor called *Sexten in Westley* (Suffolk), late belonging to the *Office of Sacristan of Bury;* Farm of the Manor of *Chevyngton* (Suffolk), late of the *Abbey of Bury,* and late belonging to the *Office of Farmer* there (3) [the pen has been drawn through six of the items in the reprises, five of the sums, and four of the totals]; Farm of the Manor of *Hargrave* (Suffolk), late of the *Abbey of Bury* (Suffolk); Farm of the Manor of *Downham* (Suffolk), late belonging to the *Office of Sacristan of Bury* (1) [the pen has been drawn through one item in the reprises and two of the totals]; Rents and Farms going out of the Manor of *Hengrave* (Suffolk), late belonging to divers Offices of the late *Monastery of Bury;* Farms in *Great Barton* (neither county nor late possessor mentioned) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Hengrave* entry]; Farm of the Manor of *Fornham All Saints* (Suffolk), late of the *Abbey of Bury* (Suffolk) (2) [the pen has been drawn through two of the items in the reprises and two of the totals]; Farm of the Manor of *Fornham St. Martin,* extending itself in *Fornham St. Martin, Fornham Genofefe,* and *Hengrave* (Suffolk), late belonging to the *Offices of Prior, Steward* and *Pittancer of Bury* (1) [the pen has been drawn through four of the items, four of the sums, and three of the totals, of the reprises, &c.], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—9 Membranes.

KNEVETT, ANTHONY, and Mrs. GIBSON. No request. Farms in the parish of *St. Dunstan in the East, London,* late of the *Priory of Christchurch within Aldgate, London* (1)—1 Membrane.

KNEVYTON, MATTHEW, Esquire, 6 Aug., 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents and Farms in *Osmaston,* otherwise *Osmondeston* (Derby), late of the *Priory of Tutbury* (Stafford), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

KNYGHT, JOHN, 26 Aug., 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the town of *Newbury* (Berks), and in the parishes of *Thacham* and *Newbury* (Berks), lately purchased of *Charles Duke of Suffolk,* Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farms in the parish of *Newbury* (Berks), lately purchased of *Charles Duke of Suffolk,* Memorandum and Woods (2), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of Mills and Meadows in *Newbury* (Berks), late of *Joan Queen of England,* the Report of the Auditor, and Woods (2); Farm called *Jordan's Lands,* in the parish of *Newbury* (Berks), lately purchased of *Charles Duke of Suffolk,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms and Rents in the town of *Newbury* (Berks), and a Farm called *Eastcrof* and *Haverings,* lying in *Oxenwood* in the parish of *Shalborne* (Berks), lately purchased of *Charles Duke of Suffolk,* Memorandum (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—13 Membranes.

KNYGHT, JOHN, of the Middle Temple, Gentleman, and RICHARD BRIDGES, 12 Feb., 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm in *Newbury* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Wherwell* (Southampton), the Certificate of the Auditor (1); Farms in the parish of *Shalborne* (Berks), late of the *Priory of Durford* (Sussex), Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4); Custody of the Manor of *St. Margaret Stratton* (Wilts), the Certificate of the Clerk of the Pipe, and Woods (2)—8 Membranes.

KNYGHT, JOHN, of the Middle Temple, Gentleman, and RICHARD BRIGES, 9 July, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Crosbye,* in the parish of *Croscamabye* (Cumberland), late of *Henry Earl of Northumberland,* Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of *Densford* otherwise *Shorts,* near *Hungerford,* in the parish of *Kyntbury* (Berks), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Falley,* with the appurtenances (Berks), together with the Rectory of *Falley* (Berks), and all Tenths in the parish of *Falley* belonging to the said Rectory, late of the *Priory of Ambresbury* (Wilts) and Woods (2); Farms in the Manor of *Halfe* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Godstowe* (Oxford), and Woods; Farms in *Southorne* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Donnington* (Berks), Memorandum and Woods (3); Farms in the parishes of *Newbury* and *Spene* (Berks), lately purchased of *Charles Duke of Suffolk,* Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through six of the items], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—12 Membranes.

KNIGHTLEY, Sir EDMOND, Knight. No date, Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Bolbarowe* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester); Farm of the Lordship of *Badby* (Northampton), and Farms and Rents in *Newnham,* in the Lordship of *Badby* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester) (2) [the pen has been drawn through nine of the items and two of the totals]; Farm of the Manor of *Studley* (Warwick); Parcel of the late *Preceptory of Balsall* (Warwick), late of the *House of St. John of Jerusalem in England;* Farm of the Manors of *Hardwick, Marston,* and *Southam* (Warwick), late of the *Priory in the City of Coventry* (2) [the pen has been drawn through two items in the *Hardwick* entry and three items in the *Marston* entry]; Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Chacombe* (Northampton), with the Demesne Lands and the Rectory there, and other rents in the town of *Chacombe* (Northampton), late of the said *Priory of Chacombe* (1) [the pen has been drawn through the Scite entry]; Farms in *Ellington* and *Coldashby* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Pipewell* (Northampton) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the total]; Farm of a parcel

of the Lordship of *Oschurche* (Warwick), late of the *Priory in the City of Coventry;* Farm in *Hayford* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of St. James* near *Northampton* (1)—7 Membranes.

KNIGHTON, JOHN, Gentleman, of *Bayford* (Herts), 18 June, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Bayford* (Herts), Parcel of the *Duchy of Lancaster;* the considerations of the Auditor, Summary, and Particular of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

KNYGHTON, THOMAS, 13 Aug., 36 Hen. 8. No request. Bond of Robert Caleway, Gentleman, for payment of money to the King (1); Farm of the Manor of *Brokendon* (Herts), late of the *Monastery of Waltham* (Essex), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) [on paper]—4 Membranes.

KNYVETT, Sir EDMOND, Knight, 22 Sept., 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Summary and Particulars of Sale of the following, all late of the *Priory of Buckenham* (Norfolk), viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Buckenham,* with its members (Norfolk), and of the Manor of *Bresingham* (Norfolk); Quit-rents going out of lands, &c., in *Thurston, Rockeland, Shropham, Illington, Snetterton, Rowdham, Multon, Carleton, Stowby, Kyrton, Sethmor, Bunwell, Quidenham, Est Harlyng, Besthorp, Wevyllwood, Great Elingham,* and *Larlinge* (Norfolk); Farms in *Leven, Attilborough, Norton, New Buckenham,* and *Old Buckenham* (Norfolk); Farm of a portion of tythe of the Vicarage of *Barwick* (Norfolk); Farm of the Parsonage of *St. Andrew and All Saints,* called *Old Buckenham* (Norfolk); Farm of the Manor of *Mildenhall* in *Burston,* with the appurtenances (Norfolk); Farms in *Burston* (Norfolk), and in the parish of *St. Bennett,* in the *City of Norwich.* Rents and Tenths reserved to the King out of the foregoing: Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

LAMBARTE or LAMBERT, JOHN, 21 Feb., 31 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Rents in *Malhom, Ayrton, Helifield,* and *Scothorp* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Bolton* (York), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

LAMBARD or LAMBERT, JOHN, [day illegible,] May, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farms in the parish of *St. Saviour, Southwark,* without *Purser Alley* in the parish of *St. Olave* in *Southwark* (Surrey), and in the parish of *St. Mary Bothawe, London,* late of the *Priory of St. Mary Overy* (Surrey); Farm in the parish of *All Saints the Greater* in the City of *London,* late of the *Monastery of Dertford* (Kent), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [slightly defective]—1 Membrane.

LAMBARDE or LAMBERT, JOHN, 17 May [no year], Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Hedington* (Wilts) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Hedington* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Lacock* (Wilts), Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—4 Membranes.

LAMBE, WILLIAM, 28 Jan., 34 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *London* belonging to the late *Priory of Rewley* (Oxford), to the late *Monastery of Garradon* (Leicester), and to the late *Priories of St. John of Jerusalem* (Middlesex) and *St. Bartholomew in West Smithfield* (London), Memorandum (2)—2 Membranes.

LAMBERT.—(See LAMBARTE.)

LANDAFF, BISHOP of, 9 May, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Malton* (York); Farm of *Sutton Grange,* in the parish of *Norton,* near *Malton* (York); and of *Ryton Grange,* in the parish of *Kirkby Overker* (York), late of the *Monastery of Malton* (York), Particulars of Sale and Memorandum (1)—1 Membrane.

LANDAFF, ROBERT, BISHOP of. No date. Hen. 8.? Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of a parcel of the possessions of the late *Priory of St. Ellen,* in the parish of *St. Ellen,* in the *City of London* (1)—2 Membranes.

LANE, MAWDE, widow of Sir RALPH LANE, Knight. No month. 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the *Commaundry of Hogeshawe* (Bucks), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memoranda and Woods (3) [one Membrane is paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Wetheley,* with all Lands and Tenements there in the counties of *Warwick* and *Worcester,* late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester), Memorandum and Woods (2), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—7 Membranes.

LANGLEY, ROBERT, Esquire, 21 April, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of *Moorland* in *Brentlache,* in the town of *Penhulton* (Lancashire), and in *Salford* (Lancashire); parcel of the possessions of the *Duchy of Lancaster,* Summary, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2) [2 slightly gall-stained, and a portion obliterated]—3 Membranes.

LANGLEY, ROBERT, CHRISTOPHER PRYNE, ROBERT NICOLLS, ROLAND ATKINSON, JOHN SHEFFELD, JOHN BOURGOYNE, ALEXANDER HUDSON, ROBERT SMYTH, WILLIAM BESWICKE, JOHN DALTON, RICHARD PELTER, NICOLAS MYCHELL, JOHN HILCOCK, STEPHEN COOKE, WILLIAM CHARE or CHARDE, JOHN BOWGHEN, and JOHN THORP, citizens and "bruers" of *London;* THOMAS ARMESTRONGE, RALPH HAMERSLEY, JOHN PETINGALLE, BENETT BURTON, JOHN LUTTE, HENRY NAYLOR, RICHARD PALE, PHILLIP BOLDE, JOHN EVANS, and WALTER JOBSON, citizens and clothworkers of *London;* THOMAS BARBER, THOMAS CUTTILL, JOHN KINGE, RICHARD LEVERSHAM, and RALPH MERSHALL, citizens and tallow-chandelers of *London;* WILLIAM BUXSTODDE, RICHARD PORYE, JOHN REDMAN, WILLIAM RAYNOLDES, and GEORGE BALDOCKE, citizens and bowyers of *London;* HUGH CHURCHE, RICHARD HAIE, JOHN WATSON, THOMAS

HAWSE, RICHARD HUDSON, and JOHN JOHNSON, citizens and Inholders of *London;* GEORGE FORSTER, WILLIAM STOOKS, JOHN ROWE, and ROBERT EDERIGE, citizens and coriers of *London;* JOHN MAYE, EDWARD SANDERS, JOHN BUTLER, ANTHONY SILVER, and JOHN CURTES, citizens and lether-sellers of *London;* ROBERT CRULL, GEORGE DAVISON, LAWRENS ROBGENT, and CUTHBERT BIESTON, citizens and gurdelers of *London;* JOHN HETHE (thelder), WILLIAM CABTON, and JOHN WISEDOM, citizens and paynte-stayners of *London;* RICHARD HALL and SIMON WEBB, citizens and diers of *London;* WILLIAM COLLINS and BOSTON WYNE, citizens and carpenters of *London;* ROBERT SHURLOCKE and JOHN YELDE, citizens and woodmongers of *London;* WILLIAM BONEHAME and JOHN RAYNES, citizens and stacioners of *London;* EDWARD WOTTON, citizen and doctor of phisike of *London;* JOHN HARRYSON, citizen and cutler of *London;* WILLIAM TEMPLE, citizen and fletcher of *London;* ROBERT BLOGRAVE, citizen and draper of *London;* JOHN COLINS, citizen and baker of *London*; JOHN SKYNNER, citizen and barber-surgeon of *London;* PETER PETERSON, citizen and gardener of *London;* RICHARD CLEMENT, citizen and tiler of *London;* EDWARD STEWARDE, citizen and sadler of *London;* and RICHARD BARTLET, citizen and doctor of phisike of *London*, 20 Sept., 36 Hen 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Codycote* (Herts), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Herts); Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Woods belonging to the parsonage of *Kyrlington* (York), late of the *Priory of Charterhouse*, near the *City of Coventry* (Warwick) (1)—4 Membranes.

LATHUM, RALPH, 29 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Upmynstere* (Essex), late of *Thomas Earl of Essex attainted*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

LATHUM, REYNOLD, 30 April, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of *Longworth* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berks), Memorandum touching Woods (1); Farm in *Serman Lane*, in the parish of *St. Mary Magdalen, in Old Fisshe Strete, London*, late of the Charter House, near the City of London, Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

LAURENCE, OLIVER, Esquire, 24 Oct., 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Affepudell* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Cerne* (Dorset), Memorandum, Woods, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (4); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Affepudell* (Dorset) (1); Rents and Farms in *Loverleigh* and *Boreswayne* otherwise *Barressen*, in the parish of *Gussage All Saints* (Dorset), late of the *Priory of Mountague* (Somerset), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale (rated for *John Senclere, Esquire*), and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the Manor of *Nethercerne* (Dorset), mentioned in the Summary, and of which there are no particulars here, and also through the two last lines of the Summary]; Farms in the Towns of *Morton Underhill* and *Yedesonlogge* (Worcester), late in the respective tenures of *Robert Bonhull*, lord of *Morton Underhill* and *Walter Clehanger*, and in the King's hands by forfeiture, Memorandum and Woods (1); Farm called *Shepyn Ferme*, with its appurtenances in "*forena de Henley Beawdeserte*," otherwise called *Henley in Arden* (Warwick), late of *Richard Earl of Warwick attainted*, Memorandum and Woods (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Clement Throgmorton, Esquire*) (1)—11 Membranes.

LAWARDE or LORDE, ROBERT, 29 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Bocking* and *Pannefeld* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Beyleigh* (Essex), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale (rated for *Henry Polsted*), and Woods (2); Farms in the parishes of *St. Dunstan Fleet Street*, and *St. Clement Danes without Temple Bar, London*, late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the late *House of Friars, Augustine in Orford* (Suffolk), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Stoke*, near *Guyldeford* (Surrey) (1); Rent of a messuage called *Wisdoms*, with its appurtenances in the town and fields of *Netherwallop* (Southampton), and the Tolls, &c., of a Fair, held yearly at *Dunbury Hill*, in the Manor of *Netherwallop* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Ambresbury* (Wilts), the Certificate of the Auditor (1); Valuation of the Advowson of the parsonage of *Stoke* near *Guyldeford* (Surrey) (1); Farm of a Mansion called *The Moted Place*, with other Farms in the parish of *Redrith* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of St. Saviour of Bermondsey* (Surrey), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1) [Particulars much obliterated]; Farms near *Charing Cross*, in the parish of *St. Martin-in-the-Fields* (Middlesex), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1); Farms in the parish of *St. Botolph Without Aldgate, London*, late of the *Monastery of Graces*, near *the Tower of London*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1); Rent of a Tenement called *The Bell*, and a Garden and Stable in *Mynchynlane*, in the parish of *St. Dunstan-in-the-East, London*, late of the *Monastery of St. John of Colchester* (Essex) (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [much obliterated]; Farm of the Rectory Church of *Estudderley*, with the Mansion House thereof (Southampton), and the Appurtenances, late of the *Priory of St. Dennis* (Southampton), Memorandum, the Certificate of the Auditor, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—15 Membranes.

LAWE, THOMAS, Gentleman, 7 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm called the *Parsonage Place*, in *Lathebure* (Bucks), and Farms in the parishes of *Filgrave* and *Hardmede* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of Lavenden* (Bucks), Memoranda, Summaries, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4)—5 Membranes.

LAWLYE, RICHARD, 19 June, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Rents in *Burton*, in the parish of *Great Wenlock* (Shropshire), and Farm of a parcel of the Manor of *Calloughton*, in the same parish, late of the *Priory of Wenlock* (Shropshire), (3); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

LAWLEY, RICHARD, Esquire, and THOMAS, of the town of *Shrewsbury*, and merchant of the staple at *Calais*, 21 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor and Rectories of *Crano Tregomon* (Montgomery), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Halston* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale (rated for *Sir Anthony Wingfield, Knight of the Garter*, now for *Richard ap Morice of Apowen* (Montgomery), Gentleman, and Woods (3); Rents and Farms in *Burton*, in the parish of *Condover* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury* (Shropshire), Memorandum and Woods (3); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1); Farms in *Crounkehill* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury* (Shropshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in the parish of *Stokeblisse* (Hereford), late of the *Monastery of Lymbroke* (Hereford), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Birley* (Hereford), and of the Chapel of *Maynston* (Montgomery), late of the *Monastery of Wigmore* (Hereford), Memorandum (1); Rents in *Ledebury* (Hereford), late of the *Priory of Little Malvern* (Worcester), Memorandum and Woods (2); Rents in *Pychefeld* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire), Memorandum (1); Rents in *Codyngton* (Hereford), late of the *Priory of Little Malvern* (Worcester), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Hopton* and *Muckehall*, in the parish of *Great Wenlock* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wenlock*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Priors Harnall*, in the *County of the City of Coventry*, and in *Felxhull* and *Sowe* (Warwick), late of the *Priory or Cathedral Church of Coventry*, Memoranda and Woods; Farm of Water-mills in *Swapston* near *Meysham* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Pollesworth* (Warwick), Memoranda and Woods (2); Farm called *Northbroks*, in the parish of *Fulbroke* (Warwick), late of the *College of St. Mary* (Warwick), Memorandum; Rents in *Balsall* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Kenelworth* (Warwick), Memorandum; Farms in *Longbridge* (Warwick), late of the *House of the Friars of Thellesford* (Warwick), Memorandum; Farms in the town of *Warwick*, late of the *Priory of Chacombe* (Northampton), Memoranda and Woods (2); Farms called *Little Bullas* and *The Great Bullas*, in the parish of *Duston*, near the town of *Northampton*, late of the *Monastery of St. James* near *Northampton*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Bulton* (Derby), late of the *Priory of Langley* (Leicester), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm in *Eyton Merstotte*, in the parish of *Barington* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire), Memorandum (1); Farm in the town of *Leicester*, late of the *Priory of Oulneston* (Leicester), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Hillwotton* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Stoneley* (Warwick), Memorandum (1); Farm of two Water-mills, called *Gybclyff Mills* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Kenelworth* (Warwick), Memorandum (1); Farms in the town of *Banbury* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Chacombe* (Northampton), Memorandum; Farm in *Hanwell* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Canonsashebie* (Northampton), Memoranda (1); Farms in the *City of Coventry*, late of the *Priory of Carthusians*, near the *City of Coventry*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (rated for *Christopher Warren, of the City of Coventry*, merchant) (2) [the Particulars of Sale defective], Summary and Particulars of Sale (2); [in the Summary the pen has been drawn through the entry of the Manor of *Ralinghope* (Shropshire), parcel of *Wigmore* (Hereford), and there is a note stating it is cancelled, because it has been sold to *Edward Corbet*; the pen has been also drawn through the entry of the Advowson of the Parsonage of *Ralinghope* in the sum total]—36 Membranes.

LAWLEY, THOMAS, of the town of *Shrewsbury*, merchant of the staple of the town of *Calais*, and THOMAS COLLFOX, 21 Nov., 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms and Rents in *Graffeton*, and elsewhere in the parish of *Fytts* (Shropshire), in *Adcote, Thorneforde*, otherwise *Basmeyre*, and *Walford*, in the parish of *Baschurch* (Shropshire), in *Neven* (Carnarvon), in *Mevyden* (no county mentioned), in *Webstow* in the parish of *Middle* (Shropshire), in *Abbots More* (Shropshire), in *Caldecote* otherwise *Hetherhouse*, in the lordship and parish of *Conokinge* (Derby), and in *Ryton with Merston*, in the parish of *Ryton* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); [small portions of the first membrane obliterated, defective, and gall-stained, and the pen has been drawn through all the Farms on the second membrane]—4 Membranes.

LAWSON, JAMES, 30 June, 32 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Nesham* (Durham), lying in the town of *Nesham* and in *Littleburdon, Hynden*, and elsewhere, in the parish of *Cokefield*, in the county of the *Bishoprick of Durham*, and Farms in the town of *Hurworth* (Durham) and elsewhere, late of the said *Priory of Nesham* (Durham), Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

LAWSON, JAMES, 6 June, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Byker* (Northumberland), late of the *Earl of Northumberland*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

LEDER, OLIVER, 23 May, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farms in *Oxstede* (Surrey), late of *Edward Duke of Buckingham, of High Treason attainted*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the name of the party rated for in the Particulars]; Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Stoneley* (Hunts), and Farms in *Stoneley, Great Stoughton*, and *Hallweston* (Hunts), and in *Little*

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Stoughton (Bedford), late of the said *Priory of Stoneley* (Hunts), Memorandum, Woods, and Summary and Particulars of Sale (4) [the Summary and Particulars almost all obliterated]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Little Stoughton* (Bedford) (1); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Southoo* (Hunts), (1)—8 Membranes.

LEADER, OLIVER, of *London*, and FRANCES, his wife, 23 May and 28 July, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Requests to purchase (2)—Farm of the Bailiwick and Collectorship of *Rydesdale*, with its members (Northumberland), of *Cokedale*, with its members (Northumberland), and of the Manor of *Hesell*, with its members, in the town of *Kingston-upon-Hull* (York), late of *Thomas Wyndoyshe, Esquire, in right of his Wife Elizabeth Lady Tayleboyse*, Memorandum and Woods (1)—3 Membranes.

LEDER, OLIVER. No date. Hen. 8. Sec. 3. No request. Farm of the Rectory of *Kyrtelyngton* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Carthusians near the City of Coventry* (Warwick) (1), Woods (3) [A fragment, title gone, very defective]; Woods in *Great Stoughton* and *Haliweston* (Hunts), and *Little Stoughton* (Bedford), (see Sec (1) (2) [Title gone, very defective]; Woods in *Stoketon* (Hunts), late of the *Charter House near the City of London* (1) [defective]—7 Membranes.

LEE, Sir ANTHONY, Knight, and JOHN CROKE, Esquire, 12 July, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents in *Bishopstone, Southcote, Hartwell*, and *Ovyng* (Bucks); Farm of portions of the Tenths in *Esyngton*, in the parish of *Chylton* (Bucks), and in *Fletemerston* (Bucks); Farm of the Rectory of *Chylton* (Bucks), and of the Rectory of *Stone*, with the Manor of *Senclers* (Bucks), all late of the *Cathedral Church of Osney* (Oxford), Memorandum and Woods (4) [the Woods much obliterated], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [defective, and almost all obliterated]—6 Membranes.

LEE, HENRY, 18 April, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Teffont Evias* (Wilts), late of *Walter Lord Hungerford of Heytredisbury, of High Treason attainted*, Memorandum and Woods (2), Particulars of Sale (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Teffounte Evias* (Wilts) (1); Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Rothwell* (Northampton), Memoranda, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm in the parish of *Sondon*, otherwise *Sonyngdon* (Bedford), late of the *Monastery of Notley* (Bucks), Memorandum and Woods (2); Rent in the town of *Hawrige*, in the parish of *Corse* (Gloucester), late of the *Priory of Little Malvern* (Worcester), Memorandum; Rent of *Burgages*, in the town of *Webley* (Hereford), late of the *Monastery of Wormesley* (Hereford), Memorandum (1)—11 Membranes.

LEE, Sir RICHARD, Knight, 17 Feb., 31 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Sopwellbury* (Herts), of *Eywodd Park* (Herts), of *Cowley Mill* and *Sankeford Mill* (Herts), and a Farm in the town of *St. Albans*, in the parish of *St. Peter* (Herts), all late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Herts), Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

LEE, Sir RICHARD, Knight, 26 June, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Blakehide*, otherwise *Corsers* (Herts), with divers Rents in the town and fields of *St. Albans* (Herts), and in *Southmynnes, Colney, Weymere, Ikelforde, Hychen, Hyde, Wallingforde, Polloxhille, Shenley*, and *Rudge* (Herts and Bedd.), late of the *Priory of Sopwell* (Herts), Memorandum (2), Summary and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Sir Richard Lee and Margaret his Wife*) (1); Farms in the parishes of *St. Stephen* and *St. Michael the Archangel*, near the town of *St. Albans* (Herts), late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Herts), Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Memorandum (2) [the pen has been drawn through one of the Farms, and a total in the Summary]; Farm of the Rectory of *Stokelyle* (Northampton), late of the *Cathedral Church of Osney* (Oxford), and Woods (2); Farm of a portion of the Tithes of *Bevon* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berks), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Bevon* entry]; Farm called *Oldehall* (Herts), and another called *Byggyngs* (Herts), late of *Gertrude Courtney Marchioness of Exeter, of High Treason attainted*, Summary, Particulars of Sale (rated for *Clement Newce, of London, Merchant*), and Woods (3)—11 Membranes.

LEE, Sir RICHARD, Knight, 20 July, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Abbots Langley* (Herts), late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Herts), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale and Woods (3) [the pen has been drawn through three of the sums and three of the totals]—4 Membranes.

LEE, Sir RICHARD, Knight. No month. 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 4. Request to have as gift (1)—Manors and Farms belonging to the *Almshouses of the Holy Trinity, of Arundel* (Sussex), Summary and Particulars of Gift (4) [Membranes 4 and 5 much obliterated and much gall-stained]—5 Membranes.

LEE, Sir RICHARD, Knight. No date. Hen. 8? Sec. 5. No request. By exchange—Lands appointed by the King to the said *Sir Richard*, viz., Farm of the Manors of *Newent*, with its members (Gloucester), *Beckforde* (Gloucester), *Bisbroke* (Rutland), *Radmere* (Suffolk), and *Chesterton* (Hunts), late of the *College of St. Mary, and All Saints, of Fodringhay* (Northampton) (2) [slightly gall-stained and faded]; Farms in the town of *St. Albans* (Herts), late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Herts), Memorandum (3) [slightly defective, and a small portion obliterated]; Farm of the Manor of *Malgarsbury* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester), Memorandum (2); Farm of the Manor of *Barton* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berks), Memorandum (1); Farms called *Holts in Marten* and *Bryckehowse* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of Marten* (Surrey), Memorandum (1), in exchange for viz., Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Tringe* (Herts); and of the Rectory of *St. Stephen*, with Tithes in

the parishes of *St. Stephen* and *St. Michael* (Herts), and in *Smaleford* and *St. Julian*, near the town of *St. Albans* (Herts); Farm of the Parsonages of *St. Peter*, in the town of *St. Albans*, and *Codycote* (Herts), late of *Sir Richard Lee, Knight* (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Burford* and Chapel of *Fulbroke* (Oxford), late of *Edmund Harman, Esq.* (1) Summary of Particulars of Exchange (1) [Particulars much dirtied, parts illegible, and parts obliterated]—12 Membranes.

LEE, THOMAS. No month. 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Rectory of *Over Catesby* (Northampton), with Tenths in *Halyden* (Northampton), and in a field called *Newbolde* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Catesby* (Northampton) (the Answer of the Auditor), Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane. (See also Leigh.)

LEEKE, FRANCIS. No month. 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *Scarcliffe* and *Palperton* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Derley* (Derby); Farms in *Kyrkehallum* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Dale* (Derby); Farms in *Northwynfeld* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Welbeck* (Notts); Farms in *Sutton in Dale* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Newsted* (Notts); Farm of the Manor of *Byrley*, in the parish of *Brampton* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Lowthe* (Lincoln), Memorandum and Woods (3); Farm of the Rectory of *Scarcliff* (Derby), besides the Tenths of Wool and Lambs, late of the *Monastery of Derley* (Derby); Farm of the Rectory of *Hawtehuknall* (Derby), late of the *Priory of Newsted in Shirwod* (Notts); Farm of the Rectory of *Alfreton* (Derby), with *Harwod Grange* and lands called *Ethecote*, in *Chesterfield* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Beawchiff* (Derby); Farm of the Rectory of *Kyrkehalam* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Dale* (Derby) (2), Memorandum (1); Valuation of the Vicarages of *Dugmanton, Scarcliffe, Halom, Alfreton*, and *Haultehuknall* (Derby) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Staveley* (Derby), and a Moiety of the Rectory there, parcel of the late *Preceptory of Yeveley or Stede* (Derby), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (Middlesex), Memorandum (1); Woods belonging to the parsonages of *Hautehucknall, Scarclyff, Alfreton*, and *Kyrkehallum* (Derby), and to the Manor and a Moiety of the Parsonage of *Staveley* (Derby) (1); Farm of the Manors of *Horne* and *Duston* (Derby), and of the Tenths of *Ledwore* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Lenton* (Notts), Memorandum and the Answer of the Auditor (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [very defective, and slightly gall-stained]—11 Membranes.

LEIGH, JOHN, 15 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to exchange (1)—Lands appointed to the King by the said *John Leigh*, viz., Farm of the Manors of *Stockwell* and *Lenhurst*, in *Lambeth Deane* (Surrey), with other Farms there, held of the *Archbishop of Canterbury*, as of his Manor of *Lambeth* (for Woods see below); Farm of the Manor called *Wights*, in the parish of *Westchayham* (Surrey); Farm of an Inn, called the *Lyon*, in *Guildford* (Surrey); of the Manor of *Effingham* (Surrey) (for Woods, see below); of the Manor of *Westlounde*, in the parishes of *Wutton, Abingworth, Okley, Ewhurst, Craneley, Wonnersse*, and *Albery* (Surrey); and of the Manor of *Paddington*, in the parishes of *Abingworth* and *Shire* (Surrey); Farms in *Shire, Effingham, Shawford, Hascombe, Westlounde, Marrowe*, and *Lethered* (Surrey), held of the Manor of *Pattishame* (no county mentioned); in *Oxsted* and *Wallingham* (Surrey), and in *Shepely* (Sussex); Farm of the Manors of *Dytton* (Kent) (for Woods, see below); *Skyffyngton, Brampton, Offham, Snodbeame*, and *Pepynstrawe* (Kent), and *Benefield*, otherwise *Depears* (Berks), Woods (above referred to), within the Manor of *Lenchurst* (Surrey), all late of *John Leigh, Esquire*, in Exchange for—viz., Farm of the Manor of *Willyton* (Somerset), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Templecombe* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Northover* and the Rectory of *Skylegate* (Somerset) (1); Valuation of the Rectories of *Abbottistok* and *Hawkechurche* (Dorset), and of the Free Chapel of *Milton* (Dorset), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manors of *Hannyngton* and *Sutton Scotney* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Southwike* (Southampton), with all Farms in *Hannyngton* and *Sutton Scotney*, late belonging to the same Monastery (for Woods, see below); Farm of the Manor of *Broughton* (Southampton), with all Hereditaments in *Broughton*, and all those Pastures called *Frenchemore, Fulsey, Fysheweres* and *Frenchmore Combes*, in the parish of *Westudderley* (Southhampton), late of the *Hospital of St. Nicholas in Portesmouth, commonly called Goddishowse* [the pen has been drawn through this entry, and a small portion is obliterated]; the Certificate of the Auditor (1) [the pen has been drawn through both the Reprises]; Farm of the Manor of *Helton* with its members (no county mentioned) (for Woods, see below) [the pen has been drawn through one item in the Reprises and two totals]; Farm of the Manors of *Skylgate* (Somerset) and *Milton* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Abbotsbury* (Dorset) (for Woods, see below) [the pen has been drawn through the *Milton* Reprises]; Rents in *Stoke Abbots* and *Charterhay* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Shirborne* (Dorset) [the pen has been drawn through the Reprises]; Farm of the Manor of *Hawkechurche* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Cerne* (Dorset) (for Woods, see below) (2); Woods belonging to the Manors of *Helton* and *Hawkechurche* (no county mentioned) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Esse* (no county mentioned), late of the *Priory of Taunton* (Somerset) (for Woods, see below); Farm of the Scite of the *Monastery of Athelney* (Somerset) [the pen has been drawn through the *Athelney* Scite entry], (for Woods, see below); Farm of the Manor of *Lynge*, with its members (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Athelney* (Somerset) [the pen has been drawn through the Reprises) (for Woods, see below); Farm of the Manor of *Northover* (no county mentioned), with Lands in *Kington* and *Charleton* (no county mentioned), late of the *Hospital of St. John the Baptist of Bridgewater* (Somerset) [the pen has been drawn through the

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Reprises] (for Woods, see below); Farm in *Chilternvagge* (Somerset) (for Woods, see below); and *Donmere* (no county mentioned), late of the *Priory of Witham* (Somerset) (3) [the pen has been drawn through two totals]; Woods above referred to (6) [2 Membranes are paper], Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—17 Membranes.

LEIGH, NICHOLAS, 10 May, 36 Hen. 8. Request to exchange (1)—Lands appointed to the King by the said *Nicholas Leigh*, viz., Farm called *Lee Farm*, in the parishes of *Hedley, Lethered, Ashted,* and *Walton on the Hill* (Surrey), pertaining to *Nicholas Leigh, Esquire,* and Woods (2), in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Adyngton* (Surrey), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Valuation of *Addington* Vicarage (Surrey) (1); Farm of *Addington* Rectory (Surrey), late of the *Priory of St. Mary Overey* (Surrey), Memorandum and Woods (2), Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—9 Membranes.

LENNOX, EARL of. (See LYNNOXE.)

LEVESON, JAMES, Merchant of the Staple. No date. Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Lordship of *Lilleshull,* lying in *Lylleshull, Hunnyngton* or *Hemyngton, Muxton,* and *Donyngton* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Lilleshull* (Shropshire) (for Woods, see below) (7) [the pen has been drawn through the Reprises]; Farm of *Dynthill Grange,* in the parish of *St. Alkmond,* in the town of *Shrewsbury* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Lilleshull* (for Woods, see below) (1); Rents and Farms in *Freyseley,* in the parish of *Pollesworth* (Warwick), Rents in the parish of *Longdon* (Shropshire), Memorandum, and Farm of *Lysyard Grange,* in the parish of *Tonge* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Lylleshull* (Shropshire), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (2); Rents and Farms in *Brockton* and *Harrington,* in the parish of *Sutton Madocke* (Shropshire), Rents in *Wokyngate,* in the parishes of *Wombridge, Rokedyn,* and *Wellington* (Shropshire), in *Tybberton,* in the parish of *St. Edmund* (Shropshire), and in *Grendell,* in the parish of *Ryton* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wombridge* (Shropshire) (for Woods, see below) (2); Farm of a parcel of the Manor of *Bewbridge,* in the parish of *Clavely* (Shropshire), Farm called *Hyddislands,* in the parish of *High Erkehall* (Shropshire), and Farms in *Broughton,* in the parish of *Clavely* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Haugmounde* (Shropshire) (for Woods, see below) (3); Farm of the Manor of *Chedull,* in the parish of *Chedull* (Stafford), with all lands and tenements belonging to the same in *Stafford,* Rent of a House called the *Wichehouse* in *Midlewiche* (Chester), late of the *Monastery of Croxden* (Stafford) (for Woods, see below); Farms in the parishes of *Asteley Abbotts,* otherwise *Asteley Bruge* (Shropshire) (for Woods, see below) and *Morveld* (Shropshire), Memorandum; an Annual Pension issuing out of the Rectory of *Edgemounde* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury* (Shropshire), Memorandum (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Edgemound* entry and the Memorandum following]; Farms and Rent in the parishes of *Sutton near Shrewsbury,* and *Deuxhill* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wenloke* (Shropshire) (for Woods, see below); Farm of the Manor of *Dowles* (Worcester and Shropshire), and Rents in *Great* and *Little Meaton,* in the parish of *Kynlett* (Worcester and Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Great Malvern* (Worcester), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (3) [the pen has been drawn through one item in the Reprises]; Farm of a parcel of the Manor of *Fisgarton* (Nottingham), late of the *Priory of Thurgarton* (Nottingham), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Fisgarton* entry]; Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Commaundry or Preceptory of Beverley* (York), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Beverley* entry]; Memorandum of Value of Lands of *William Monnocks,* in *Chingford parish* (no county mentioned) (1) [on paper]; Valuation of the *Church Gilde of Newport* (Shropshire) (1); Valuation of *Dowlyz* Rectory (Shropshire) (1) [on paper]; Woods above referred to (5); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—31 Membranes.

LEVESONNE, JOHN, of *Wolverhampton,* Merchant, 7 March, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents and Farms in *Brewood, Horsebroke,* and *Stretton* (Stafford), late of the *Priory of Brewood* (Stafford), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Hardewyke* (Shropshire), lying in *Grynshill, Hadenhall, Haston, Smethecote, Asteley, Confaw,* in the parish of *St. Mary Shrewsbury,* and in *Mocleton, Edgebalden, Besforde, Acton Reyner, Balderton, Steple,* and *Hardewyke* (Shropshire) (for Woods, see below); Farm of the Rectory of *Shawberye* (Shropshire), of a parcel of the Manor of *Meryden,* lying in *Meryden* and *Adcote* (Shropshire), and Rents in *Longstaunton* and *Waterupton* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire) (for Woods, see below); Farms in *Bridgenorth* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wenlock* (Shropshire) [the pen has been drawn through the *Bridgenorth* entry]; Farms in *Baschurch* (Salop), and Rent in *Adcote* (Salop), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury* (Shropshire), Memoranda, Summary, Particulars of Sale (for Woods, see below) (5); Woods above referred to (2)—10 Membranes.

LYMSEY, JOHN, 4 April, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Westwood* (Kent), late of *Thomas Cromwell Earl of Essex,* now in the King's hands by exchange, the Answer to the Articles of the King's Commissioners, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4)—4 Membranes.

LINCOLN, THE MAYOR and COMMONALTY of, 9 July, 38 Hen. 8. No request. Valuation of the Rectories of *Hanslape* (Bucks), *Flamsted* (Hertford), and *Hemyswell, Surflett, Belton,* and *Southsomercots* (Lincoln) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Flamsted, Surflett,* and *Southsomercots* entries]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

LYNNOXE, MATHEW, EARL OF, and LADY MARGARET, his Wife [no date], Hen. 8. Request to receive of Gift (1)—Farm of the Castle or Lordship of *Whorleton* (York), and of the Manors of *Brighton* and *Grenehagh* (York), late of *Sir James Strangweys, Knight* (2); Farm of the Manors of *Kyrhelevyngton, Rafferton,* and *Wandesford* (no county mentioned), Rents in *Gemlyn* (no county mentioned), and Farm of the Manor of *Hundmanby* (no county mentioned), purchased of the late *Earl of Northumberland;* Farm of the Manor of *Straston Grange, Carleton Grange, Arundell Howse, Chapell Howse,* with a Tenement in *Coldbarghe* (no county mentioned), purchased of *Sir Arthur Darcy, Knight,* Summary and Particulars of Sale (2); Farm of the Manors of *Temple Newsom* and *Temple Hurst,* with their Members (York); and of the Manor of *Silkeston with Beckhaye* (York), late of *Sir Thomas Darcy, Knight, Lord Darcy;* Farm of the Manor of *Jarvaux,* with Manors, Granges, and other Hereditaments in *Newhouse, Akbarth, Hasilden, Rokewyth, Kilgramhowe, Heyne, Lasyngbye,* and *Gollynglyeth* (York); Farm of the Lordship of *Estwitt,* with Manors, Granges, and other Hereditaments in *Riswyke, Newsted, Elsahall, Dedderston, Hunteham, Fyngall, Thornton, Stward, Newton-in-le-Willows, Wynxley,* and *Richemond* (York); Farm of the Lordship of *Wennesladale,* with Granges, Manors, and Hereditaments in *Tunstall, Ellyngton, Ferebye, Harmebye, Estmaryforth within Rokewyk, Gyllyng, Hertforth, Feldome, Melsambye, Milby, Burton-Constable, Hunton, Brompton-Patrick, Walborne, Hartispole, Bellarbye, Colborne, Ellingstring,* and *Horton-in-Ribblesdale* (York), all late of the *Monastery of Jarvaulx* (York); Farm of the Manor of *Settrington* (York), late of *Sir Francis Bygod, Knight,* Memorandum (2)—7 Membranes.

LISLE, VISCOUNT, LORD ADMIRAL, 5 April, 37 Hen. 8. Request to have by way of Gift (1)—Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* in the parish of *Clerkenwell* (Middlesex); Farm called *Bocherclosse,* in *Trelmelstrete,* in the parish of *Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—3 Membranes.

LYSTER, Sir MICHAEL, Knight, 16 March, 34 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite of the late *Hospital of St. Nicholas of Vaux in New Sarum* (Wilts); Farm of the Manor of *Westharnam,* with *Estharnam* and *Burford* (Wilts); Farms in *Lavington Bishops* (Wilts), and in the hamlet of *Renway,* in the parish of *Cannings* (Wilts); Farm of the Rectory of *Chaterne All Saints* (Wilts); and Farms in the city of *New Sarum* (Wilts); Farm of the Manor of *Athelington,* with the Rectory there (Dorset), of the Rectory of *Waldich* (Dorset), with a tenement belonging, and of the Rectories of *Milborne* and *Devilishe* (Dorset), all late of the said *Hospital of St. Nicholas of Vaux in New Sarum,* Memorandum and Woods (4) [one Membrane is paper], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—5 Membranes.

LYSTER, Sir RICHARD, Knight, and WILLIAM THORPE, Esquire, 26 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents in *Thorpe* (Nottingham), parcel of the *Preceptory of Eagle* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (1); Valuation of the Prebend or Rectory of *Leckford* (Southampton) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Leckford* (Southampton), with all Farms, &c., in *Leckford* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary Winchester,* Memorandum, Certificate of the Auditor, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—6 Membranes.

LITCOTT, CHRISTOPHER, 14 March, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parish of *St. Michael Bassingshawe, London,* late of *Sir Richard Charleton, Knight, of High Treason attainted,* Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Wargrave* (Berks) (1); Farm of the Rectory and Pension of *Wargrave* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (Berks), the Certificate from the Auditor and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Lordship of *Willond,* and all Farms in *Willond* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Taunton* (Somerset), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (Rated for *Richard More*) and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Willand* (Devon) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Northrawceby* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Farms in *North* and *South Rawceby* (Lincoln), Parcel of the *Preceptory of Templebrewer* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum and Woods, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *John Cocks*) (3); Farms within the Scite and Precincts of the late *Priory of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum (1)—14 Membranes.

LITELTON, EDWARD, (no month), 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of a pasture called *Myxton Hey* (Stafford), late of the *Monastery of Hylton* (Stafford), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire), of parcels of the Granges of *Saunderne* and *Home Barne,* in the Lordship of *Saundern* (Shropshire), of a Meadow in *Uffington* (no county mentioned), of *Talley* Meadow, in *Walcott* (Shropshire), of lands and tenements called *Ree,* in the parish of *Upton* (Shropshire), of the Demesne Lands of the Lordship of *Aston Abbots* (Shropshire), and of fields and a water-mill in *Upton* (Shropshire), all late of the said *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire) (for Woods, see below) (3) [the pen has been drawn through the demesnes entry, and a total]; Woods above referred to (1) [on paper], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

LOCK, WILLIAM (no month), 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in the parish of *St. Mary le Bow, London,* late of the *Monastery of Clerkenwell,* and the *Priories of Kilborn* (Middlesex), and *Nuns Minoresses,* and *Elsingspittell, London* (3) [2 Membranes are paper. The pen

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has been drawn through the Reprises of *Kilborn*. Membrane 2 very defective, and the Summary much obliterated]—3 Membranes.

LONDON, EDMOND, Bishop of, 25 November, 36 Hen. 8. Request to exchange (1)—Lands appointed to the King by the said *Bishop*, viz., Farm of the Manors of *Great Clackton* (Essex), and *Loddesworth* (Sussex), belonging to the *Bishop of London*, and Woods (4) [the pen has been drawn through two of the totals]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Ridmerley Davitot* (Worcester) (1), Memorandum of Repairs in . . . *ekton* (no county mentioned (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Busheley*, with the Appurtenances (Worcester), late of the *Earl of Warwick*, Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1) [the pen has been drawn through two of the totals and one of the sums]; Farm of the Manor of *Ridmerley Davitot* (Worcester), late of the *Earl of Warwick*, Woods, and Memorandum touching the right of patronage of the Rectory there (1) [the pen has been drawn through two totals and three sums]; Farm of the Manor of *Fonehope* (Hereford), late of the *Earl of Warwick*, Memorandum touching Woods and the right of patronage to the Rectory there (for Woods, see below) (1) [the pen has been drawn through three sums and three totals]; Farm of the Manors of *Lower Swelle* and *Langborough with Hethend* (Gloucester), with all the appurtenances in *Swelle, Langbourough*, and *Hethend* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Hayles* (Gloucester), Memorandum touching Woods, Certificate of the Auditor, and Woods (3) [the pen has been drawn through the Manor of *Swelle* entry, and the *Langborough* and *Hethend* total]; Woods of the Manors of *Busheley* and *Fonehope*, above referred to (1), Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—15 Membranes.

LONGE, Sir HENRY, Knight, 1 June, 33 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Kington* (Wilts), of the Rectory of *Kington*, and of the Office of Foreign Bailiff of *Kington* (Wilts), and Farms in *Bradley* (Southampton), in *Camme, Dodington*, and in the town of *Bristol* (Gloucester), and Annual Pensions from the Vicars of *Twyverton* (Somerset) and *Stourepayne* (Dorset), late of the *Priory of Kington* (Wilts), Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) [on paper]; Farms in *Lyneham* and *Lytlecote* (Wilts), and Farm of the Rectory of *Lyneham* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Braddenstok* (Wilts), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—3 Membranes.

LONG, Sir RICHARD, Knight. No date. Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Scite of the late *Hospital of St. Thomas a' Becket, Southwark*, and Farms and Rents in the *City of London*, in the *Borough of Southwark* (Surrey), in the parish of *St. Mary Magdalen, near Bermondsey* (Surrey), in *Newington, Otworth, Chilworth, Dunsfold, Lambhieth, Newington, Camerwell, Wymbylton, Mitcham, Batrichsey, Chalweldon*, and *Keterham* (Surrey), in *Clyff* and *West Grenewych*, otherwise *Depford* (Kent), in *West Wycombe* and *Great Marlow* (Bucks), and in *Foston* (Leicester), Farm of the Rectories of *Much Wakering* and *Bumsted Elyon* (Essex), all late of the said *Hospital of St. Thomas a' Becket, Southwark*, Particulars of Sale (7); Farm called *Redyng Place*, with other Farms in the parish of *St. Andrew by the Wardrobe, London*, late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (1); Valuation of the *Hospital of Newporte* (Essex), Valuation of the lands of *Sir Richard Long, Knight (Gentleman of the Privy Chamber)*, which were enclosed in *Berkeryngs* and *Prestleys* Parks (Bedford) by the King's command (1); Farm of the Manor of *Lytleton* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Malmsbury* (Wiltshire) (1)—10 Membranes.

LONG, Sir RICHARD, and LADY MARGARET, his Wife. No date. Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Valuation of the Rectory of *Great Saxham* (Suffolk) (1) [on paper, half gone]; Farm of the Manor of *Great Saxham* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmund* (Suffolk), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Gift, and Woods (2) [one Membrane is paper]—3 Membranes.

LONG, Sir RICHARD, Knight, and CHRISTOPHER EDMONDES, Gentleman, 25 June, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Lewkenor* (Oxford and Berkshire), lately purchased of *Charles Duke of Suffolk*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Duklyngton* (Oxford) (1); Farm of the Manors of *Duklington* and *Fringeforde* (Oxford and Bucks), at one time parcel of the possessions of *Sir Thomas More, Knight, of High Treason attainted*, and afterwards of *Henry Norreys, Esquire, of High Treason attainted*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Lower Wynchenden* (Bucks), and of a close called *Newby*, in *Holcombe* (Oxford), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Chapel of *Kyedyo* (Carnarvon), late of the *Monastery of Kynniar*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Rent and Farm in the town of *Evesham*, and within the Lordship of *Evesham* (Worcester), and Rents in the town of *Bengeworth*, and within the Lordship of *Bengeworth* (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester), Memoranda (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—12 Membranes.

LONGEFELD, ARTHUR, 27 May, 33 Hen. 8. No request. By exchange. Lands appointed by the King to the said *Arthur*, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Bradwell* (Bucks), Rents in *Loughton* and *Shenley* (Bucks), and Farms in *Great Billinge* and *Wykyn* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Shene* (Surrey), Rents in *Wolverton* and *Stony Stratford* (Bucks), late of the *Priory of Snelleshall* (Bucks), Farms in *Wolverton* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of Chixsande* (Bedford) (1), in exchange for, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Stoke Brier*, and of lands in *Sampford* (no county, no late possessor, and no Particulars of *Stoke Brier*, &c., but only mentioned in Summary), Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1) [the pen has been drawn through two lines in the Particulars, and parts are illegible]—2 Membranes.

LONGFORD, HENRY, of Woodyatts (Dorset), 6 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1) —Farm of the Manor of *Woodyatts*, in the parish of *Woodyatts* (Dorset), and of the Manor of *Gussage St. Andrews*, in the parish of *Iwerne* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Tarraunt* (Dorset), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [slightly defective]; Farm in the parish of *Hanley* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Milton* (Dorset), and Woods (2)—5 Membranes.

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LOSEMORE, GEORGE, and JOHN STRANGMAN, 8 June, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms and Rents in the *Commote of Collyon* (Denbigh), parcel of the Lordship of *Ruthyn* (Denbigh), late of the *Earl of Kent*, Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Maurice ap Knevett*, Gentleman, and Woods (2) [defective]; Farms in the parish of *Eglosevaugh* (Carnarvon), late of the *Monastery of Conway* (Carnarvon), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of a moiety of the Escheated Manor of *Hendor*, in the Commote of *Edernyon* (Merioneth), parcel of the *Principality of North Wales*, Memorandum, and note touching Woods (1); Rent in the town of *Krygeoch*, in the parish of *Llanarmon* (Denbigh), late of the *Monastery of Vala Crucis* (Denbigh), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Maurice ap Knevett, Gentleman*,) and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Estpulham* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Byndon* (Dorset), and Woods, all Farms in *Winterborne Marten* (Dorset), belonging to the late *Monastery of Abbotisbury* (Dorset), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Templeton* (Devon), parcel of the late *Commaundry of Templecombe* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Templeton* (Devon) (1); Rents and Farms in *Wellome* and *Clarborowe* (Notts), late of the *Priory of Worsopp* (Notts), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Richard Richardsonne, Gentleman*), and Woods (2)—16 Membranes.

LOSSE, HUGH, 16 March, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of a parcel of the Manor of *Little Stanmer* (Middlesex), late of the *Monastery of St. Bartholomew, West Smithfield* (London). The Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1) —1 Membrane.

LOSSE, HUGH, and THOMAS BUTCHER, 21 April, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farms in the parish of *All Saints, Dowgate, London*, late of the *Priory of Christchurch* (London), and now *purchased of Philip Vanwilde* (1); Farms in the parish of *St. Martin, London*, late of the *Monastery of the Minories without Aldgate, London* (1); Farms in the parish of *St. Mary at Arches, London*, late of the *Monastery of the Minories without Aldgate, London*; Farms in the parish of *St. Peter Poor, London*, late of the *House of Friars Augustine, in the City of London*; Farm of an Hostell called *Trinity Hostell*, in the parish of *The Holy Trinity*, in the town of *Cambridge*, late of the *Monastery of West Dereham* (Norfolk) (1); Farm in the parishes of *St. Andrew Hubberd, St. Botolph near Billingsgate, St. Botolph without Aldgate, St. Olave in Mark Lane, St. Sepulchre without Newgate*, and *St. Bartholomew the Less, London*, late of the *Monastery of Graces, near the Tower of London*; Farms within the Scite and precincts of the late *House of Friars Carmelites, in the parish of St. Dunstan in the East, London*; Farms in the parishes of *St. Benedict and St. Andrew, in Eastcheap, London*, late of the *House of Friars Augustine* (London); Farms in the parishes of *St. Sepulchre* and *St. Edwin*, within the Scite and precincts of the late *House of Friars Minors, London* (2); Farm in the parish of *St. Anne*, within the Scite and precincts of the late *House of Friars Preachers, London*; Farms in the parishes of *St. Olave near the Tower, All Souls at Dowgate, All Saints Barking*, and *St. Botolph without Aldgate, London*, late of the *House of Crutched Friars London*; Farms in the parish of *St. Stephen in Walbrook, London*, late of the *College of Acon, London*; Farms in the parishes of *St. Andrew Undershaft, St. Olave, in Mark Lane*, and *St. Botolph without Aldgate, London*, late of the *Monastery of Graces, near the Tower of London*; Farm in the parish of *St. Sepulchre without Newgate, London*, late of the *Priory of Elsingspittell London*; Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *William Butts*, in the names of *Hugh Losse* and *Thomas Butcher*) (2)—7 Membranes.

LOSSE, HUGH, and THOMAS BUTCHER. No date. (Hen. 8?) Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm in *Philip Lane* in the parish of *St. Alphege*, and farms in the parishes of *St. Michael at Bassisshawe* and *All Saints the Greater, London*, late of the *Priory of Elsingspittell, London* (1); Woods belonging to farms in the parish of *Hendon* (Middlesex), late of the *Priory of Elsingspittell, London*, and Woods belonging to the Manor of *Canons* and its Demesnes in *Whitchurch* (Middlesex), late of the *Monastery of St. Bartholomew, London* (for the Farms, see below) (1) [on paper]; Rents called *Grofeld Vaugh* and *Groffeld Vaure* in the parish of *Aburgeveny* (Monmouth), late of the *Monastery of Talley* (Carmarthen); Rent of a Mill called *Maestyr* in the parish of *Maughan* (Monmouth) late of the *Monastery of Lanternam* (Monmouth); Rents called *Crofte Baugh* and *Crofte Agnes* in the parish of *Llanellen* and *Gwyrlode y Prior* in the parish of *Aburgeveny* (Monmouth), with another farm in *Monmouth*, late of the *Priory of Aburgeveny* (Monmouth); Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Mary Matfelon without Aldgate, London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Osithe* (Essex) (1) [on paper]; Farms in *St. Clement's Lane* in the parish of *St. Clement, London*, late of the *Monastery of Stratford, Langthorne* (Essex) (1) [on paper]; Farms in the parish of *St. Sepulchre*, in the suburbs of the *City of London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Bartholomew, London* (1); Farms in *Charterhouse Lane* and *St. John Street* in the parish of *St. Sepulchre, London*,

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and in the parishes of *St. Giles without Cripplegate, St. Peter Poor near Baynard Castle, St. Botolph without Bishopsgate,* and in *Charterhouse Lane* in the parish of *St. Sepulchre, London,* late of the *Charter House, London*; Farms in the parishes of *St. Botolph without Aldgate, St. Botolph near Billingsgate,* and *St. Bridget, Fleet Street, London,* and Farm of a parcel of the Manor of *Poplar* (Middlesex) (late possessor not stated); Farms within the Scite of the late *House of Friars Preachers in the City of London*; Farms in the parish of *All Saints at Dowgate, London,* late of the *House of Crutched Friars in the City of London* (4) [the pen has been drawn through the *Poplar, Friars Preachers,* and the *Crutched Friars* entries]; Farm of a parcel of the Manor of *Little Stanmer* (Middlesex), late of the *Priory of St. Bartholomew in West Smithfield, London* (for Woods, see above); Farms in the parish of *Hendon* (Middlesex) late of the *Priory of Elsingspittell* in the *City of London* (for Woods, see above) (1)—12 Membranes.

Lovell, Sir Francis, Knight, and Lady Elizabeth, his Wife, 20 Mar., 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Conston* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmunds* (Suffolk); Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

Lovell, Philipp, Gentleman, 21 Feb. 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents and Farms in *Shelton* (York), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary* (York); Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

Ludlowe, George, 24 Feb. 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Fyfeld* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Dertford* (Kent); Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—3 Membranes.

Lukyn, Geoffrey, 24 April, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Maisbury* (Essex) with Farms in *Goodster, Smelye, Chykenall, Highester,* and *Plassey* (Essex), parcel of *Maysbury* aforesaid, formerly of *Joan Queen of England,* and since parcel of the *Duchy of Lancaster*; the Report of the Auditor; Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Mashbury* (Essex) (1)—3 Membranes.

Macham, Thomas, of *Edmondesham,* Dorset, 20 Sept., 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Upwymborne* (Dorset), with its members in the parish of *Cramborne* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), Woods, and Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

Malt, John, 11 Feb., 32 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Demesne of *Offington* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire), Memorandum and Woods (3); Farm in the hamlet of *Wachingfeld* in the Demesne of *Shrivenham* (Berkshire), late of the *Monasteries of Cirencester* (Gloucester) and *Bradenstoke* (Wilts) (1); Farms in *Wacchenfeld* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire); Particulars of Sale (1); Particulars of Sale (2) [on paper]—7 Membranes.

Malt, John, 7 May, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1) [much gall-stained]—Farm of the Manor of *Andresey* otherwise *Nyland* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Somerset); the Auditor's Certificate, and Woods (2); Rents in *Westbury* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Bruton* (Somerset), Memorandum (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Podimore Milton* (Somerset) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Middleton* otherwise *Milton Podimore* (Somerset), with lands in the parish of *Middleton* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Somerset), the Auditor's Certificate (1); Farm of the Manor of *Doultyng* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Somerset), the Auditor's Certificate (2); Woods pertaining to Farms mentioned in the three last foregoing Membranes (1); Farm of the hamlet of *Stoke* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Somerset), and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—12 Membranes.

Malt, John, 8 Sept. 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Kelveston* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Shafton* (Dorset), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manors of *Eston* and *Katerin* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Bath* (Somerset), Memorandum (3); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—5 Membranes.

Maners, Sir Richard, Knight, 30 Sept., 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parishes of *Bawkewell* and *Overhaddon* (Derby), late of the *Chantry of Bawkewell* (Derby), Memorandum (1); Farm of *Vernons Chantry* in the *Collegiate Church of Tong* (Shropshire), Memorandum (1); Farms in the boroughs of *Tonge* and *Wollingdon* (Shropshire), with the Manor of *Lapley* (Staffordshire), and Farms in *Gyldon Moreton* (Leicester), all late of *Tong College* (Shropshire), Memorandum (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

Manfeld, Andrew, 4 June, 38 Hen. 8. No request. Rents in *Newton Hamlets of Hosforth* (Norfolk), late of *Sir Richard Southwell, Knight,* in the King's hands by exchange, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Heynesforth* (Norfolk), late of *Sir Richard Southwell, Knight,* in the King's hands by exchange, Memorandum and Woods (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Heynesforth* (Norfolk) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Marrehame* (Norfolk), late of the *Priory of Westacre* (Norfolk), Memorandum and Woods, also Woods pertaining to Farms in *Laxfeld* (Suffolk) (2); Farms in *Stoke* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of St. Peter, Ipswich* (Suffolk), Memorandum (1); Farms in the parish of *Laxfeld* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Leyston* (Suffolk), Memorandums (2); Farms in the town of *Bury* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury* (Suffolk), Farms in *Stannowe* (Norfolk), and in *Lakenhith* otherwise *Wylton* (Norfolk and Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Thetford* (Norfolk), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in the town of *Bury* (Suffolk), and in *Ayleshame* and *Thetford*

(Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Thetford* (Norfolk); Farms in *Dounehame, Methwolde, Honyngham, Fouldon* (Norfolk), and in *Lakenhith* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Thetford* (Norfolk), Memorandum and Woods (3); Summary and Particulars of Sale (3)—17 Membranes.

MANNOK, THOMAS, 19 May, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Wormingford* (Essex), with the Rectory there, late of the *Monastery of Waltham* (Essex), the answer of the King's Commissioners, Woods, and Summary and Particulars of Sale (3)—3 Membranes.

MARROW, THOMAS, 4 June, 37 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Wrydeffyn* otherwise *Rudfen* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Kenelworth* (Warwick), Memorandum, Woods, Summary and Particulars of Sale (3); Farm of the Rectory of *Marton* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Nuneton* (Warwick), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Chapel and Rectories of *Overwhiteacre Netherwhiteacre* and *Lee* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Mergate* (Bedford), Memorandum (1)—6 Membranes.

MARTEN, DAVID, 27 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of a capital mansion with lands and tenements belonging to the same, in and near *London*, late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Somerset), Auditor's Certificate, Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

MASSY, ROBERT, 8 Dec. 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with seal (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Mays Mynan* (Denbigh), with the Park and Mill there, Memorandum, Woods and Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

MASSYE, THOMAS, of *West Chester*, 28 March, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of certain Lands in the town of *Halton* within the Demesne of *Churke* (Denbigh), late of the *Monastery de Valle Crucis* (Denbigh), Memorandum, Woods and Particulars of Sale (2); Rent in the parish of [blank in original] (Denbigh), late of the *Monastery de Valle Crucis* (Denbigh), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

MASTALL, JOHN, 5 March, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Lublington* (Sussex), late of *Battle Abbey* (Sussex), Memorandum, Woods, and Summary of Value. [on paper] (4)—4 Membranes.

MASTER, JOHN, and THOMAS of *Sandwich*, 6 Aug., 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Sandwiche* and *Willesborowe, Dover* and in the Hundred of *Hoo* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Boxley* (Kent), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Estlangdon* (Kent) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Estlangdon* (Kent), Memorandum and Woods (3); Farm of the Manor of *Stodmarshe* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of St. Augustine* (Kent), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm in *Southwark*, late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Southampton), the Certificates of the Auditors (5); Farm in the parish of *St. Michael Cornhill, London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Bartholomew in West Smithfield, London* (1); Farms in the parishes of *St. Benedict* and *St. Martin, London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford), Memorandum (1); Farms in the parish of *St. Michael, Hog-lane, London*, late of the *Priory of Minoresses without Aldgate, London*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Rents in the parishes of *Westbere* and *Littlebourne* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of St. Augustine, Canterbury*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—20 Membranes.

MATHER, ALEXANDER, 18 Aug. 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1); Farm of the Manor of *Vauces Hall* in *Eston* (Norfolk), with Rents in *Bawburgh, Higham* and *Smallburgh* (Norfolk), late of the *College of St. Mary-in-the-Fields, Norwich*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

MAUNSELL, RICHARD, of *London*, and BARKER BRIAN, 11 Sept., 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase with seal (1)—Farms in the parishes of *St. Michael, Queenhithe* and *St. Benedict, Gracechurch, London*, and in *Southwark* and *Newington* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary Overy* (Surrey), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (3); Farms in the parish of *St. Saviour, Southwark* (Surrey), late of the *Priory of St Mary Overy* (Surrey), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2); Farms in the parishes of *Newington* and *St. Saviour's, Southwark* (Surrey), late of the *Priory of St. Mary Overy* (Surrey), Memorandum (1)—7 Membranes.

MAUNXELL, Sir RICHARD, 29 May, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farms in the parishes of *Margam, Laleston, Tethegestowe, Marcross*, and *Pylle* (Glamorgan), late of the *Monastery of Margam* (Glamorgan), Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (4)—4 Membranes.

MAUNXELL, Sir RICHARD, Knight, 16 August, 38 Henry 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manors of *Hawode y porth* and *Kenfygg*, of the *Grange of Llanegellyth*, together with rents in *Trissent*, and the Scite of a Mill in the parish of *Margam* (Glamorgan); Farm of the Manor of *Tethegistoo*, and the Granges of *Horgroo*, in the parish of *Tethegistoo*, and of *More* in the parish of *Llanlaff* (Glamorgan), Memorandum (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *More* entry]; Woods pertaining to the Manors of *Hawode y Porth* and *Kenfygg* (Glamorgan), all late of the *Monastery of Margam* (Glamorgan) (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—5 Membranes.

MAYE, ROBERT, 1 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Hydon*, in the parishes of *Witham, Friary, Blagdon*, and *Perdy* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Witham* (Somerset), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

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MAYER, HUGH, 5 April, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of a parcel of the Rectory of *Rotherston* (Chester), late of the *Priory of Launde* (Leicester) [the Answer to the Articles contained in the Letters of the King's Commissioners], Memorandum (2)—2 Membranes.

MAYNARD, JOHN, 26 March, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in the town of *St. Alban's* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford) [Answer to the Articles contained in the Letters of the King's Commissioners], Memorandum and Woods (5); Farms in the parish of *St. Michael in St. Alban's* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford), and Woods (2); Farms in *Chaddesley* (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Bordesley* (Worcester), Memorandum; Farm of the Tenths of *Strixton* (Northampton), with Farms and Rents in *Sherington* (Buckinghamshire), and in *Brixworth, Wold,* and *Wollaston* (Northampton), and rents in the town of *Northampton,* all late of the *Monastery of Delaprey* (Northampton), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4) [the pen has been drawn through the *Strixton* entry]; Farms in *Hawkesworth,* in the parish of *Otley* (York), late of the *Priory of Essholte* (York), Answer to the Warrant of the King's Commissioners and Woods (2); Farms in *Muckton* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Alvingham* (Lincoln), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in the town of *St. Alban* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford), Memorandums (2); Farm of a Mill in the town of *St. Albans* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford); Farm of parcel of the Scite of the *House of Friars Augustine, London,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Friars Augustine* entry]; Farm in the parish of *St. Andrew, Holborn,* late of the *Charter-house, London,* Memorandum (1)—19 Membranes.

MAYNARD, JOHN, and RICHARD CRYME, 21 May, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the town of *Nottingham,* late of the *Monasteries of Semperingham* (Lincoln), *Newstead* (Nottingham), *Priory of Worksopp* (Nottingham), *Priory de Pratis* (Derby), *Priory of Thurgarton* (Nottingham), *Monastery of Derley* (Derby), and *Monastery of Dale* (Derby), Memorandum (4); Farm of the Rectory of *Lubbenham* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Sulby* (Northampton), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Seylbye* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Axholme* (Lincoln), Memorandum (1); Rents in *Beyston, Thornecote, Yekewell, Caldecot,* and *Templeford* (Bedford), late of the *Monastery of Wardon* (Bedford), Memorandum (1); Rents in the parish of *Aberffrow* (Anglesea), late of the *Monastery of Conwey* (Carnarvon), Memorandum and Woods (2); Rents in the towns of *Kellynyock* and *Hendreooysan* (Anglesea), late of the *Monastery of Conwey* (Carnarvon), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in the City and Suburbs of *York,* late of *Henry Earl of Northumberland,* Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Mary,* near the town of *Nottingham,* late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (1), Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2)—16 Membranes.

MAYNARD [no name or dates]. No request. Woods pertaining to Farms in *York* (1)—1 Membrane.

MERCERS OF LONDON, CHURCH OF THE, 4 December, 33 Henry 8. No request. Farms in the parishes of *St. Olave,* in the *Old Jewry; St. Mary, Colechur ; St. Stephen, Walbrook; St. Martin,* in *Ironmonger-lane;* and *St. Stephen, Colman-street, London,* late of the *College of Acon, London,* Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (4)—4 Membranes.

MERETH, PHILIP, 16 September, 36 Henry 8. No request. Farms in *Byfeld* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Catesby* (Northampton), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Polling* (Southampton), late of the *Earl of Hereford,* Particulars of Sale and Woods (2)—4 Membranes.

MERSSHE, JOHN, 21 May, 34 Henry 8. No request, by exchange. Lands appointed to the King by the said *John Mersshe,* viz.,—Farm of the Manor of *Mulsoo* (Buckingham), parcel of the Manor of *Cranefield* (Bedford), with Farms in the parish of [blank in original] (Middlesex), and Woods (2), in exchange for, viz.,—Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Delaprey* (Northampton); Farm of the Manor of *Sywell,* with Lands and Tenements in (Northampton), late of the *Priory of St. Andrew* (Northampton), Memorandum (2) [the pen has been drawn through part of the *Sywell* entry]: Woods pertaining to the Farms mentioned in the last two foregoing Membranes, with Woods belonging to *Cold-Ashby Grange* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Pipewell* (Northampton) (1), on paper; Summary and Particulars of Exchange (2), on paper—7 Membranes.

MERVYN, Sir EDMUND, 8 May, 36 Henry 8. Request to Purchase, with seal (1)—Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Durford* (Sussex), with its Demesne Lands, and of a Farm in *Petersfield* (Southampton), late of the same Monastery, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

MICHAEL, JAMES, 8 October, 37 Henry 8. No request. Farm of the Rectory of *Branktree* (Essex), late of the *House of the Carthusians, near London,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

MILDEMAYE, [no name or dates]. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Moulsham* (Essex), in the parishes of *Chelmsford, Great Badowe, Stock, Widford,* and *Writtle* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of St. Peter Westminster,* Memorandum and Woods (2), (Woods, on paper); Fragment of a copy of a Letter Patent (1)—3 Membranes.

MILDEMAYE, THOMAS [no dates]. No request. Farm of [illegible in original] (1), on paper—1 Membrane.

MILLE, JOHN and GEORGE, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manors of *Nutshalling* and *Milbroke* (Southampton), late of *Trinity Church, Winchester*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods, pertaining to the Manor of *Milbroke* (3); Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Nurling* (Southampton), late of *Trinity Church, Winchester* (1); Farm of the Manor of *Langeley* (Southampton), late of the *Priory of Bremmer* (Southampton), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Newthorp* (Nottingham), late of the *Monastery of Lenton* (Nottingham), Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3)—9 Membranes.

MILLE, JOHN and GEORGE, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Quarrer*, with the Scite of the late *Abbey of Quarrer*, also of the *Grange of Newenham*, in the *Isle of Wight* (Southampton), all late of the said *Abbey of Quarrer* (Southampton), and Woods (3); Farm of the *Grange of Roughbarrow*, in the *Isle of Wight* (Southampton), late of the *Abbey of Quarrer* (Southampton) (1); Farm of portion of the Tenths of *Bartramsley*, in the parish of *Bolder* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Christchurch Twyneham* (Southampton); Farms and Rents in *Soppley* (Southampton), and in the parish of *Christchurch Twyneham* (Southampton), late of the *Priory of Bremmer* (Southampton) (1), Auditor's Certificate, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1) —7 Membranes.

MILLER, ROBERT, of Wymbotham, [no county,] 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Downham* (Norfolk) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Wimborsham* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Ramsey* (Huntingdon); Memorandum and Woods (2); Rents in the Borough of *Lynne* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Wardon* (Bedford), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—8 Membranes.

MODYE, RICHARD, 18 May, 35 Hen 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Garsden* (Wiltshire), with Tenths and Pensions there, late of the *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wiltshire); Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Garsdon* (Wiltshire) (1)—5 Membranes.

MODYE, RICHARD, 1 Oct., 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Whitchurch with Milborn* (Wiltshire) and the Tenths of the same in the same county, late of the *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wiltshire); Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Certificate of the sale of *Saint James's Chapel*, lying within the Scite of the Manor of *Whitchurch* (Wiltshire), and late of the *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wiltshire) (2) [on paper]—5 Membranes.

MONOUX, GEORGE, 21 April, 34 Hen. 8. Request to exchange (1)—Lands appointed to the King by the said *George Monoux*, viz.,—Farm of the Manor of *Gowers* and *Buckerells*, in the parish of *Chyngford* (Essex) (1), in exchange for, viz.,—Farm of the Manor of *Culkerton*, otherwise *Culcerton*, with Farms and Rents in *Culcerton* and *Bisley* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Kingswood* (Wiltshire), and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1) [on paper]—5 Membranes.

MORDAUNT, EDMUND, 23 Feb. 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Stansgate* (Essex), with the Rectory of *Steple* there, late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England;* Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Exchange (2)—3 Membranes.

MORE, ROGER, 26 April, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Friars Augustine, London* (1); Rents and Farms in the town of *Burcester* (Oxford), with Rents in *Wretithwike, Middleton*, and *Arnecote* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Burcester* (Oxford) (2); Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

MORE, THOMAS and ROBERT, 20 May, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Bustlesham* (Berkshire), Memorandum; Farm of the Rectory of *Medemenham* (Buckingham), late of the *Monastery of Abingdon* (Buckingham); Memoranda, and Woods (3), Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2)—6 Membranes.

MORES, THOMAS and JAMES, 11 Feb. 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Faringdon* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Beaulieu* (Southampton); Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm in the town of *Great Faringdon* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Beaulieu* (Berkshire); Auditor's Certificate and Particulars of Sale (1)—5 Membranes.

MORES, KYDWALLATER AP, and ROBERT GETHYN AP MORES, 24 Feb., 36 Hen. 8.—Request to purchase (1)—Rents in the parish of *Llanwith*, parcel of the hamlet of *Hariethog* (Denbigh), late of the *Monastery of Conway* (Denbigh), Answer to the Articles contained in the Letters of the King's Commissioners, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

MORGAN, RICHARD, and ROBERT LONG, Citizen and Mercer of London, 16 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with Seal (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Rotlinghope* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Wigmore* (Hertfordshire); Farm of Tenths arising out of Demesne Lands in *Yokleton*, in the parish of *Westbury* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Shropshire;* Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Stratton* (Somerset) (1); Farm in *Compton* (Somerset); parcel of the late *Preceptory of Templecombe* (Somerset), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Farm of the Rectory Church of *Chilcompton* (Somerset), with certain tenements in *Kynemarsdon* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery af Braddenstoke* (Wiltshire),

Memorandum and Auditor's Certificate (1); Woods pertaining to the Farms mentioned in the last two foregoing membranes (1); Farms in *Hewish* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Christchurch Twynham* (Southampton); Auditor's Certificate, and Woods (2); Farms in the City of *Bath* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Farleigh* (Wilts), and of Lands in *Farnborough* (Somerset), late of the same Monastery; Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—14 Membranes.

Moris, Lady Elizabeth, 4 May, 38 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manors of *Gravesend* (Kent) and *Parrock* (Kent), with Rents in the parishes of *Milton* and *Northfleet* (Kent), late of the [illegible in the original]; Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (3)—3 Membranes.

Moris, Thomas, 25 February, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manors of *Great* and *Little Cokkeswell* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Beaulieu* (Berkshire); Particulars of Sale (3)—3 Membranes.

Morison, Richard [no dates]. Sec. 1. No request. Fragment relating to Lands in *Bartilbury* (Worcester) and *Bigley* (Shropshire) (1)—1 Membrane.

Morison, Richard, 18 March, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the City of *Worcester*, with the suburbs of the same, late of the *Hospital of St. Wulstan* (Worcester), and of Lands in *Hartlebury*, *Servernestok*, *Clifton upon Teame*, *Alfreton*, *Boddington*, *Whyttenton*, *Chaddiswich*, and *Crowle* (Worcester), and in *Higgeley* and *Stratford* (Shropshire), late of the same Hospital (3) [on paper]; Farm in the County of *York*, late of the *Hospital of St. James*, near *Northallerton* (Yorkshire) (1) [on paper]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

Morison, Richard, 12 July, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor or late *Preceptory of Quennington* (Gloucester), late of the *Priory of Saint John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Lusby* (Lincoln) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Lusby* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3)—7 Membranes.

Morison, Richard, 13 July, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 4. Request to exchange (1)—Lands appointed to the said *Richard Morison* by the King, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Wittesbury* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Reading* (Wiltshire) (2); Farm of the Manors of *East Chinnock* (Somerset), and *Closworth* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Montague* (Somerset), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the manor of *Snitterfield* (Warwick), late of the *Earl of Warwick*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Demesne of *Cashiobury* (Hertfordshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint Alban* (Hertfordshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Bromley Hall* (Middlesex), late of the *Monastery of Christchurch, London*, Memorandum and Woods (2), in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manors of *Ellerbek* (Yorkshire) and *Chaddeswick* (Worcester), and *Pury Court* (Worcester) (1); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—15 Membranes.

Morison, Richard, and William Forde, 15 June, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Boyton* (Suffolk) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Boyton* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Butley* (Suffolk), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of parcel of the town of *New Sleford* (Lincoln), late of *Sir John Hussey, Lord Hussey*; Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of parcel of the Manor of of *Berwick* (Essex), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of parcel of the Manor of *Pury Court* (Worcester), with the Scite of a Water Mill under *Worcester Castle*, late of the *Earl of Warwick*, Memorandum, Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—7 Membranes.

Morley, Earl of, 3 June, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farm in the parish of *Saint Andrew, London*, late of the *House of Friars Preachers, London*; Farm of the Manor of *Tedenhowbury* (Hertfordshire), late of the *Monastery of St. Edmonbury* (Suffolk), Auditor's Certificate and Particulars of Sale (3) [the pen has been drawn through the *Saint Andrew* entry]; Farm of the Manor of *Moorhall* (Hertfordshire), late of the *Priory of Merton* (Surrey), Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to the Manors of *Tedenhowbury* and *Moorhall*, above named (1); Farm of the Manor of *Monkysbury*, otherwise *Hallingbury* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Saint Saviour, Bermondsey* (Surrey), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of parcel of the Manor of *Tolleshunt* (Essex); parcel of the possessions of *Thomas, late Earl Essex, attainted of High Treason*, late of the *Monastery of Saint Osith* (Essex), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor called *Wikham Hall* (Hertford and Essex), late of the *Marchioness of Exeter, attainted of High Treason*, Memorandum, and Woods (2)—11 Membranes.

Morton, Thomas, 9 February, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Hynbury* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Christchurch Twynham* (Southampton); Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

Mountague, Lord [no dates]. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Werketon* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Bury* (Suffolk) (1)—1 Membrane.

Mountague, Sir Edward, Lord Chief Justice, 18 Feb., 31 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Rectory of *Weekly* (Northampton), with rents there, late of the *Monastery of Saint James* near *Northampton* (1); Farms in *Hemington* (Huntingdon), late of the *Monastery of Ramsey* (Huntingdon) (1); Farms in *Hemington, Luddington*, and *Kings-*

thorp [no county mentioned], late of the *Monastery of Thorney* (Cambridge) (1)—3 Membranes.

MOUNTAGUE, Sir EDWARD, Knight, Lord Chief Justice, 23 October, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Lullington* (Northampton) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Borow* (Leicester) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Luddington* (Northampton), with parcel of the Hundreds of *Poksbroke* and *Navefford*, late of the *Monastery of Peterborough* (Northampton); Farm of the Manor of *Berowe*, otherwise *Erdeburgh* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Kirby Bellers* (Leicester); Farm of a Pension arising out of the Rectory of *Berowe* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Langley* (Leicester); Farm of an Annual Pension arising out of the Rectory of *Berowe* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Oulneston* (Leicester); Memorandum and Woods (3); Farm of the Manor of *Ogerston* and *Folkesworth* (Huntingdon), late of the *Priory of Saint John of Jerusalem in England*, and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through a portion of this entry]; Farms in *Armeston* and *Kingsthorp* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Thorney;* Memorandum; Farm of the Rectory of *Hemington* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of St. Neots* (Huntingdon); Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—9 Membranes.

MOUNTAGUE, Sir EDWARD, Knight, Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, 23 Dec., 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 4. Request to purchase, with Seal (1)—Farms in *Lufwick* (Northampton,) and in *Culworth, Felmersham, Sherebrook, Sulderop, Newenton,* and *Overdene* (Bedford), late of a *Chantry in the Church of Saint Peter of Lufwick* (Northampton); Farm of the late *Chantry of Aldwinkle* (Northampton) (2)—3 Membranes.

MOUNTEAGLE, LORD, 7 Nov., 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Hornby*, with Demesne Lands in *Melling* (Lancaster), and Rents in *Hornby* and *Oldwemmington* (Lancaster), late of the said *Priory of Hornby*; the Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Rents in *Sedber* (Yorkshire), late of the *Priory of Hornby* (Lancaster), and annexed to the *Monastery of Croxton* (Leicester); Memoranda, and Woods (2)—4 Membranes.

MOUNTEAGLE, LORD [no date]. No request. Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Bolton* (Lancaster) (1)—1 Membrane.

MOUNTJOY, EARL of [no date]. No request. Valuation of the Rectory of *Waddenhoo*, (Northampton) (1); Farm of the Manors of *Waddenhoo, Apthorpe, Woodnewton,* and *Yarwell* (Northampton), with Rents and Farms in *Tansour, Nassington, Cotterstock, Glapthorn, Cliff, Warmington,* and *Owndel* (Northampton), late of *Sir Charles Blunt, Lord Mountjoy,* and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

MOUNTJOY, EARL of, 30 Sept., 36 Hen. 8. Request to sell (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Wootton Underwyvers* (Stafford); Particulars of Sale and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

MOYLE, Sir THOMAS, Knight, and WALTER HENDLE, 26 Feb., 35 Hen. 8. Requests to purchase (2)—Farm of the Manors of *Preston*, near *Wingham, Overland, Westgate, Woodeling*, otherwise *Watling, Pakmaston*, otherwise *Pakmanson, Godneston, Walteslade, Byruppals*, otherwise *Beaurepayre*, and *Heritsam* (Kent), late of the *Priory of Friars Preachers of Childrenlangley*, otherwise *Kingslangley* (Hertfordshire); Answer of the Commissioners, Memoranda, Woods, and Summary and Particulars of Sale (5)—7 Membranes.

MOYNGS, EDWARD, 20 Sept., 32 Hen. 8. No request. Sum total of certain lands (1) [on paper]—1 Membrane.

MYDWYNTER, JOHN, 22 March, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents in the City of *Exeter*, late of the *Marchioness of Exeter, attainted of high treason;* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

MYNNE, NICHOLAS, 30 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of parcel of the Scite of the Cemetery of the late *House of Carthusiens near London*, with Farms in the parishes of *Saint Sepulchre and Saint Botolph, London*, late of the same house; Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

NAPPER, EDWARD, of *Hallywell* (Oxford), 22 July, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Swyre* (Dorset), late of *Margaret Countess of Salisbury, attainted of high treason*, Memorandum (1); Farm of a Mill in the parish of *Titlescombe*, (Sussex), late of the *Abbey of Hide* (Southampton), Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to the Manors of *Swyre* and *Titlescombe* before named (1)—4 Membranes.

NEDEHAM, HENRY, and WILLIAM SACHEVERELL, 10 June, 38 Henry 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Alwaston* and *Bolton* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Dale* (Derby), and Woods (2), [the pen has been drawn through part of the Woods entry]; Farm of a Mill in *Ingleby* (Derby), late of the *Priory of Repingdon* (Derby), Memorandum (1); Farm in *Stanton*, in the parish of *Yolgrave* (Derby), late of the *Monastery de Pratis* (Leicester), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm in *Ashover* (Derby), late of the *Priory of Felley* (Nottingham), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Chantry of *Moch Bardfeild* (Essex) (1); Farm in *Wintonley-in-Halington* [no County], late of the *Abbey of Norton* (Chester), Memorandum (1); Annual Tenths reserved to the King from certain lands in *Oxford*, alienated to *Sir Thomas Pope. Knight*, Memorandum (1); Farm of the late *Priory of Bentley* (Middlesex), purchased of the *Archbishop of Canterbury*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—15 Membranes.

Appendix II.

2. Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.

NEVYLL, WILLIAM, 12 December, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Rectory of *Burton* (Nottingham), late of the *Priory of Worksopp* (Nottingham); Farms in the parishes of *Treverton* and *Chaworth* [no County], late of the *Priory of Mattersey*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3) [the pen has been drawn through the *Treverton* and *Chaworth* entries]—4 Membranes.

NEWMAN, THOMAS, of *Wetherfielde* (Essex), 22 August, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Quendon* (Essex); Parcel of the Possessions of the *Duchy of Lancaster*, Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

NEWNEHAM, WILLIAM, 24 March, 33 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the *Granges of Oxston* and *Loveley*, in the parish of *Oxston* (Nottingham); Parcel of the Manor or *Abbey of Welbeck* (Nottingham); Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

NOKE, THOMAS [date illegible], Hen. 8. No request. Farm of parcel of the possessions of the late *Monasteries of Berking* and *Hatfield* (Essex), Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

NOODE, GEORGE, 25 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Shephall* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford), Answer to Article in the Letters of the Commissioners, Particulars of Sale and Woods (4) [parts of Woods on paper]—5 Membranes.

NORFOLK, DUKE of [no date]. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum (1)—1 Membrane.

NORFOLK, DUKE of [no date]. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manors of *Shortesfeld* with *Langhurst* and *Sumpting* [no County], late of the *Monastery of Sion* (Middlesex), Memorandum (1)—1 Membrane.

NORFOLK, DUKE of, 9 May, 32 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. No request. Farm of *Stafferton Park* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Butley* (Suffolk) (1); Farm of the Manors of *Elveden* and *Staines* (Suffolk), late pertaining to the office of *Steward of Bury* (1); Farm of the Lands and Possessions of the late *Priory of Deping* (Lincoln), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Farms in *Lee* and *Eleverton* [no County], late of the *Monastery of St. Aldelm of Malmesbury* (Wilts), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, a Rider touching the Woods (2); Farm of certain Lands called *Abbotts Stoking*, in the parish of *Helmendon* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Bittlesden* (Bucks), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Caldebroke, Mershe, Coughley*, and *Surwardesley* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Wenlock* (Shropshire), Particulars of Sale (1); Farms in *Bokkynge* (Essex), late of the *Priory of Christchurch, Canterbury*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Rent of the Manor of *Sprowston* (Norfolk), late of the *Episcopal See of Norwich*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Manor of *Lawrence Merston*, late of the *Priory of Shene* (Northampton), Memorandum (2) [one Membrane is paper]; Farm of the Granges called the *New Grange, Upper Grange, St. Michael's Grange*, and *Stormye Grange, Nogcourte*, and *Whitcross Grange*, in the parish of *Margam*, and of a Coal-pit in the parish of *Margam*, of the Granges of *Tangeluste* and *Llangewith*, in the parish of *Kenfige* in *Glamorgan*, late of the *Monastery of Margam* (Glamorgan), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (2); Farm of the Manor of *Shortgrave* (Bedford), late of the *Priory of Dunstaple* (Bedford), Woods and Particulars of Sale (3); Memorandum [on paper] (1); Farm of the Manor of *Hemelhamsted* (Hertford), late of the *College of Assheruge* (Hertford), Particulars of Sale and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Withgynhall* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Manor of *Redgrove* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Lanthorne* (Gloucester), Particulars of Sale (rated for *William Lygons*, 12 March, 31 Hen. 8) (1) [gall-stained]; Farm of the Manor of *Northcote* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Bremmore* (Devon), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, (1); Farm of the Manor of *Culford*, with the Rectory of *Culford* (Suffolk), late of the *Abbey of Bury* (Suffolk), Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Colfford* (Suffolk) (2) [on paper]; Farm in *Charter House Lane, London*, late of the *Charter House* (London), Particulars of Sale (2)—29 Membranes.

NORFOLK, DUKE of, 24 February, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 4. Request to exchange (1)—Lands given by the King; Farm of the Manor of *Benehall* (Suffolk), late of the *Duke of Suffolk*, Answer to the Letters of the King's Commissioners (1); Manors of *Gawood* (Norfolk), *Thorpe* (Norfolk), late of the *Episcopal See of Norwich* (2); Manor of *Rysinge* (Norfolk), parcel of the *Duchy of Cornwall* (1); Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Thorpe* (Norfolk) (1); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (4) [on paper]—10 Membranes.

NORFOLK, DUKE of, 30 July, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 5. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Wylmyngdon* alias *Wylmyngton* (Kent), late of *William Stanley*; Particulars of Sale; Extract from the Originalia relating to the same Manor (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Rougham* (Suffolk) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Oldehawe le Hoo* and *Roughame* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmunds* (Suffolk), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (3); Farm of the Manor of *Roughame* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmunds* (Suffolk), Memorandum, and Woods (3); Farm of the Rectory of *Benhall* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Butley* (Suffolk), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Thorney*, near *Stowmarket* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Campesse* (Suffolk), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2)—15 Membranes.

NORRES, HENRY, 6 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (2)—Farm of the Scite of the *Parochial Church of Compton* (Berks), with the Tenths pertaining to the same, and of the

Tenths of *Frowleston* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Wherewell* (Southampton), Auditor's Certificate and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Flansted Norres* (Berks), late of the *Priory of Gorynge* (Oxford), Memorandum, Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Benehame* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (Berks), Auditor's Certificate, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Henrede* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (Berks), Auditor's Certificate, and Woods (2); Farm of *Hawkerigge*, parcel of the Manor of *Sutton Cortenay* (Berks), late of *Henry Marquis of Exeter, attainted of high treason* (1); Farm of the Manor of *Gosey* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berks), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) [on paper]—15 Membranes.

NORRES, JOHN, 27 July, 38 Hen. 8. Request to exchange (1)—Lands assigned by the King unto the said *John Norres*:—Farm of the Manor of the late *Priory of Walingford* (Berks), late of *Thomas Wolsey, Cardinal, attainted;* Memorandum, and Woods (3); In exchange for, viz.;—Farm of certain lands in *New Windsor* and *Old Windsor* (Berks), and in the parish of *Hurst* (Wilts), Memorandum (2); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—7 Membranes.

NORTH, EDWARD. No request. Exchange. Lands assigned by the King unto the said *Edward North*:—Demesne of *Southelmham* (Suffolk), late of the *Bishoprick of Norwich; Stechworth, Assheley,* and *Stunteney* (Cambridge), late of the *Monastery of Ely* (1); Farms in *Haddenhame, Burwell,* and *Undeley* (Cambridge), late of the *Monastery of Ely* (Cambridge) (1); Manor of *Burwell* (Cambridge), late of the *Monastery of Ramsey* (Huntingdon) (1); Farm in the parish of *Borowe* (Cambridge), late of the *Monastery of Barnewell* (Cambridge) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Assheley* and *Sylverley* (Cambridge), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (1); Manors of *Chippenham* and *Wylburghame Magna* [no County], late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memoranda (2) [the pen has been drawn through part of the *Chippenham* entry]; Farm of the Manor of *Hoggeshawe* (Bucks), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Hoggeshawe* entry]; Farm of the Manor of *Bumpsted* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Stratford Langhthorn* (Essex) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Wormley* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of Walthame* (Essex) (1); Farms in *Podelhill* (no county stated), late of the *Monastery of Missenden* (Bucks) Memorandum [on paper] (3); Farms and Rents in *Southelmham* [no County], late of the *Monastery of Ely* (2) [the last five Membranes are on paper]; Total value of Woods pertaining to all the foregoing lands (2); In exchange for —Manors of *Haddenham* and *Cooddington* (Bucks) (3) [on paper]; Summary and Particulars of Exchange (4)—24 Membranes.

NORTH, Sir EDWARD [no date]. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Quendon* (Essex), parcel of the *Duchy of Lancaster* in the County of *Essex* (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Quendon* (Essex) (1); Farms and Rents in *Cowlinge als Cowlynche* (Suffolk), parcel of the possessions of the *Duchy of Lancaster,* Memorandum (1)—3 Membranes.

NORTON, THOMAS, 12 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Stratley* (Bedford) (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Stretley* (Bedford), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

NORTON, THOMAS, 1 September, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm in the parish of *St. Mary Wolnoth, in Lombard Street, London,* late of the *Monastery of Stradforthe Langthorne* (Essex), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

NORWICH, The MAYOR and COMMONALTY of. No request. Particulars of Sale of certain Lands (1) [the Church of *St. Ellen in Holmestreate* (Norwich) is mentioned in these particulars]—1 Membrane.

NOTTINGHAM, TOWN of [no date]. No request. Farms in *Nottingham,* late of [illegible] (1)—1 Membrane.

NOWELL, ANDREW, 15 June, 35 Henry 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Comaundry or Manor of *Dalbye on the Wolde* (Leicester), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farms of the Manor of *Purybarre* (Stafford), and of other lands in *Purybarre* (Stafford), parcel of the King's lands called *Warwickslands* (Stafford), Auditor's Certificate, Woods (2)—5 Membranes.

ONSLOWE, THOMAS, citizen and grocer of London, 26 June, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Baschurch* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury,* Memorandum and Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (8); Farms in *Ellismer* (Shropshire); parcel of the late *Preceptory of Halston* (Shropshire), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in the parish of *Ellesmere* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Taunton* (Somerset) (1); Farm in *Monks Risborough* (Buckingham), late of *Christchurch, Canterbury,* Memorandum (1)—15 Membranes.

ORWELL, NICHOLAS, of *Clyff, Kent,* 20 May, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of *Bishops Mershe* and *Harfinge Mershe* (Kent), late of the *Archbishop of Canterbury,* Memorandum, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

OSENEY, BISHOP of [no date]. No request. Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Osney* (Oxford), of divers Lands within the precincts of the same Monastery in the parish of *Saint Nicholas;* of a Water-mill, in the parish of *Saint George, Osney;* of *Medley*

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2. Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.

Manor, in the parish of *Saint Nicholas Oxford*, of the Manor of *Water Eton* (Oxford), of *Hokenorton Manor* (Oxford), of *Watlynton Manor* (Oxford),
of Lands in *Lamporte* (Buckingham), in *Dodford* (Buckingham), in *Rushey* (Oxford), and of a Messuage in *London*, all late of the *Monastery of Osney* (Oxford); Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Thame* (Oxford), of Lands in the parish of *Thame* (Oxford), of Lands demised to *Sir John Williams in Fee Farm* (Oxford), of of the Manor of *Stoke Talmage* (Oxford), and of a *Mansion* called *Gloucester Colledge Oxford*, all late of the *Monastery of Thame* (Oxford) (2) [the blanks are left for parts that are illegible in the original]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (4) [on paper]—6 Membranes.

Oteley, John, of *Whytlyngton* (Stafford), 8 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the *Grange of Hencote* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Lylleshull* (Shropshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

Otley, Adam, 1 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Rectory of *Wroxettur* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Haughmonde* (Shropshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, Valuation of the Rectory there (2)—3 Membranes.

Owen, Doctor, 24 Jan., 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesnes of the late *Monastery of Godstowe* (Oxford), Memorandum (3) [one on paper and gallstained]—3 Membranes.

Owen, George, 23 July, 33 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Wolgercote* (Oxford), of the Manor of *Walton* (Oxford), and of Lands in *Garsynton* (Oxford), all late of the *Monastery of Godestowe* (Oxford) (2); Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Rewley* (Oxford), with Lands in the parish of *Saint Giles Oxford*, late of the same Monastery (1); Farm of the Manor of *Walton* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Oseney* (Oxford), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

Owen, George, 31 Aug., 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. By exchange. Lands assigned by the King unto the said *George Owen*, viz., Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Litilmore* (Oxford), late parcel of the possessions of *King Henry the Eighth's Colledge* (Oxford), Memorandum (1); Farms and Rents in *Gollen* and *Karnaff* (Radnor), late of the *Monastery of Comhire* (Radnor), Memorandum (1); Farm of the demesne of *Comnor*, with the Rectory and its Members (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire), and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Comnor* (Berkshire), (1); Farm of the Manor of *Stapull Fitzpayne* (Somerset), late of the possessions of *Lord de Monte Acuto*, Memorandum (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Staple* (Somerset), (1), in exchange for, viz., Farms and Rents in *Oxford*, late parcel of the Revenues of the *Mayor and Commonalty of Oxford*, Memorandum (1) [slightly gall-stained]; Farm of the Manor of *Chorleburye*, with its Members (Oxford), (1); Farm of the Scite of the *Monastery of Rewley* (Oxford), and of divers closes of land in *Oxford*, late of the *Monastery of Osney*, Memorandum (1), Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—13 Membranes.

Oxford, Bishop of, 14 Nov., 38 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of lands in the parish of *Saint Nicholas, Oxford*, of a Mill in the parish of *Saint George, Oxford*, of the Manor of *Medley* in the parish of *Saint Nicholas in Osney* (Oxford), of the Manor of *Hookenorton* (Oxford), of the Manor of *Watlyngton* (Oxford), of the Manor of *Stepulcleydon* (Buckingham), of the Manor of *Stowe* (Buckingham), of Lands in *Lamport* (Buckingham), in *Dalford* (Buckingham), in *Russhehey* (Oxford), and in *London*, all late parcel of the possessions of the *Bishop of Oxford*, now in the King's hands (6); Farm of the Mansion called *Gloucester Colledge, Oxford*, late of the *Monastery of Thame* (Oxford); Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Rysborough* (Buckingham), late of the *Cathedral Church of Saint Mary* (Oxford); Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Chorleburye* (Oxford), late of the possessions of *George Owen* (1); Farm of the Rectory and Manor of *Bray* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Welforde* and *Sybtofte* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Soulbye* (Northampton), Memorandum; Farm of the Rectory of *Stukelyffe* (Buckingham), late of the *Priory of Kenelworth* (Warwick); Farm of the Rectory of *Overton* (Leicester), with the hamlets of *Twycrosse* and *Gopsell* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Merevale* (Warwick), Memorandum (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—10 Membranes.

Oxford, Cathedral of [no date]. No request. Valuation of the Rectory of *Harrow* (Middlesex), (1)—Farms in the *City of Oxford*, late of *Oriel College* (Oxford), (1); Farms in *Stafford*, late of *Sir Thomas Pope, Knight*, Memorandum (1); certain Annual Rents granted to King Henry the Eighth by William Petre (1); Farm of the Rectories of *Gyldesborough* and *Ravynsthorpe* (Northampton), late of [not stated] (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Sepulchre without Newgate, London*, late of the possessions of *Sir Edward North, Chancellor of the Court of Augmentation*, Memorandum (1); Farm near to *King Henry the Eighth's College, Oxford*, late parcel of the Revenues of the *Mayor and Commonalty of Oxford*; Farms in *Oxford*, late parcel of the Revenues of *Nicholas Mason Clerk* in Oxford (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Batheston* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Bath* (Somerset); Farm of the Rectory of *Tolpudell* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Abbotisbury* (Dorset), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Southstock* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Eynsham* (Oxford), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Pedington* (Oxford), late of *King's College* (Oxford), Memorandum; Farm of the Rectory of *Thedburye* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Eyneshame* (Oxford), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Pedington* entry]; Farm of certain Closes of Land in *Oxford*, late of the *Monastery of Osney* (Oxford); Farm of the Scite of the late

Monastery of Rewly (Oxford), (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Hawkehurste* (Kent), and of the Rectory of *Torriton Magna* (Devon), parcel of the possessions the King had from *Sir William Petre* by exchange (1); Farm of the Manor of *Estwalton*, with two Closes in *Sahame* (Norfolk), and of the Manor of *Woodnorton* (Norfolk), late of *Sir Richard Southwell*, in the King's hands by exchange, Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectories of *Bowden Magna* (Leicester), of *Myvod* (Montgomery), of *Pole* (Montgomery), of *Gillesfield* (Montgomery), and of *Southmymez* (Middlesex), parcel of the possessions had by the King of *Lord Wrothesley* by exchange (1) [the pen has been drawn through the Bowden and Southmymez entries]; Farm of the Rectories of *Hampton, Offenham, Badsey, Aldyngton, Wycanford, Lyttleton Media, Northlyttelton*, and *Southlyttleton* (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Uppeton*, with its Members (Norfolk), of the Manor of *Wendelynge* (Norfolk), of the Manor of *Swaunton Newars* (Norfolk), of the Manor of *Gardeston* (Norfolk), and of Lands in *Sahame* (Norfolk), all late of *Sir Richard Southwell*, in the King's hands by exchange, Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through part of *Wendelynge* entry, and through the whole of the *Sahame* entry]; Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Clatercote* (Oxford), and of the Manor of *Westwell* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Eddyngton* (Wiltshire), late of *Sir William Peter*, Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectories of *Weldren* and *Stadian* (Cornwall), late of the *Monastery of Rewley* (Oxford); Farm of the Rectory of *Norton Broyne* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Eyneshame* (Oxford); Farm of the Rectories of *Flowre* (Northampton), and of *Midsomer Norton* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Marton* (Surrey); Farm of the Rectory of *Copull* (Bedford), late of the *Monastery of Chixsande* (Bedford); Farm of the Rectories of *Flette* and *Silveshoo* (Bedford), of *Harringworthe* (Northampton), and *Barefforde* (Bedford), late of the *Monastery of Elnestowe* (Bedford), Memorandum (3) [the pen has been drawn through the Weldren and Barreforde entries]; Farm of the Manor of *Dodyngton* (Oxford), late of *Sir Thomas Pope*, in the King's hands by purchase; Farm of the Rectory of *Wroxton* (Oxford), late of *Sir Thomas Pope*, in the King's hands by purchase (1); Farm of the Manors of *Ellerbek* (York), of *Chaddeswich* (Worcester), and of *Pury* (Worcester), late of *Richard Morison, Esquire*, in the King's hands by exchange (5); Farm of the Rectories of *Temple Guyttyng* (Gloucester), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Quenyngton*, late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England*, and of *Downeampney* (Gloucester), also late of the same, and of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectories of *Twynnynge* (Gloucester), and of *Bladyngton* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Winchelcombe* (Gloucester), Memorandum; Farm of the Rectories of *Paulyn* (Gloucester), and *Sancti Breaci* (Cornwall), late of the *Monastery of Hayles*, Memorandum; Farm of the Rectories of *Compton parva* (Gloucester), of *Hornebury* (Gloucester), of *Wotton-under-Edge* (Gloucester), and of *Preston-upon-Stowere* (Warwick), all late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), Memorandum (3) [the pen has been drawn through the *Paulyn* and *Sancti Breaci* entries]; Farm of the Rectories of *Culvam* and *Marcham* (Berkshire), with a portion of the Tenths in *Sandford* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire); Farm of the Rectories of *Lathburye* (Buckingham), and of *Eston* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Lavenden* (Buckingham), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Culvam* and *Marcham* entries]; Farm of the Manor of (illegible) (Northampton), late of *King Henry the Eighth's College* (Oxford), Memorandum (3); Farm of the Rectories of *Edyngton* (Wiltshire), and of *Lavyngton* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Edyngton* (Wiltshire); Farm of the Rectory of *Estgarston* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Ambresbury* (Wiltshire), Memorandum; Farm of the Rectory of *Chippenham* (Wiltshire), late of the *Priory of Harleigh* (Wiltshire), Memorandum; Farm of the Rectory of *Charleton* (Wiltshire), late of the *Priory of Ederos* (Wiltshire), Memorandum (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Edyngton* entry]; Farm of the Rectory of *Rotherston* (Chester), late of the *Monastery of Launde* (Leicester), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectories of *Wathe* (Yorkshire), of *Fedderstone* (Yorkshire), and of *Bramham* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint Oswald* (Yorkshire), Memoranda (3) [the pen has been drawn through a portion of the *Bramham* entry]; Farm of the Rectories of *Runcorne* and *Budworthe* (Chester), of *Pyrton* (Oxford), and *Donyngton* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Norton* (Chester) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Donyngton* entry]; Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Kirkham* (Chester), late of the *Monastery of Vale Royal* (Chester), Memorandum (2); Farm of the Scite of the *College of Saint Fridiswyde, Oxford*, and of divers Lands and Tenements in *Oxford*, parcel of the same College; of *Canterbury College* (Oxford); of a Tenement in *Oxford*, and of parcel of the Revenues of *Oryall College* (Oxford)—all being certain Lands assigned by the King for the Scite of the College called *King Henry the Eighth's College* (Oxford); Farm of *Barnard's College Oxford*, of a Rent in the city of *Oxford*, of the Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Saint Frydeswyde*, of the issues of the Fair in *Oxford* called *Fryswythfayer*, of the Almshouse in *Oxford*, of the Manor of *Binsey*, with the Rectory there (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Saint Frideswith*, and of divers Rents in the city of *Oxford*, late of the *Monastery of Abendon*; Farm of the Scite of the *Cathedral Church of Osney*, and of divers Lands in the parish of *Saint Nicholas, Oxford*, parcel of the same Cathedral; of Lands and Tenements in the city of *Oxford*; of *Barton Odoners, Barton Magna, Middle Barton*, and *Westcotte* (Oxford); of *Worton Manor* (Oxford); of a Rent in *Shipton* (Oxford); of *Churchcoule* (Oxford); of a Rent in *Garsington* (Oxford); of a Rent in *Hedington* (Oxford); of a Rent in *Ipwell* (Oxford); of *Sibford Manor* (Oxford); of *Burton Manor* (Oxford); of *Lewe Manor* (Oxford); of a Rent in *Clanfeild* (Oxford),

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of a Rent in *Weld* (Oxford); of a Rent in *Dunstewe* (Oxford); of a Rent in *Northinston* (Buckingham); of a Rent in *Stratford* (Buckingham); of the Manor of (illegible) (Buckingham); of Lands in *Asthorpe* (Northampton); of Lands in *Turkdene* (Gloucester); of Rents in *Biberye* (Gloucester); of lands in *Abington* (Gloucester); of Lands in *Allesworthe* (Gloucester); of Rents in *Winston* (Gloucester); of Lands in *Balscotte* (Oxford); of Farms in *Breaymys Norton* (Oxford); of a Rent in *Sanderton* (Buckingham); of Rents in *Asheton* (Oxford); of Tenths in *Culhame* (Middlesex); of Lands in *Chalgrave* (Oxford); of the Rectory of *Cavershame* (Oxford); of the Rectory of *Durton* (Buckingham); of the Rectory of *Asshenden* (Buckingham); of the Rectory of *Hyllesdon* (Buckingham); of the Rectory of *Shirhinhame* (Norfolk); of *Maidon Bradley* (Wiltshire); of the Rectory of *Netherwell* (Gloucester); of a portion of the Tenths in *Lydford* (Buckingham); of Lands in *Claidon* (Buckingham); of the Rectory of *Bensington* (Oxford); of the Rectory of *Drayton* (Oxford); of the Rectory of *Stodhame* (Oxford); of the Rectory of *Shurborne* (Oxford); of the Rectory of (illegible); of the Rectory of *Stratton Audeley* (Oxford); of *Cassington* (Oxford); of the Rectory of *Euston* (Oxford); of the Rectory of *Preston* (York); of the Rectory of *Broughton* (Yorkshire); of the Rectory of *Carleton* (Yorkshire); of the Rectory of *Upton* (Yorkshire); of the Rectory of *Kyldwyke* (Yorkshire); of the Rectory of *Capell de Bolton* (Yorkshire), all late of the *Cathedral Church of Saint Mary, Oxford* (10); Farm of the Rectory of *Badbye* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Spyllesburye* (Oxford), late of the *College of Saint Mary* (Warwick), Memorandum (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (7)—62 Membranes.

Oxford, Earl of, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to Exchange—Land appointed to the King by the said *Earl*, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Dovercourte* and *Harwich* (Essex); Farm of the Manors of *Great Oakeley* and *Little Oakeley* (Essex), and Farm of the Manor of *Skiggehawe*, in *Great Oakeley* (Essex); Farm of the Manor of *Meose* (Essex); Farm of the Manor of *Beamond* (Essex) (2); Farm of the Manor of *Water Eton*, in the parish of *Eton* (Berkshire), late of *John Earl of Oxford* (2); Woods pertaining to all the foregoing Farms (4), in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Lammershe* (Essex), late of the *Duke of Richmond*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Colneswake* (Essex), late of the *Duke of Richmond*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Cristmalford* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Somerset), the Auditor's Certificate and Woods (3); Farm of the Manor of *Stokeland* (no county), late of the *Monastery of Mylton* (Dorset); Farm of the Manor of *Thornecombe* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Forde* (Devon); Farm of the Manors of *Turneworth* and *Thornecombe* (Devon), *Tale* and *Pahenbury*, Exeter, and of certain other Lands in *Exeter*, late of the *Monastery of Forde* (Devonshire); Farm of the Manor of *Dulverton* (Somerset), with Rents in the Bailiwick of *Dulverton* and in *Withill Lucot*, also of the Manor of *Willond* (no county), late of the *Priory of Tawnton* (Somerset); Farm of the Manor of *Brent* (Devonshire), late of the *Monastery of Bukefasteley* (Devonshire), Memorandum, Valuation of the Rectory of *Thornecombe* (5) [the pen has been drawn through all these entries, with the exception of the *Thornecombe* entry;] Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Thornecombe* and *Wyland* (Devonshire) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Fowleswyke* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wiltshire), the Auditor's Certificate, and Woods (1); Farm of the Demesne of *Estbarholt* (Suffolk), with all the Lands and Tenements in *Eastbarholt* (Suffolk), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Basford* (Suffolk), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England*, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manors of *Crudwell* and *Escote* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wiltshire), Memorandum, Auditor's Certificate (2); Rents in *Colchester* and in *Lamfoorde* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Saint John, Colchester* (1); Farm of *Westbaron Grange*, with divers lands in *Witham* and other places (no county), late of the *Priory of Witham* (Somerset); Rent in the parish of *Wythycombe* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Clyve* (Somerset); Farm or Rent of a certain Island called *Brounkesey* (no county), late of the *Monastery of Cerne* (Dorsetshire), Memorandum (1); Farm of *Holtewoode* (no county), parcel of the Demesnes of the late *Priory of Wytham Charterhouse* (Somerset); Woods pertaining to *Quarr Grange* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Wytham Charterhouse* (Somerset), with the Seals of the Commissioners appendant (2); Woods pertaining to *Westbarnes* (Somerset), and to the *Grange of Byllaryckey* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Wytham Charterhouse*, with Seals (1); Farm of the Manor of *Myldenhall* (Essex), late of the *Earl of Essex*, parcel of the possessions of the *Monastery of Saint Osithe* (Essex), Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Myldenhall* (Essex), and to *Monkedowne Close, Colchester*, (1); Farm of the Manor of *Burses* (Essex), late of the *Hospital of Saint Mary, Bishopgate without* (Essex), and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Huyschechamfflour* (Somerset), late of the *Marquis of Exeter*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Huyschamflower* (Somerset); Farm of *Staffordell* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Taunton* (Somerset), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Prebendary of *Gillingham* (Dorset) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Great Horkesley* (Somerset) (1); Summary and Particulars (4)—46 Membranes.

Oxford, Earl of [no date]. Sec. 2. No request. Valuations of the Rectories of *Horkesley Magna* (Essex), of *Lammarshe* (Essex), of *Colne Wake* (Essex), of *Braham*, with the Chapel of *Bergholt* (Suffolk), of *Thornecombe Vicarage* (Devonshire), of *Moncketon Vicarage* (Wiltshire), of *Kyngton Vicarage* (Wiltshire) (1) [on paper, imperfect]—Farms of the Manor of *Lammarshe* (Essex), Memorandum, of the Manor of *Colnewack* (Essex), Memorandum, late of *Margaret Countess of Richmond*; Farm of all the Lands and Tene-

ments in *Estbargholt* (Suffolk), late of the *Preceptory of Basford* (Suffolk), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England* (2); Farm of the Manor of *Thornecombe* (Devonshire), late of the *Monastery of Forde* (Devonshire), Farm of the Manor of *Fowleswike* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wiltshire), Memorandum and Auditor's Certificate (1); Farm of the Manor of *Burses* (Essex), late of the *Hospital of Saint Mary the Virgin, without Bishopgate* (London) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Estmonkton* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Wiltshire) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Crystmalford* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Wiltshire), Memorandum and Auditor's Certificate (1); Farm of the Manor of *Kyngton* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Wiltshire), Memorandum and Auditor's Certificate (1); Farm of parcel of the possessions of the late *Priory of Witham* (Somerset) (1); Farm of certain Lands in *Colchester*, and of Lands called *Abbots*, late of the *Monastery of Saint John of Colchester* (1); Farm of the Manor of *Myldenhall* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Saint Osithe* (Essex), Memorandum (1)—11 Membranes, all on paper.

PAGET, Sir WILLIAM, Knight, 10 January, 37 Hen. 8. Request to exchange (1)—Lands appointed unto the King by *Sir William Paget*, viz.: Farm of the Manor or late *Hospital of Kepeyere* (Durham) (2), in exchange for, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Nantwich* (Cheshire), parcel of the King's Lands there, Memorandum (1); Farm of the Demesne of *Burton-upon-Trent*, with its Members as well in the County of Stafford as Derby, together with the Scite of the late *College of Burton*, and the Demesne Lands pertaining to the same (1); Request to purchase (1), 9 October, 38 Hen. 8. Extract from the King's Letters Patent, certifying that the King had granted to *Sir William Paget* the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *College of Burton-upon-Trent* (1); Extract from the First Fruits touching the value of certain of the possessions of the *Bishop of Lichfield and Coventry* (1); Rents in *Weston, Aston, Wylney*, and *Shardlowe*, in the parish of *Aston* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of St. Werburge, Chester* (1); Valuation of the *Rectories of Aston* and *Weston* (Derby) (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—20 Membranes.

PAKINGTON, HUMPHREY, Citizen and Mercer of London, 24 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the *Manor of Dutton* alias *Dytton* (Shropshire), with the Rectory there, late of the *Priory of Wenlocke* (Shropshire), Memoranda, and Woods (6) —7 Membranes.

PAKINGTON, JOHN, of *Hampton Lovett*, Worcester, 11 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm in *King's Arley* (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Bordesley* (Worcester), the Answer of the Auditor, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm of the Manor of *Moorehall* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Wigmore* (Hereford), Memorandum (1); Rents in *Chaddesley* (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Bordesley* (Worcester), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor with the *Rectory of Eton*, and their Members (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wenlocke* (Shropshire) (3); Farm of the Tenths of *Penryn* [no county], late of [illegible] (Worcester), the Auditor's Answer (1); [Portion of this Membrane is gone], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—11 Membranes.

PALMER, HENRY, 19 May, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the *Manor of Policote* (Bucks), late of the *Duke of Buckingham*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—2 Membranes.

PALMER, JOHN [no date]. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Ford* (Sussex), late of *John Palmer*, Esquire (1) [on paper]—Farm of the Manors of *Ecclesdon* (Sussex) and *Wigenhelt* (Sussex), late of the *Monastery of Syon* (Middlesex) (2) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Pyperyng*, with its appurtenances (Sussex), parcel of the possessions of the late *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Blackhurste* (Sussex), with lands in the parish of *Lymster* (Sussex), and of the Manor of *Hadfold* (Sussex), late of the *Priory of Tortyngton* (Sussex) (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (2); [on paper]—7 Membranes.

PALMER, Sir THOMAS, 20 March, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the *College of Southmallyng* (Sussex), with its appurtenances, Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

PALMER, THOMAS, 24 March, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Valuation of the *Rectory of Lillington* (Warwick) (1); Farm of the *Rectory of Lyllington* (Warwick), with Lands in *Bagyngton* otherwise *Bathekynton* (Warwick), with a pension there, late of the *Monastery of Kenelworthe* (Warwick), the Auditor's Answer and Woods (4) [The pen has been drawn through the Bagyngton entry]; Farms and Rents in *Preston-super-Montem* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Bytlesden* (Bucks), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms and Rents in *Preston-super-Montem* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Assheby* (Northampton), the Answer of the Auditor, Summary and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—10 Membranes.

PALMER, THOMAS, and RICHARD CARTER, 3 May, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1) —Farm of the Manor of *Garstone*, with its Members (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford), Memorandum, Summary and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3) —4 Membranes.

PARKER, HENRY, 7 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Rectory of *Clavering* (Essex), late of the *Priory of Pritewell* (Essex), Memorandum, Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

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2. Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.

PARKER, RICHARD, of Tavistock, Devon, 6 July, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Moremaleherbe* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Mynchynbuckland* (Somerset), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Wikelangforde* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Frithelstoke* (Devon), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the *Rectory of Northmoulton* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Lylleshull* (Shropshire), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Pixton* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Tawunton* (Somerset), Farm of the *Rectory of Bradforde* and *Hilfrunce* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Barliche* (Somerset); Farm of the Manor of *Lynkcombe* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Dunkeswell* (Devon), Memorandum (3) [part of the first Membrane is gone]; Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Pyxton* and the *Parsonage of Bradforde* (Somerset), and to the Manor of *Lynkcombe* (Devon) (1); Woods pertaining to certain lands in *Vexford* and *Cathanger* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Barlyche* (Somerset), to the Manor of *Moremaleharbe* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Mynchynbucklande* (Somerset), to the *Parsonage of Northmulton* (Devon) late of the *Monastery of Lylleshull* (Shropshire), to the *Parsonage of Morebath* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Barlyche* (Somerset), and to the Manor of *Norton* (Cornwall), late of the *Monastery of Newenham* (Devon)(1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—11 Membranes.

PARRY [Christian name and date illegible]. No request. Farm of [obliterated] (1)—1 Membrane.

PARTRICHE, MILO, Gentleman, [no month]. 36 Hen. 8. No request. A Memorandum on paper (2)—Farm of the Demesne and Manor of *Almondesbury* (Gloucester), with all their Members in *Almodesbury, Erthcote, Petteshall* and *Compton* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of St. Augustine, Bristol* (Gloucester). Memorandum and Certificate of the Auditor (2); Farms in *Kingeswood,* parcel of the Manor of *Kingeswood* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Kingeswood* (Wiltshire), Certificate of the Auditor, and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—7 Membranes.

PARYS, PHILIP [no date]. No request. Memorandum on paper (1)—Farms in *Frodsham* otherwise *Fordcham* (Cambridge), *Snelwell* (Cambridge), *Newmarket* (Cambridge), and in the town of *Cambridge;* late of the *Monastery of Bigginge* (Cambridge), (2); Farm of the *Rectory of Abingdon* (Norfolk), late of the *Priory of Penteney* (Norfolk), Farms in *Conyngton* (Huntingdon), late of the *Priory of Huntingdon;* Farms in *Conyngton* (Huntingdon), late of the *Monastery of Chykesonde* (Bedford), (1); Farm of the Scite of the late *House of Friars Preachers within the City of London* (1); Farm of the Scite of *Barkham Priory* (Cambridge), late of the *Crutched Friars in the City of Cambridge*; Farm of the *Rectory of Abingdon* (Cambridge), late of the *Priory of Hatefield* (Essex), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—7 Membranes.

PASCALL, JOHN, Gentleman, 27 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Grange Kewton* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Coggeshall* (Essex), Memorandum, Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—3 Membranes.

PASSELEWE, WALTER, 14 February, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *Ayredale* and *Harden* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Ryevall* (Yorkshire), Summary and Particulars of Sale (3); 2 Membranes, on paper—3 Membranes.

PASTON [no Christian name or date]. No request. Farms in *Thurleton* (Norfolk), late of the *Abbey of Langley* (Norfolk), Memorandum (1)—1 Membrane.

PASTON, THOMAS, 23 May, 34 Hen. 8. No request. By exchange—Lands appointed to the King by the said *Thomas Paston*—Manor of *Godalmyn* (Surrey), Rents and Farms in *Edgefeld* (Norfolk), *Walsingham Magna* (Norfolk), in the *City of Norwich,* in *Lenn Regis* (Norfolk), *Ryburgh Magna* (Norfolk), and *Ryburgh Parva* (Norfolk), (2); in exchange for, viz., Manor of *Bloffeld* and *Beighton* (Norfolk) (2); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (2)—6 Membranes, on paper.

PASTON, Sir WILLIAM, Knight, 24 February, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Vicarage of *Castre St. Trinity* (Norfolk), Valuation of the *Rectories of Castre St. Trinity* and *Castre St. Edmonds* (Norfolk) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Casterbardolf* (Norfolk), late of *Sir Francis Lovell, Knight, Lord Bardolfe;* Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—5 Membranes.

PAUL'S, ST., DEAN of [no date stated]. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Byggynge* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Stratford Langthorne* (Essex); Farm in *Westilbury* (Essex), late of the *Hospital of St. Mary, Bishopgate without, London*; Farm of the *Rectory of Hornedon* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Barkynge* (Essex), the Answer of the Auditor (2) [the pen has been drawn through the Westilbury entry]; Woods pertaining to the Manor and Parsonage of *Freern* otherwise *Kingesbury* (Middlesex), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England;* Woods pertaining to the Manor and *Parsonage of Totnam* (Middlesex), late of the *Priory of Christchurch in London,* Memorandum (2); Woods pertaining to the *Parsonage of Hemelhampsted* (Hertford), late of the *College of Assherudge* (Buckingham) (1); Woods pertaining to the Manor and *Parsonage of Abbots Walden* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Hertford) (1); Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Therfeld* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of Ramsey* (Huntingdon) (1); Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Mockyng* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Barking* (Essex), Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Byggyng* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Stratford Langthorne* (Essex) (1)—8 Membranes.

PAVER, RICHARD, 13 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Messuage or Grange of *Brampton* in the parish of *Kirkby* (York), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Rybston* (York), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England;* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of *Mikilthuate* and *Colyngham* in the parish of *Colyngham* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkestall* (York); Memorandum and Particulars of Sale and Woods (2)—4 Membranes.

PAYNE, HENRY, 28 August, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Nawton* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmunds* (Suffolk), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4); [a portion of the Particulars of Sale is gone]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Nawton* (Suffolk) (1); Farm of a Grange called *Thorppe Rignalle* (York), late of the *Priory of Worhesopp* (Nottingham), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—9 Membranes.

PECKHAM, Sir EDMUND, Knight, 20 July, 32 Henry 8. Sec. 1. No request. Valuation of the Rectory of *Denham* (Buckingham) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Denham* (Buckingham), late of the *Monastery of Westminster* (Middlesex), Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3); Woods on paper—4 Membranes.

PECKHAM, Sir EDMUND, Knight, 24 July, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Franciscan Friars Dorchester,* Farm of parcel of the possessions of the late *Monastery of Abbury* (Dorset), Memorandum (1); Rents and Farms in *Couldebrayfelde,* with a portion of the Tenths there (Buckingham), late of the *Monastery of Lavenden* (Buckingham), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Lavenden* (Buckingham), with the Demesne Lands and other lands pertaining to it in *Lavenden* (Buckingham), Memorandum (3); Woods pertaining to the Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Lavenden* (Buckinghamshire), to the Farm of the Scite and Demesnes of the late *Priory of Franciscan Friars, Dorchester,* and to a Tenement in the town of *Dorchester* (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—9 Membranes.

PENNE [Christian name and date not stated]. No request. Farm of the Rectory of *Ware* (Hertford), late of the *Priory of Shene* (Surrey), Memorandum (1)—1 Membrane.

PENNE, JOHN, 14 November, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1) [much gall-stained]—Farm of the Manor of *Codicote* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Hertford), the Answer of the Commissioners, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Curtlington,* otherwise *Cyrlyngton* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Carthusiens, Coventry* (Warwick), Memorandum and Woods (2)—5 Membranes.

PENNE, SYBYLL [no month mentioned]. 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Beamonde* (Buckingham), with the Rectory of *Little Myssenden* (Buckingham), late of the *Monastery of Burcester* (Oxford), Farm of the Manor of *Holmer,* in *Little Myssenden* (Buckingham), late of the *Monastery of Burneham* (Buckingham) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the Holmer entry]; Farm of the Rectory of *Penne* (Buckingham), late of the *Priory of Chacombe* (Northampton) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Auffryck,* in *Little Missenden* (Buckingham), late of the *Abbey of Godstowe* (Oxford) (2) [on paper]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) [on paper]—6 Membranes.

PERS, JOHN, 1 July, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *Netherton* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Canonlegh* (Devon), Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

PERSSE, THOMAS, 12 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm in *London,* late of *House of Grey Friars, London,* Memorandum (2); Farm of certain lands in the parish of *Bustelesham Montague* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Bustelesham* (Berkshire), Memorandum, Woods; Farms in the City of *London,* late of the *Monastery of St. Augustine* (Kent), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (3)—6 Membranes.

PETRE, Sir WILLIAM, Knight, 13 September, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request (by exchange). Lands appointed unto the King by *Sir William Petre,* viz.: An annual rent in *Lincoln,* late of the *Priory of Clatercote* (Oxford), Farm of the Rectory of *Ratley* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Clatercote* (Oxford), Memorandum; Farm of the Rectory of *Wharwell* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Wharwell* (Southampton), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the Wharwell entry], in exchange for, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Southflett* (Kent), late of the *Cathedral Church of Rochester,* and Woods; Farm of the Manors of *Toddenham* and *Sutton* (Gloucester), late of the *Cathedral Church of Westminster,* and Woods, Farm in *Stebinheth* (Middlesex), late of the *Cathedral Church of Westminster* (2) [the pen has been drawn through the Stebinheth entry); Farm of the Manor of *Crondon* (Essex), late of the *Bishop of London* (1); Farm of the Manor of *Peldon* (Essex), late of *William Bonhame,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Valuations of the Rectory of *Hawkehurst* (Kent) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Coriton Magna,* with *St. Giles* (Devon) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Peldon* (Essex) (1); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (2)—11 Membranes.

PETRE, Sir WILLIAM, 18 December, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request (By exchange.) Lands assigned by the King unto *Sir William Petre,* viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Churchstowe* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Buckefastleigh* (Devon); Memorandum; Farm of the Manor of *Brodhenbury* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Dunkeswell* (Devon), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the Brodhenbury entry]; Farm of the Rectory of *Gynge Mounteney* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Thoby* (Essex), Memorandum (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Ging Mountney* (Essex) (1), in exchange for, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Peldon* (Essex), late of *William Bonham,* Memorandum and Woods (2);

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Valuation of the Rectory of *Peldon* (Essex) (1); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—7 Membranes.

PETRE, Sir WILLIAM, Knight, 2 July, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. No request. (By exchange.) Memorandum [on paper] (1)—Lands assigned by the King unto *Sir William Petre*, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Brente* (Devon), together with the Rectory of *Brente*, late of the *Monastery of Buckfaste* (Devon), Memorandum (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Brente* (1), in exchange for, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Clatercote* (Oxford), Farm of the Manor of *Westwell* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Eddyngton* (Wilts), Memorandum (1)—Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—5 Membranes.

PETTYTE, CYRYACK, of the City of Canterbury, 7 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm in the parish of *Aldermanbury, London*, late of the *Priory of Elsingspittel, London;* Farm in the parish of *St. Michael, at Queenhith, London*, late of the *Charterhouse, London;* Farm in the parish of *St. Michael, at Queenhithe, London*, late of *St. Martin's-le-Grand, London*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Farms in the parish of *St. Mary, Aldermanbury, London*, late of the *Monastery of Halliwell, London*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (3); Farm of lands within the Scite of the late *House of Friars Augustine, London;* Farms in the parish of *St. Benedict, London*, late of the same House; Farm in the parishes of *St. Olave, near the Tower of London*, and *St. Stephen, Coleman Street*, late of the *Priory of St. Elene, London;* Farm in the parishes of *St. Andrew, in Cornhill*, and *St. Giles, Cripplegate without, London*, late of the *Monastery of Halliwell, London;* Farm in the parish of *St. Botolph without Aldgate, London*, late of the *Monastery of Minoresses without Aldgate, London;* Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (2) [part gone]; Farm in the parishes of *Fensbure* and *Cowlinge* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Dertford* (Kent); Farms in *Newenden, Bethame*, and *Browes Wood* (Kent), late of the *Archbishop of Canterbury*, in the King's hands, by Exchange; Farm of the Tenths in *Cowsted* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of St. Augustine* (Kent), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (2) [the pen has been drawn through the Newendon and Bethame entry); Woods pertaining to the lands mentioned in the two foregoing Membranes (1); Farm in the parish of *St. James, Clerkenwell*, late of the *Monastery of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm in *St. John Street* (Middlesex), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1)—12 Membranes.

PEXSALL, RICHARD, 22 June, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Alton Estbroke* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Southampton), Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (4)—5 Membranes.

PEXSALL, RICHARD, 6 September, 38 Hen. 8. Request to exchange (1)—Lands assigned to the King by *Richard Pexsall*, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Alton Estbroke* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Southampton), and Woods (3), in exchange for—Farm of the Scite and precincts of the late *Priory of Bradenstoke* (Wiltshire), Memorandum (2); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—7 Membranes.

PHILLIPPS, ROBERT, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm in the parish of *St. Martin, Ludgate, London*, late of the *New Hospital Bishopsgate without London*, Particulars of Sale, Memorandum (2) [one on paper]—2 Membranes.

PIERPOYNT, GEORGE, 15 July, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Valuation of the Rectory of *Cotgrave* (Nottingham) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Scarclyve* and *Patterton*, with Rents and Farms in *Sherbroke* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Newsted* (Nottingham), Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3)—4 Membranes.

PIGOTT [Christian name and date of month illegible], March, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of parcel of the possessions of the late *Monastery of St. Albans*, in the County of *Hertford, Chalkeforde*, and in [*Oxford*], Farm of parcel of the possessions of the late *Monastery of Buttlesham*, in the Counties of *Berkshire* and *Buckinghamshire*, Farm in *Ickforde* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Godstowe* (Oxford); Farm in *Wightham* (Berkshire) late of the *Monastery of Godstowe* (Oxford), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2)—2 Membranes.

POLE, GILES, 17 June, 34 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Hunlacy* (Gloucester), late of [illegible]; Farms in *Wodmancote* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Lacock* (Wiltshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Woods [gall-stained]—2 Membranes.

POLLARD, JOHN, 16 March, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Newenhame Courtney* (Oxford), late of *Charles Duke of Suffolk*, Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Newenham Courtney* (Oxford) (1)—5 Membranes.

POLLARD, JOHN, and RYTHE, GEORGE, 10 July, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the *Rectories of Clyfton* (Oxford), of *Byrdecourt* (Oxford), late of the *Cathedral Church of Saint Mary Osney* (Oxford), Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (2); Farm of two Mills, parcel of the Manor of *Mereden* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire), Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (rated for John Warde, 24 July, 37 Hen. 8) (2); Farm of the *Rectory of Wornall* (Buckingham), of certain Lands in *Ickeford* and *Thomley* (Oxford), of the *Rectory of Bryll* (Buckingham), and of the Manor of *Bolshipton* (no county mentioned), late of *King Henry the Eighth's College* (Oxford), Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (rated for William Brett, of Chebbyden, Buckingham, 12 July, 37 Hen. 8 (3); Farms in *Sheynton* (Leicester), late

of the *Priory of Oulnescrofte* (Leicester), Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—10 Membranes.

POLLERD, JOHN and BYRT, WILLIAM, 6 January, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of a house called the *Prior's Lodging*, with Appurtenances, and Lands in the parish of *Saint Clements* in the city of *New Salisbury*, late of the house of *Friars Preachers*, in *New Salisbury* (Wiltshire), the Certificate of the Auditor, Rent in the parish of *Saint Martin in New Salisbury* (Wiltshire), late of the *Priory of Iveschurche* (Wiltshire), Memorandum, (3); Farms in the *Borough of Marlborough* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Bradenstoke* (Wiltshire), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2), Part of Particulars gone; Farm in the town and parish of *Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester) (11); Rents within the town and parish of *Cirencester* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester), the Auditor's Certificate (7); Rents in the city of *New Salisbury*, late of the *College of Saint Nicholas de Valle, Salisbury*, the Auditor's Certificate, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2); Farm of the Scite and Appurtenances of the late *House of Observant Friars, Southampton*, Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (1)—38 Membranes. [This and the above Particular are stitched together.]

POLLARD, RICHARD, 11 May, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Thornecombe*, in the parish of *Thornecombe* (Devonshire), late of the *Monastery of Forde* (Devonshire), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Forde* (Devonshire), with Appurtenances, also of the Grange of *Orchard*, and of the *Manor of Strete and Leigh*, in the parish of *Wynsham* (Devonshire), late of the same Monastery; Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

POLSTED [Christian name and day of month illegible], 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory* and Manor of *Bykynacre* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary Bishopgate Without, London*, Memorandum (1) [much gall-stained]—1 Membrane.

POOLE, FRAUNCIS, 10 September, 34 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Dale* (Derby), Particulars of Sale and Woods (3); Rents in *Wykham* (Yorkshire), parcel of the late Preceptory of *The Holy Trinity of Beverlake* (York), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Wykeham* (York) (2); Fragment of Woods (1)—8 Membranes.

POPE, JOHN, 10 February, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Paddestowe* with its Members (Cornwall); late of the *Priory of Bodmyn* (Cornwall), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Tythe of all the Fish in the parish of *Paddestowe* (Cornwall), late of the *Priory of Bodmyn* (Cornwall), Memorandum (1); Rents in the parish of *Maker* (Devonshire), late of the *Priory of Plympton* (Devonshire), Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (2); Farm of all the Lands and Tenements in *Holme in Spaldyngcote* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Selbye* (Yorkshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm in the parish of *Kynston* (Staffordshire), late of the *Monastery of Roucester* (Staffordshire), Memorandum, Farms in *Uttaxeter* (Staffordshire), late of the *Monastery of Croxden* (Staffordshire), Memorandum, and Woods; Rents in the town of *Stafford* and in *Erberton* (Staffordshire), late of the *Monastery of Croxden* (Staffordshire); Farms and Rents in the town of *Stafford*, late of the *Priory of Ronton* (Staffordshire), Memorandum (2); Farm in the town of *Stafford*, late of the *Monastery of Dieulacres* (Staffordshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (rated for Walter Blunte, 12 December, 36 Hen. 8) (2); Farm in the parish of *St. Andrew, London*, late of the *House of Friars Preachers, London*, Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Leonard Shoreditch, London*, late of the *Monastery of Halliwell, London*, Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (1); Farms and Rents in the town of *Malmesbury* (Wiltshire), with a parcel of the Manor of *Milbourne* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wiltshire), the Auditor's Certificate, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2) [the pen has been drawn through that part relating to *Milborne* (Wiltshire)]; Farm in *Harplane*, in the parish of *St. Dunstan, London*, late of the *House of Crutched Friars, London*, Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm in *Myntie* (Gloucester), late of the *Priory of Lanthon* (Gloucester), the Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Netherlipiatt* (Gloucester), parcel of the late *Comaundry of Quenyngton* (Gloucester), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farms in the town of *Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), and in the *Hamlett of Southwyke*, in the parish of *Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (4); Farm in *Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (1); Farms within and without the City of *London*, late of the *Monastery of Vale Royal* (Chester), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Halfforde* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Kenelworth* (Warwick), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Ubston* (Suffolk), late of the *Priory of St. Neot* (Huntingdon), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for Hammond Claxton, Gentleman, 13 December, 33 Hen. 8), and Woods (2); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Ubbeston* (Suffolk) (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Ubston* (Suffolk), late of the *Priory of St. Neot* (Huntingdon) (1); Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Llantrisan* (Monmouth), with Appurtenances, late of the *Monastery of Lanthorne* (Gloucester), the

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Auditor's Certificate, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farms in the parish of *St. Olave, London*, late of the *Priory of the Holy Trinity* (London), Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (rated for Philip Wandwilder, 13 December, 36 Henry 8) (2); Farms in *Usk* (Monmouthshire), late of the *Priory of Usk* (Monmouthshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2); Farm in the parish of *St. Dunstan, London*, late of the possessions of *Cardinal Wolsey*, Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (rated for Thomas Speake, 13 December, 36 Henry 8) (1); Farms in *Rockland* (Norfolk), late of the *Priory of Nuns, Thetford* (Norfolk), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Multon* and *Saxham* (Suffolk), late of the *Priory of Nuns, Thetford* (Norfolk); Farms in *Multon, Kentford*, and *Nedeham* (Suffolk), late of the *Priory of Canons of Thetford*, (Norfolk), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale and Woods (3); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Padystowe* (Cornwall) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Hardwycke* (Oxford) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Eggemonden* (Shropshire) (1); Memorandum touching Lands in *Egemonden* (1) [on paper]; Rents in the town of *St. Alban* (Hertfordshire), Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (rated for Francis Constable, 13 December, 36 Henry 8); Farm within the precincts and lately of the house of *Friars Minories* (Lincoln), Particulars of Sale, and Woods (rated for John Broxholme, 13 December, 36 Henry 8) (2); Farms in the parishes of *St. Bothawe, St. Michael Cornhill*, and *St. Margaret Bridge-street, London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Mary Overy* (Surrey); Farm in the parish of *St. Thomas the Apostle, London*, late of the *Monastery of Rewley*, (Oxford), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (rated for Christopher Campyon) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the entry of the Lands late of the *Monastery of St. Mary Overy*]; Farm in the parish of *Stebunheth* (Middlesex), late of the *Priory of St. Elene, London*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (rated for Christopher Campion, 13 December, 36 Henry 8) (2); Farm in the parish of *St. Sepulchre without Newgate, London*, late of the *Monastery of Graces near the Tower of London*, Memorandum, (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Michael Basingshawe, London*, late of the *Charterhouse, London*, Farms in the parishes of *St. Margaret Lothbury* and *St. Leonard Estchepe, London*, late of the *College of Acon, London*; Farm in the parish of *St. Olave, London*, late of the *House of Crutched Friars, London*, Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Sepulchre, London*, late of the *Monastery of Pratis* (Leicester); Farm in the parish of *St. Mary Magdalen, London*, late of the *Monastery of Nuneton* (Warwick), Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Sepulchre, London*, late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1); Farm in the town of *Rochester*, (Kent), late of the *Charterhouse, London*, Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale [rated for William Hamerton, 13 December, 36 Henry 8] (1); Farms in the parishes of *Hackneye* and *Steboneth* (Middlesex), late of the *Hospital of St. Mary Bishopsgate without, London*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm in [part gone], late of the *Priory of Christchurch, London*; Farms in the parishes of [part gone] *St. Giles in the Fields, London*, and *St. George Southwark* (Surrey); parcel of the Lands purchased of the Lord the King, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Woods belonging to part of the Manor of *Lewisham* (Surrey), late of the Priory of *Shene* (Surrey) (1)—62 Membranes.

Pope, John, 16 March, 36 Henry 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Little Wenlock* (Shropshire), late of the Priory of *Wenlock* (Shropshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4); Farm of the Rectory of *Little Wenlock* (Shropshire) (1); Farm of a Grange, with divers Lands called *Shyfforde* (Staffordshire), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Chapel of *Llanvayre Gylgoyd* (Llandaff) (1); Farm of the Chapel of *Llanvayr* (Monmouthshire), late of the *Monastery of Dore* (Hereford), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Hynkworth* (Hertfordshire) (1); Memorandum touching the parsonage of *Hynxworth* (Hertfordshire) (1)—13 Membranes.

Pope, John [date of month illegible]. July, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. No request. Farms in the parish of *Kyrton in Holland* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Buckelond* (Somerset); Memoranda, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of Tenths in *Lighthorne* (Warwick), late of the *House of St. Sepulchre, London*, Memorandum [rated for Sir Thomas Pope, Knight, 27 August, 37 Hen. 8] (1); Farm within the Scite of the late *House of Friars Carmelites, London*; Farm in the parish of *St. Sepulchre without Newgate, London*, late of the *Charterhouse, London*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Scite of *St. Margaret's Church* in the parish of *St. Saviour, Southwark*, late oft he *Priory of St. Mary Overy* (Surrey), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale; [rated for Robert Curson, 15 May, 36 Hen. 8] (1); Farm of the Manors of *Abbury* (Oxford) and *Preston*, with a portion of the Tythes of *Preston* and *Northcote* (Gloucester), with rents in *Rodmerton* and *Dalingworth* (Gloucester), all late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester), Memoranda, and Woods (4); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Preston* (Gloucester) (1); Farms in *Barnesley* (Gloucester), late of the *Priory of Lanthorne* (Gloucester), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Cirencester, Thormerton* (Gloucester), *Hurdecote, Wevelford, Lake, Gretylton, Compton Basset* (Wiltshire), and of the Manors of *Wales* and *Wateswood* (Yorkshire), late of the *Priory of Braddenstoke* (Wiltshire), and Woods; Farm of the Rectory of *Shreveton*, with all the Glebe lands and Tythes pertaining thereto; also a Close called *Dekenshey* and *Ladymeade* in *Shreveton* (Wiltshire), and lands in *Hanham* and *Bytton* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Lacocke* (Wiltshire), Memorandum, and Woods (6); Farm of the Rectory of *Sutton Maddock* (Shropshire), with Tenths in *Brocheton* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wanbridge* (Shropshire), Memorandum,

and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Euston* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Winchelcombe* (Oxford); Farm of the Manor of *Preston Crodmershe* (Oxford), late of *Battle Abbey* (Sussex), Memoranda; Farm of *Tyngeley Grange* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Brewerne* (Oxford) [rated for Sir Thomas Pope, Knight, 30 April, 31 Hen. 8] (1). Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—23 Membranes.

Pope, Sir Thomas [no date]. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Chestton* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Assherigge* (Buckingham); Farms in *Cheston* and *Wendelbury* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Burchester* (Oxford); Farm in *Chesterton* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Notley* (Buckingham); Farm in *Chesterton, Wendelbury, Ardeley,* and *Wroxton* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Studley* (Oxford); Farms in the parishes of *Swarford* and *Little Towe* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Bruern* (Oxford); Farms in *Chesterton* and *Ardeley* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Osney* (Oxford), Memorandum; Farm of the Manor of *Shotteswell* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Studley* (Warwick); Farm of the Grange of *Fewecots* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Wooburne* (Bedfordshire); Particulars of Sale (2)—2 Membranes.

Pope, Sir Thomas [no date]. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Bradwell* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester) (1); Farm in *Bradwell* (Oxford), parcel of the *Preceptory of Quenyngton* (Gloucester), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Evenley,* with the Tenths pertaining to the same [no county], late of the *Priory of Huntingdon* (Chester) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Sybford Gower* and *Sybford Ferres,* in the parish of *Swakeley* (Oxford), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Sampford* (Oxford), and of a parcel of the Manor of *Merton,* called *Fewecott* (Oxford), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Extent of *Arleston* (Derby), belonging to Sir Thomas Pope, Knight (1)—5 Membranes.

Pope, Sir Thomas, 2 April, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. No request. Rents in *Barmondsey-street,* in the parish of *St. Mary Magdalen,* late of the *Monastery of St. Saviour's of Barmondsey* (Surrey), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (5); Farms in the parishes of *St. Sepulchre without Newgate, London,* and in the parish of *Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary, Clerkenwell* (Middlesex); Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

Pope, Sir Thomas, 29 May, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 4. No request. Valuation of the Rectory of *Wyvelcote* (Oxford) (1); Farm of *Mynsterlovell* (Oxford), late of *Jaspar, Duke of Bedford,* Memoranda (1). Copy of an Indenture made between the King and one Stephen Poar, by which the King grants the Manor of *Wyvelcote* (Oxford) to the said Stephen (1); Farm of the Manor of *Wyvelcote* (Oxford), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Farms within the precincts of the late *Monastery of Bermondsey* (Surrey), Memorandum (2); Farms in *New Windsor,* late of Edmund Powell (1); Particulars of an Exchange between the King and Sir Thomas Pope (1), on paper—8 Membranes.

Pope, Sir Thomas, 4 February, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 5. No request. Copy of an extent of the annual rent of divers lands purchased by Sir Thomas Pope of the Lord the King; Particulars of Sale. The following lands are mentioned in the above extent, viz.: Manor of *Tadmerton* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire), *Gippell Grange* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. Katherine,* near the Walls of the *City of Lincoln,* Manor of *Dumbleton* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Abendon,* Manors of *Cogges* and *Wyvelcott* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Abendon, Sewell Grange* (Oxford), late of the *Monasteries of Bruerne* and *Ensham* (Oxford), and *Reding* (Berkshire); Manor of *Chesterton* (Oxford), late of the *College of Asheridge* (Buckingham); Lands in *Great* and *Little Chesterton,* and in *Wendelbury* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Notley* (Buckingham); Lands in *Great Chesterton* and *Little Chesterton, Wendelbury, Ardeley,* and *Wroxton* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Studeley* (Oxford); Lands in *Great* and *Little Chesterton,* and *Wendelbury* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Burcester* (Oxford), Manor of *Shotteswell* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Studeley* (Warwick); Granges of *Fewcotts* and *Tynssemore* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Woborne* (Bedford); Lands in *Fewcotts* (Oxford), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* the Manor of *Euston* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Wynchelcombe* (Gloucester); Manor of *Preston Crowmersshe* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery de Bello* (Sussex); Grange of *Tyngeley* (Oxford); late of the *Monastery of Bruerne* (Oxford), Scite of the *Priory of Wroxton* (Oxford); Farms in *Holcombe* and *Thumley* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Dorchester* (Oxford), Farms in *Dodyngton, Clyston,* and *Hempton* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Burcester* (Oxford); Farms in *Dunthorpe, Churchehill,* and *Holwaye* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Bruerne* (Oxford); Manor of *Wollaston* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Regali Loco* (Oxford); Farms in *Wardyngton* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Chacombe* (Northampton); Tenths of the Manors of *Wroxton* and *Balscotte* (Oxford), and of certain lands in *Wroxton* and *Balscotte* (Oxford), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England;* Manor of *Bradewell* (Oxford), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England;* Tenths of the Manors of *Sybford Gower* and *Sybford Ferrys* (Oxford), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England;* Tenths of certain lands in *Sibford Gower* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Pynley* (Warwick); Scite of the late *Priory of Goring* (Oxford); Tenths of the Rectory of *Goring* with the Manor of *Goring* and Grange of *Stapnell* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Goring,* Scite of the late *Monastery of Barmondsey* (Surrey); and Manor of *Northeley* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Letley* (Southampton) (2)—2 Membranes.

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POPE, Sir THOMAS, 18 February, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 6. Request to exchange (1)—Lands assigned to the said *Sir Thomas Pope* by the King, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Ipswich, Foxhall, Coddenham, Cretinge*, and *Stonehame* (Suffolk), late of the *Priory of the Holy Trinity, Ipswich* (Suffolk), Memorandum, and Woods (4); Farm of parcel of the Manor of *Bresnorton* (Oxford), late of *Thomas Duke of Norfolk*, Memorandum (1); Farms and Rents in *Oxsted* (Surrey), late of John Lee, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Bradwell* (Oxford), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Quenyngton* (Gloucester), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Northlee* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Hales* (Oxford), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Kencote* (Oxford), late of the Duke of Norfolk; the Answer to the Letter of the King's Commissioners, and Woods (2), in exchange for, viz.: Farm of the Manors of *Dodyngton, Preston Crowmershe, Sybforde Gower* and *Sybford Ferrys*, with lands in *Wardyngton* and *Broughton*, and the Rectory of *Wroxton* (Oxford), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—17 Membranes.

POPE, Sir THOMAS, 20 March, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 7. Request to purchase (1); Farm of the Manor of *Lighterne* (Warwick), parcel of the lands called *Warwick's Lands*, the Auditor's Certificate and Memoranda (1); Farm of the Rectory of *St. Margaret* and *Chapel of Caldewell in Ipswich* (Suffolk), late of the *Priory of the Holy Trinity, Ipswich* (Suffolk), Particulars of Sale (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Bradwell* (Oxford) (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1); Woods pertaining to tenements in *Cremyll*, in the parish of *Maker* (Devonshire), late of the *Priory of Plympton* (Devonshire) (1)—6 Membranes.

POPE, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 28 May, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 8. Request to purchase (1); Farms in the parish of *St. Bartholomew without Aldgate, London*; late of the *Monastery of St. Mary de Graces near the Tower of London*, Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Camberwell* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of Keynesham* (Somersetshire), Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Camberwell* (Surrey), late of the *Priory of St. Mary Overy* (Surrey); Farm in the parish of *St. Mary Magdalen of Bermondsey* and *Rotherhithe* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of St. Saviour's of Bermondsey* (Surrey), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

POPE, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 5 July, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 9. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Northlee* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Letteley* (Southampton), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—3 Membranes.

POPE, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 5 July, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 10. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Swarforde* (Oxford); Farm of the Manor of *Swarfforde*, otherwise *Swarfforde* (Oxford), lately purchased of Charles Duke of Suffolk, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale and Woods (3); Rents in *Lighthorne* (Warwick), late of the *House of St. Sepulchre's, Warwick*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Broughton Pongys* (Oxford), (1); Memorandum touching premises granted to Lord Clive (1); Farm of the Manor of *Broughton* (Oxford), Memoranda and Particulars of Sale (1) —10 Membranes.

POPE, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 6 August, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 11. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Compton parva* (Gloucestershire), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucestershire), Memorandum (1); Farms in the City of *Westminster*, late of the *Cathedral Church of Westminster*, Memorandum (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Gwelthe* (Carnarvon), late of the *Monastery of Conwey* (Carnarvon), Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale, Memorandum (1)—6 Membranes.

POPE, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 25 Sept., 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 12. No request. Valuation of the Rectory of *Wyggington* (Oxford) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Wiggington* (Oxford) late of John Gives, Esq., in the King's hands by exchange, Memorandum (1); Annual rents reserved to the King out of the Manor of *Little Compton* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester) (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

POPE, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 26 October, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 13. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Tyttenhanger* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban's* (Hertford), Memoranda, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3)—3 Membranes.

POPHAM, ALEXANDER, and WILLIAM HALLEY, 13 December, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor and late *Preceptory of Buckland* (Oxford), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3) [portion of the Particular gone]; Valuation of the Rectories of *Halfe* and *Hethefield* (Somerset), (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Brendon* (Devon) (1); Farm in *Northpetherton*, parcel of the Manor of *Thurlexston* (Somerset), late of the Priory of *Taunton* (Somerset); Farms in the parishes of *Gotehurst, Charlynch, Bridgewater*, and *Budcombe* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of St. John of Bridgewater* (Somerset), Memorandum and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through all the entries, excepting *Gotehurst* and *Charlynch*]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Clehanger* (Devonshire) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Clehanger* (Devonshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Templecomb* (Somersetshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale and Woods (3); Farm of the Manor of *Thurlebare* (Somersetshire), late of the *Preceptory of Taunton* (Somersetshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Tobridge*, in the parish of *St. James, near Taunton*, together with a parcel of the Manor of *Thurlebeare* (Somersetshire), late of the *Priory of Taunton* (Somersetshire), Memorandum (2)—16 Membranes.

PORTEMAN, WILLIAM, Serjeant-at-Law, and ALEXANDER POPHAM, 6 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Northpetherton* (Somersetshire), late of the *Monastery of Buckland* (Somersetshire), with rents in *Aysshe* and *Thornsawcon* (Somersetshire), late of the same *Monastery*; Farms in *Bromefild* and *Kingeshill* (Somersetshire), late of the *Monastery of Taunton* (Somersetshire); Farm of the Manor of *Claveshaye*, in the parish of *Northpetherton* (Somersetshire), late of the *Monastery of Athelney* (Somersetshire), Memorandum, and Woods (4); Farms in *Goston*, in the parish of *Westemoncketon* (Somersetshire), late of the *Priory of Buckeland* (Somersetshire); Farms in the parishes of *Durleigh*, *Gotehurste*, *Northpetherton*, and *Bridgwater* (Somerset), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Bridgwater* (Somerset), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—8 Membranes.

PORTER, ARTHUR, 8 March, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor or Scite of the late *Priory of Lanthorne* (Gloucestershire), together with the Scite of the Manor of *Alvington* (Gloucestershire), late of the same *Monastery* (3); Farm of a pasture called *Sudgrovis* in *Tuffeley* (Gloucestershire), late of the *Monastery of St. Peter* (Gloucestershire), Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

PORTER, AUGUSTIN, of Belton, in Lincoln, and JOHN BELLOW, 27 July, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Betton* (Lincolnshire), (1); Copy of a power of Attorney (1); Farm of the Scite and Demesnes of the late *Nunnery of Grimesby* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Scite of the *House of the late Friars Augustine in Grimesby* (Lincolnshire) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Belton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary, near the Walls of York*, Memoranda and Woods (2); Farms in *Belton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of St. Katherine* (Lincolnshire); Farms in *Belton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Newboo* (Lincolnshire) [the Answer to the Letter of the King's Commissioner] (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Maplested* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Stratford Langethorne* (Essex), and Woods (2); Farms in *Willoughbye* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Langley* (Leicestershire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—14 Membranes.

PORYGE, JOHN, 14 Feb., 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farm in the parish of *St. Gabriel, in Fencherche-street* (London), late of the *Monastery of Graces, near the Tower of London*, Particulars of Sale and Memorandum (3) [on paper]; Farm of the Rectory of *Rodmersham* (Kent), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm in *Reynham* (Kent), late of the *Priory of Ledes* (Kent) (1)—7 Membranes.

POWELL, EDMUND, 4 Nov., 33 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of the Friars Carmelites* (Oxford); Farm in *Sandford* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Osney* (Oxford); Farm of the Manor of *Hynchewyk* (Gloucestershire), late of the *Monastery of Bruarne* (Oxford), Memorandum (1); Farm of parcel of the Manor or late *Preceptory of Sampfford* (Oxford), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Farm of the Rents of the late *Preceptory of Templecombe* (Somersetshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); [the pen has been drawn through part of the Sampfford entry]; Woods pertaining to Farms in the parish of *St. Thomas, Oxford*, late of the *Monastery of Rewley* (Oxford); Woods pertaining to a Farm in the parish of *Wytney* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Bruerne* (Oxford); Woods pertaining to a tenement in the parish of *Stowe* (Gloucestershire), late of the *Monastery of Bruerne* (Oxford); Woods pertaining to a Farm in the parish of *St Mary Magdalen, in Old Fish-street, London*; late of the *Monastery of Newark* (Surrey) (1); Particulars of Sale (1) [on paper]—4 Membranes.

POWELL, EDMUND, 2 July, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Rents of Tenements at Will in the parish of *St. Thomas the Apostle* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Rewley* (Oxford) (2); Farms in the parishes of *Wytney* (Oxford), and *Stowe* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Bruerne* (Oxford); Farm in the parish of *St. Mary Magdalen in Old Fish-street, London*, late of the *Monastery of Newark* (Surrey), Memorandum (1); Farms in the parishes of *Rysington, Slawghter, Barynngton*, and *Westcote* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Bruerne* (Gloucestershire), with a Farm in *Swaclyffe* (Oxford), late of the same *Monastery*; Farm in the parish of *Dorchester* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Gorynge* (Oxford), Rents and farms in *Byrcote* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Dorchester* (Oxford); Farm in the parish of *Sampford* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Byssetter* (Oxford), Memorandum and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Swaclyffe* entry]; Rents in *Garsington* and *Golder* (Oxford), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Sampfford* (Oxford), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—8 Membranes.

POWES, Lord, 2 March, 37 Hen. 8. Request to Exchange (1)—Letter to the Chancellor (2) [on paper]; Lands appointed to the King by the said *Lord Powes*, viz.:—The Demesne of *Cottyngham* (Yorkshire), Memorandum (1); in exchange for, viz.: the Scite and all the Lands belonging to the late *Monastery of Buyldewas* (Shropshire) (2), [slightly gall-stained]; Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—7 Membranes.

POWN, WILLIAM, May, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Farlington* [no county], late of the *Monastery of Southwike* (Southampton), Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3) [Woods on paper]—3 Membranes.

POWTON, WILLIAM, and HERVY, THOMAS, 10 March, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with part of Seal (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Barwyke* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of*

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Shafton (Dorsetshire), Memorandum, list of Stock on the said Farm and Woods (3), Valuation of the Rectory of *Barwicke* (Wiltshire) (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Mary, Colchurche, London,* late of the *Priory of Christchurch, London,* Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—7 Membranes.

POYNEZ, [Christian name and date illegible]. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Kingeswood,* with Lands in *Kingeswood* and *Nend,* with the Rectory of *Kingeswood* (Wiltshire); Rents in *Wotton Underedge* (Gloucestershire); Farms in *Hill* (Gloucestershire); Farm of the Manors of *Osilworth* and *Bagpath* (Gloucestershire), Rents in *Acton* (Gloucestershire), Farm of the Grange of *Calcote* (Gloucestershire), Farm of the Grange of *Haselden* (Gloucestershire), Farm of the Grange of *Bageston* (Gloucestershire), all late of the *Abbey of Kingeswood* (Gloucestershire), Memorandum (8); Woods pertaining to the Grange of *Bovyngton* [no county] and to the Grange of *Barnhed* [no county], late of [late possessor not stated] (1); [on paper]—9 Membranes.

POYNINGS, [Christian name and date illegible]. No request. Survey of the Manors of *Westynnangre* and *Berwyk* [no county]—9 Membranes. [On paper.]

POYNINGS, [Christian name and date illegible]. No request. Fragment on paper relating to lands late of the *Monastery of Byndon* (Dorsetshire) (1) [on paper]—1 Membrane.

POYNINGS, Sir THOMAS [no date]. Sec. 1. No request; by exchange. Lands parcel of the possessions of the late *Monastery of Byndon* (Dorsetshire) [the marginal notes are partly gone], Woods in *Kethselton* [illegible] (2), with the Granges of *Rovyngton* [illegible], and *Burnegate* are mentioned; Valuation of the Lands and Tenements belonging to *Sir Thomas Poynings,* exchanged with the King's Highness, viz.: the Manor of *Westynhaunger* (Kent), and the Manor of *Barwike* (Kent), Memoranda (1); a Membrane, with "Poynings 48" written on it, blank otherwise (1) [all the above are on paper];—4 Membranes.

POYNINGS, Sir THOMAS. [Illegible.] Sec. 2. No request; by exchange. Rents and Farms in *Compton* [illegible], *Holwey* [illegible], *Cattestoke* [illegible], *Hylfelde* [illegible], *Knolle* [illegible], *Osmyngton* [illegible], *Burdelestowe* [illegible], *Clyff* [illegible], *Stickelande* [illegible], *Lales Hemesworth* [illegible], *Beadhirste* [illegible], Rectory of *Stokeland* [illegible], Rectory of *Sydlyng* [illegible], Rectory of *Osmington,* late of [illegible] (5); Farm of the Manor of *Byndon* (Dorsetshire), of the Manor of *Woole* (Dorsetshire), of Lands and Rents in *Burton* (Dorsetshire), in divers Villages in *Dorsetshire,* in *Est Chaldon, West Chaldon,* and *Hestforshill* (Dorsetshire), . . . *ethesalton* (Dorsetshire), . . . *rnegate* and *Litelbyndon* (Dorsetshire), . . . *estlulworth* (Dorsetshire), . . . *hurche* (Dorsetshire), . . . *xyngton* (Dorsetshire), . . . *ulham* (Dorsetshire), and the Rectories of *Est Chaldon* and *Wynfryth* (Dorsetshire), all late of the *Monastery of Byndon* (Dorsetshire). Memoranda (3); Fragments (2) [this Particular is on paper and very defective, the above-written places are all that are legible]—10 Membranes.

POYNTZ, Sir NICHOLAS, KNIGHT, 24 February, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of a Grange, called *Le Redge,* in the parish of *Wotton Subedge,* otherwise *Underedge* (Gloucestershire), late of the *Monastery of Kingeswoode* (Wiltshire), the Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Woselworth* (Gloucestershire) (1)—3 Membranes.

POYNTZ, Sir NICHOLAS, KNIGHT, 21 May, 38 Hen. 8. No request. Amount of arrearages due to the Lord the King from *Sir Nicholas Poyntz, Knight,* as Farmer of the Lands and Possessions of the late *Monastery of Kingeswood* (Wiltshire) (1); Lands appointed to the King by the said *Sir Nicholas* in part payment of the above-mentioned arrearages, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Bagstone,* in the parish of *Wikeware* (Gloucestershire); Farm of a Moiety of the Manor of *Rengeworth* (Gloucestershire); Farm of divers Pastures and Meadows in *Cromehale* and *Frampton Coterell* (Gloucestershire), Memorandum and Particulars (4)—5 Membranes.

PRESTON, JOHN, 7 August, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of a Grange, called *Strete Grange* (Somersetshire), late of the *Monastery of Fourde* (Devonshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

PURPOYN, [Christian name illegible,] 21 June, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farms and Rents in *Bonderisk* (?), *Langneth, Howbeke,* and *Wodehouse* (Nottinghamshire), with the Tenths of *Cukney,* and the old Wood in the parish of *Cukeney* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Welbeke* (Nottinghamshire), Summary and Particulars of Sale (4)—1 Membrane, on paper.

PURSLEWE, ROBERT, 21 April, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms and Rents in *Nyne Savage* (Shropshire), with the Tenths in *Detton,* in the parish of *Nyne Savage* (Shropshire), Memorandum, Farm in the Farm of *Lowe,* in the parish of *Stoterton* (Shropshire), Farm of the Manor of *Walton,* in the parish of *Stakton* (Shropshire), Memorandum, Farms and Rents in *Momull* (Worcester), Memorandum, all late of the *Monastery of Wigmore* (Hereford), the Answer of the Auditor to the Articles contained in the Letters of the King's Commissioners, and Woods (5); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1).

PYE, JOHN, and THOMAS YORK, 26 June, 34 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite of the late *House of Friars Preachers* (Worcester), with the Lands and Tenements belonging to the same lying in and about *Droitewiche* (Worcester), Memorandum (1) on paper; Farm of the Scite of the late *House of Friars Carmelites of Marlborough* (Wiltshire), with all the Lands and Possessions of the same *House in Marlborough* (Wiltshire), Memorandum (1)—2 Membranes.

PYGOT, FRANCIS, 13 September, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Rowney*, otherwise *Roundehay*, in the parish of *Southiell* (Bedfordshire), and of two Messuages called *Gastlynge* and *Doys House*, in the parish of *Sowthiell* (Bedfordshire), late of the *Monastery of Wardon* (Bedfordshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Particulars of Exchange between the King and *Francis Pygot* (1); Lands appointed to the King by *Francis Pygot*, viz., Farm of the Manors of *Overshenley*, *Nethershenley* (Buckinghamshire), and late of the *Priory of Snelshall* (Buckinghamshire), Memorandum, and Woods (5) on paper; Lands appointed to *Francis Pygot* by the King, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Hetheryngton* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Farm of divers Closes and Pastures in *Eltington* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Pippewell* (Northamptonshire), Farms in *Arthyngeworth*, otherwise *Ardyngeworth* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint James, Northampton*, and of certain Pastures called *Kalendre* and *Sleford's Hill*, in the parishes of *Colisbroke* [illegible], and *Thyrneby* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Sulbye*; Reservation of the Tenths of *Hetheryngton*, (on paper), Memorandum, and Woods (5) [portion gone]; Farm of the Manor of *Halelys*, otherwise called *Hasells* (Bedfordshire), with Rents in *Sonday* and *Girtford* (Bedfordshire), and Woods (1); the Woods are contained among those of the Lands mentioned in the four foregoing Membranes; Valuation of the Rectory of *Shendeley* (Buckinghamshire) (1) on paper; Woods pertaining to the Farm of *Hasells*, in the parish of *Londey* (Bedfordshire), late of the *Monastery of Chycksande* (Bedfordshire) (1) on paper—18 Membranes.

PYMUND, RICHARD, 13 June, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *Ovenden* (Yorkshire), and of the Parsonage or Rectory of *Southkirby* (Yorkshire), parcel of the possession of the late *Cell of Woodekirke* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint Oswald* (Yorkshire), Memorandum, Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Ovenden* entry]; Farm of parcel of the Manor of *Southkirby* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint Oswald, of York*, Memorandum (1); Farms in *Crofton* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint Oswald of York*; the Answer to the Articles contained in the Letter of the King's Commissioner (1); Farms in *Wakefeld* and *Thornee* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Monkebarton* (Yorkshire); Farms in *Wakefeld* and *Rocliff* (Yorkshire), late of the *House of Friars Minor of York*, Memorandum (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Wakefeld* and *Thornee* entries]; Woods pertaining to all the foregoing (1)—7 Membranes.

PYMONDE, RICHARD, 12 May, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of all the Lands and Tenements in *Caton Claughton* and *Gressingham* (Lancaster), late of the *Monastery of Cokersaunde* (Lancashire), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Batteleye* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint Oswald of York*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farms in *Crofton* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint Oswald of York*, Memorandum, and Woods (2)—8 Membranes.

PYNNOCKE, WILLIAM, of *Moch Malvern*, Worcester, 8 May, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Great Malvern* (Worcester), with its Demesne Lands, Memorandum; the Answer to the Articles contained in the Letter of the King's Commissioners; Lands and Tenements in *Upton* and *Hanley* (Worcestershire), remaining in the King's hands, late of the *Priory of Little Malvern* (Worcester), the Answer to the Articles contained in the Letters of the King's Commissioners, and Particulars of Sale (2); Woods pertaining to the foregoing Farms (1)—4 Membranes.

PYNNOCKE, WILLIAM, 8 May, 37 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of *Burwardesley*, otherwise *Brosley* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wenlocke* (Shropshire), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Barford* (Warwickshire), late of the *Monastery or House of the Friars of Thelesford* (Warwickshire), Memorandum (1); Farms and Rents in *Welland* (Worcestershire), late of the *Priory of Little Malvern* (Worcestershire), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Garleford* (Worcestershire), late of the *Monastery of Great Malvern* (Worcestershire), Memorandum, the Answer to the Articles contained in the Letters of the King's Commissioners (2); Woods pertaining to the Lands mentioned in the four foregoing Membranes (1); Farms in the parish of *Colleshull* (Warwickshire), late of the *Monastery of Markeyate* (Bedfordshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Rents in the town of *Warwick*, late of the Earl of Warwick (1)—10 Membranes.

RAINSFORD [no date]. No request. Farms in *Michell Tewe* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Godstowe* (Oxford), Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

RAMPSTON, ROWLAND, 6 May, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor and Capital Messuage of *Gowers* and *Buckerells*, in the parish of *Chingford* (Essex), late of *George Monoxe, Esq.*, Memorandum, and Woods (2), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

RAMSDEN, WILLIAM, 17 March, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm called *Spitill Falle* in *Saxton* (York), late of the *Hospital of St. Leonard, in the City of York*, and Woods; Farm of a parcel of the Rectory of *Huddersfeld* (York), late of the *Monastery of St. Oswald* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of a Grange called *Carrehouse*, in the Town of *Gressebrooke*, in the parish of *Rotherham* (York), late of the *Monastery of Monkbretton* (York), the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, and Woods (2); Farms in *Horton* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall*, (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Welborne* (York), and a Field called *Sonlowe Yngs* (York), late of the *Monastery of Ryevalls* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (3); Farm of *Lostoo*

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Grange, and Woods, and a Farm in *Pudsey* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstal* (York); Rents and Farms in *Hartshed* and *Huddersfeld* (York), late of the *Priory of Kirkeleis* (York), and Woods; Farms in *Welborne* (York), late of the *Monastery of Ryvalls* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Berecliff* and *Extwisell* (Lancaster), late of the *Monastery of Newboo* (Lincoln), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Rents and Farms in *Dodeworth* (York), late of the *Monastery of Pontefract* (York), and Woods; Farms in *Holandswayne* (York), late of the *Priory of Hampall* (York), and Woods, Memorandum (2); Rents and Farms in *Thorleston* (York), late of the *Monastery of Monkebretton* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Scites of the late *Houses of Friars Carmelites* and *Friars Dominicans*, in the *Town of Northampton*, with the appurtenances, the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, and Woods (2), Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—20 Membranes.

Ramsden, William, of *York*, 20 February, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Requests to purchase (2) —Farms in *Dunston*, *Bassingham*, and *Awber* (Lincoln), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Temple Brewer* (Lincoln), and a Farm in *Beckingham* (Lincoln), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Eagle* (Lincoln), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Sybston* (Huntingdon), parcel of the *Comaundry of Temple Brewer* (Lincoln), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Rents in the Towns of *Spittle*, *Fangfosse*, *Great Dryffeld*, *Skarboro'*, and *Thorpe-in-le-Strete* (York), parcel of the late *Comaundry of the Holy Trinity of Beverley* (York), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Rents and Farms in *Stocke*, near *Newark* (Notts), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Eagle* (Lincoln), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Normanby* (York) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Normanby*, lying in *Normanby*, *Marton*, *Kirkby-Overker*, otherwise *Kirkby Misterton*, and *Butterwik* (York), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary, near the Walls of York*, Memorandum, and Woods (3); Farm of the Rectory of *Kelyngholme* (Lincoln), with a Messuage there, late of the *Monastery of Newsom* (Lincoln) Memorandum (2); Woods in *Crofton* (York), late of the *Monastery of St. Oswald, York*, and in *Ledes* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York) (1); Farm in *Gowton*, in the parish of *Whorleton* (York), late of the *Monastery of Gisburne* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm in *Tyreshalle* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Rents and Farms in the Town of *Golton* (York), late of the *Monastery of Fountance* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Swanland* (York), late of the *Priory of Ferebye* (York), Memorandum (1); Rent in *Clementhorpe* (York), late of the *Priory of Clementhorpe* (York); Rent in *Fulford* (York), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary, near the walls of York*; Farm in *South Anniston* (York), late of the *Monastery of Roche* (York), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Wykham* (York), late of the *Priory of Wykham* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of Closes called *Westfeldes*, in the parish or hamlet of *Bramley* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Stede*, *in Wharfdale* (York), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Newlands* (York), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, and Woods; Rents in *Pudsey* and *Farsley* (York), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Rents and Farms in *Pudsey* and *Stanyngley* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirstall* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Rents and Farms in *Wykeham* (York), near *Malton* late of the *Monastery of Malton* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of a Watermill at *Wordiford* (Hereford), of lands in the Lordship of *Ballynyam* (Hereford), and of the Tenths of the Rectory of *Ballynyam* (Hereford), late of the *Priory of Lanthome*, *near Gloucester*, Memorandum, the Certificate of the Auditor, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Knapton*, in the *County of the City of York*, late of the *Monastery of Fountance* (York), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the latter part of the *Knapton* entry, and two of the totals]; Rents and Farms in *Horsefurthe* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Burley*, *Hedingley*, *Chapelallerton*, and *Leeds* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Rent in *Tetton* (Chester), late of *William Leigh, of High Treason attainted*, Memorandum and Woods (1); Farms of Tenths in *Kynnaston*, in the parish of *Markley* (Hereford), late of the *Priory of Shene* (Surrey), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Bramhoppe* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York), Memorandum (2); Farms in the Town of *Old Malton* (York), and in *Wintringham* (York), late of the *Monastery of Malton of the Order of St. Gilbert* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in the Town of *Hartilpole*, in the *Bishoprick of Durham*, late of the *Monastery of Hexham* (Northumberland); Farms belonging to the late *House of the Friars of Hartilpole, in the Town of Hartilpole* (Durham), to the *Monasteries of Holmecultram* (Cumberland), and *Egliston* (York), and to the *Priory of Merrik* (York), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Scite of the late *College of St. Mary, in the City of Oxford*, Memorandum (1); Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Roche* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2), Particulars of Sale (rated for *Henry Tyrrell, Gentleman*) (1); Farms in the parishes of *St. Botolph without, Aldgate*, and *St. Dunstan in the East, London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Mary of Graces, near the Tower of London* (1) [the pen has been drawn through one Farm, in the *St. Botolph* entry, and all the *St. Dunstan* entry], Particulars of Sale (rated for *William Gunter*, servant of *Hugh Losse, Gentleman*) (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (3), M. 29 is blank (1)—58 Membranes.

RAMSDEN, WILLIAM, of *Langley* (York), and EDWARD HOPPEY, of *Halifax* (York), 9 March, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Rents and Farms in *Dunsleye* and *Newerawe* (York), late of the *Monastery of Whitby* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Fawdington* (York), late of the *Monastery of Byland* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (3); Farms and Rents in *Yeddon* (York), late of the *Priory of Essecholte* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm in *Yeddon* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York); Farm in *Hawkesworth* (York), late of the *Priory of Essholte* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in the Town of *Bennyngbrugh* (York), late of the *Monastery of St. Leonards, in the City of York*, Memorandum, (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm in *Clifton* (York), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary, near the Walls of York*, (for Woods, see below); Farm in *Burley* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York), Memorandum (1); Woods, above referred to, in *Bennyngbrugh* and *Clifton* (York) (1); Farm in *Traynemoore* (York), late of the *Priory of Nuneappleton* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of *Hikeld Mylne*, otherwise *Holbeck Milne*, near *Welborne*, in the parish of *Kirdale* (York), late of the *Monastery of Ryvalls*, Memorandum (1); Farm at *Barregraunge* in *Hedengley* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York), Memorandum (1); Woods in *Horsforth*, belonging to the Manor of *Horsforth* (York), and to the aforesaid Farm at *Barregrange*, late of the *Monastery of Kirkestall* (York) (1); Farm of a Watermill, with its appurtenances in *Cowley*, in the parish of *Frowcettor* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of St. Peter, in the County of the City of Gloucester*, Memorandum, Certificate of the Auditor (1); Farm in *Leeds* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York); Memorandum (1); Farm of a Watermill in *Giseley* (York), late of the *Priory of Essholt* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Ledes* (York), late of *Sir Arthur Darcy, Knight*, and parcel of the late *Priory of the Holy Trinity* (York), in the King's hands by exchange, Memorandum, and Woods (3); Farms in *Leds, Burley*, and *Heddyngley* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in the *City of York*, late of the *Monasteries of Pontefract* (York), and *St. Mary, near the Walls of York*, Memoranda, and Woods (2); Farm of a parcel of the Manor of *Swynton* (York), and Farms in *Crofton* (York), late of the *Monastery of St. Oswald, York*, Memorandum, and Woods (2), Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) —32 Membranes.

RAMSDEN, WILLIAM, and RALPH ROGER, and JOHN WISE, 19 June, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Myton* (York), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary, near the Walls of York*, Memorandum (1); and Woods belonging to the said Manor of *Myton*, and to a Farm in *Follysfacte* (York), late of the *Monastery of Newburgh* (York) (1); Farms in *Burrowbrigge* and *Mylbye* (York), late of the *Monastery of St. Leonards, in the City of York*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm in *Southelmesall* (York), late of the *Priory of Hampall* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Milneby, Langethorpe, Kirkeby-on-Moor*, and *Brampton* (York), late of the *Monastery of Newburghe* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Rents and Farms in *Clyxbye* (Lincoln), late of *Monastery of Goikewell* (Lincoln); Farm of the Rectory of *Keylbye* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Nuncotton* (Lincoln); Farm in *Keylbye* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Welloo* (Lincoln), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Tenths of the Church of *Northelkyngton* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Nonneappulton* (York), Memorandum (1); Farm of *Gippull Grange* (Lincoln), late of *Sir Thomas Pope, Knight*, and formerly belonging to the late *Priory of St. Katherine, near the City of Lincoln* [in the King's hands, by exchange], Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the Manor of *Lymberche* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Gracedewe* (Leicester), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Copgrave* (York), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Rybston* (York), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Woods, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (3) [the Summary is slightly defective]; Farm of *Todwik Grange*, in the parish of *Todwik* (York), late of the *Monastery of Roche* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Craven* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (2), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—23 Membranes.

RAYNEBALDE, ROBERT, Merchant of the City of *Norwich*, 20 July, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Vicarage of *Ketheringham* (Norfolk) (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Keteringham* (Norfolk), late of the *Priory of Penteney* (Norfolk); Farms in *Watlington* and *Roughton-Holme* (Norfolk), late of the *Abbey of Westdereham* (Norfolk), and Woods (2); Rent and Farm in *Tofte* and *Ranyngeham* (Suffolk), late of the *Priory of St. Olave of Heringflete* (Suffolk), Memorandum, and Woods (2) [a small portion of the Memorandum obliterated], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—7 Membranes.

RAYSLYGH, PETER, of *Fowey* (Cornwall), Gentleman, 22 Aug., 37 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Trenaunte* (Cornwall), late of the *Priory of Tywardreth* (Cornwall), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—2 Membranes.

READE, WILLIAM, 27 Feb., 31 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of a parcel of the Lordship of *Beccles* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury* (Suffolk), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1), Copy of the same on paper (2)—3 Membranes.

READE, WILLIAM, 13 Dec., 33 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Valuation of the Rectory of *Beecles* (Suffolk) (1) [almost all obliterated]; Farm of the Manor of *Beccles* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmund* (Suffolk), Memorandum (1), Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1) [on paper]—3 Membranes.

Appendix II.

2. Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.

RESKYNNER. [No Christian name; no date.] No request. Farm of the Scite of the *House of Friars Preachers in the City of London* (1) [much faded]—1 Membrane.

RYCHE, Sir RICHARD, Knight, Chancellor of the Court of Augmentations, 13 April, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of *St. Bartholomew's Close,* and Farms in the parish of *St. Sepulchre, London,* late of the *Monastery of St. Bartholomew, West Smithfield, London,* Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (4); the bounds and limits of *Great St. Bartholomew's Close,* belonging to the said Monastery of *St. Bartholomew London* (1)—6 Membranes.

RYCHE, Sir RICHARD, Knight, 16 March, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Little Badowe* (Essex), late of *Sir Richard Ryche, Knight,* Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Little Badowe* (Essex) (1)—4 Membranes.

RYCHE, Sir RICHARD, Knight, 20 March, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Newarks* in *Goodester* (Essex), with the Tenths of the said Manor and the Tenths of *Newland Fee,* of the Rectory of *Goodester,* and of the Prebends of *Fawkeners, Bowres, Passelowes,* and *Imbers,* all in *Goodester* (Essex), late of the *Cathedral Church of St. Peter, Westminster,* Memorandum (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—3 Membranes.

RYCHE, Sir RICHARD, Knight, 20 Jan., 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 4. Request to purchase and exchange (1)—Lands appointed by the King to *Sir Richard,* viz., Farm of the Manors of *Stysted, Lawlyng, Midleton,* and *Southchurche* (Essex), late of the *Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Christ, in the City of Canterbury,* Memoranda (6), in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manor called *Little Badewe Hall,* in the parish of *Little Badewe* (Essex), parcel of the possessions of *Sir Richard Ryche, Knight* (1); Valuation of the Rectory and Vicarage of *Little Badewe* (1), Particulars of Exchange (1)—10 Membranes.

RYCH, Sir RICHARD, Knight. [No date.] Hen. 8. Sec. 5. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Maylondhall* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of St. Osith* (Essex); Farm of Marshes called *Halywell Marsh* and *Twysylworth Marsh,* in the parish of *Burnham* (Essex), *Turnecolemarshe,* in the parish of *Southmynster* (Essex), and *Landesend Marsh,* in the parish of *Althorn* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Halywell* (Middlesex), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1), Memorandum of the same (1) [on paper]—2 Membranes.

RYCHE, ROBERT, 12 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manors of *Westwickehall* and *Estwicke,* in the parish of *Burnham* (Essex), late of the *Priory of Dunmow* (Essex), Memorandum; Farm of the two Granges called *Chiddingswell* and *Tuttwike,* lying in *Inworth, Messinge, Braxsted,* and *Tolleshunt* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Coggeshall* (Essex); the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, Summary and Particulars of Sale (for Woods, see below) (2); Farm of a Grange near the Town of *Bury St. Edmunds* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmunds*; the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners (1); Woods, above referred to belonging to *Estwike, Chiddingswell,* and *Tuttwike* (Essex) (1)—5 Membranes.

RIDGEWEYE, JOHN, 6 Feb., 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Colaton,* and the Grange of *Elsham,* in the parishes of *St. Mary Church* [no county mentioned] and *Torre Mohun* [no county mentioned], late of the *Monastery of Torr* (Devon), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

RIDLEY, JOHN, 24 Jan., 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of *Uxmere,* in the parish of *Ippesden* (Oxford), and rents called *Nuttyngs,* in *Tuffeld* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Goryng* (Oxford), Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—2 Membranes.

RYGGS, WILLIAM, 23 Feb., 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *Stragilthorp* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Sempringham* (Lincoln); Farm of a Grange in *Wyllyngore* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Haverholme* (Lincoln); Farm of the Manor of *Ledenham* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Havenyngs* (Lincoln); Farm of the Manor or late *Priory of St. Katherine without the walls of Lincoln,* Summary and Particulars of Sale (4), [three membranes are paper, one of which is very imperfect]—4 Membranes.

RYGGS, WILLIAM, Gentleman, and LEONARD BROWN, 26 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Stragelthorpe* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Notley* (Bucks), Memorandum, and Woods (3); Rents and Farms in *Ledenham* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Hevenyngs* (Lincoln), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm called *Braylonds,* in the parish of *Ledenham* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Hevenyngs* (Lincoln), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm called *Amberleyns,* in the parish of *Northchurch,* in the *Holymote of Barkehamstede* (Hertford) [late possessor not stated] (1); Rents in *Westhroppe* and *Southover,* in the parish of *Tollepudell* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Abbotisbury* (Dorset), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Rents and Farms in *Ledenham* (Lincoln), parcel of the *Preceptory of Temple Brewr* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Woods above referred to, in *Ledenham* (Lincoln) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Follyatte Hall,* in the parish of *Onger* (Essex), late of the *Cathedral Church of St. Paul, London,* and Woods (2); Farms in *Stragilthorp, Fulbeke, Cathrope, Ledenham,* and *Braylond* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Sempringham* (Lincoln), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of a Grange in *Wellingore* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Haverholme* (Lincoln), and a Rent in *Fulbeke* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Thurgarton* (Notts), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1);

Farm in *Wellingore* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. Katherine, near the City of Lincoln*, Memorandum (1); Woods above referred to in *Wellingore* and *Fulbeke*, (Lincoln) (1); Farm in the parish of *Stilton* (Huntingdon), late of the *Priory of Bushemede* (Bedford), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Menythorpe* (York), parcel of the late *Preceptory of the Holy Trinity of Beverley* (York), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Graysthurroke* (Essex), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Rents in *Highweke, Buckeland in the Moor*, and *Wydecombe* (Devon), parcel of the Manor of *Wulborough* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Torre* (Devon), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Woods above referred to in *Westhropp* and *Southover* (Dorset), and other Woods below referred to belonging to the Manor of *Burdeleston*, otherwise *Burleston* (Dorset) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Burdeleston*, otherwise *Bureston* (Dorset), and all the Lands and Tenements in the parish of *Bureston*, late of the *Monastery of Mylton* (Dorset), Memorandum (1), Particulars of Sale [rated for Robert Keylewey] (for Woods, see last foregoing entry) (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—29 membranes.

RISLEYE, WILLIAM, 8 March. 31 Hen. 8. No request. Rents in *Barton Hartshorn* (Bucks), and Farm of the Rectory there; Farm of the Manor or *Priory of Chyttwodd* (Bucks), and of Lands in *Godynton, Preston, Botton*, and *Underwood* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of Nottley* (Bucks), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

RYTHE, GEORGE, and THOMAS GRANTHAM, of *Lincoln's Inn*, Gentleman, 16 September, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents in *Arnecotte*, in the parish of *Ambresden* (Oxford), late of the *Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Christ and St. Mary* (Oxford), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm in *Ablyngton*, in the parish of *Fyzhalden* (Wilts), late of the *Priory of Durford* (Sussex), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm called *Moldecote*, or *Modlicote* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm in the parish of *Lyffe*, (Southampton), late of the *Priory of Durford* (Sussex), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Southkylworth* (Leicester), and *Holcot* (Northampton,) late of the *Monastery of Pypwell* (Northampton) (for Woods, see below), Farm of the Grange of *Navesbye*, (Northampton) and Rents in *Navesbye, Sillesworth*, and in the parish of *Watford* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Sulbye* (Northampton), Memorandum (for Woods, see below); Farm and Rents in *Cosyngton, Galby*, otherwise *Dalby* and *Pykewell* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Oulneston* (Leicester), Memorandum (for Woods, see below); Rents in *Stapleford* and *Goodbye*, otherwise *Gawdebye* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Kyrbyebellers* (Leicester), Memorandum (for Woods, see below); Rents and Farms in *South Croxton, Barresbye, Kylby, Odebye, Knaptofte, Cosington, Glenfelde*, and *Stoke* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery "de Pratis"* (Leicester), Memoranda (for Woods, see below); Farm in *Cosyngton* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Gracedewe* (Leicester); and Farm in *Thurmaston* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Ulvescrofte* (Leicester) (for Woods, see below) (1); Rent and Farms in *Sharneford* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Pynlly* (Warwick); Rent and Farms in *Hatton* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of St. Sepulchre in the Town of Warwick* (for Woods, see below); Rents in *Shylwotton* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Stonley* (Warwick), Memorandum; Rents in *Glaston* (Rutland) and *Maidewell* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Fynneshed* (Northampton) (for Woods, see below); Rents in *Eston* and *Norborough* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Stanford* (Northampton) (for Woods, see below); Rents in *Asheby-Legers* and *Haredon* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Catesby* (Northampton), Memorandum (for Woods, see below); Rents in *Duston* (Northampton), late of *Monastery of Delaprey* (Northampton) (for Woods, see below); Farms and Rents in *Netherwhitacre* and *Hurley* (Warwick) and *Barleston, Snareston, Oslaston*, and *Hoggysnorton* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Pollesworth* (Warwick), Memoranda (for Woods, see below) (1); Woods above referred to (2); Rents and Farms in *Petersfeld* (Southampton), *Beryton* and *Hartyng* (Southampton and Sussex); and a Farm called *Holteland*, in the parishes of *Chalton, Beryton*, and *Hartyng*, (Southampton and Sussex), late of the *Priory of Durford* (Sussex), Summary, Particulars of Sale and Memoranda (3); Woods above referred to belonging to Farms in *Petersfeld* and *Beryton* (Sussex and Southampton); also other Woods belonging to a Farm in *Rogett* (Sussex and Southampton) (1); Farm in *Seton* (Rutland), late of the *Priory of Fynneshed* (Northampton); Rents in *Stanyarne* and *Corby* (Rutland), late of the *Priory of Stamford* (Northampton); Rents in *Harrodon* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Catesbye*, Rents in *Bosyate* and *Durston* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of St. James near Northampton*, Rents in *Hyllwetton* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Stoneley*, (Warwick); Rents in *Stapelford, Kyrbye-Bellers, Asfordebye*, and *Apeketylbe* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Kyrbyebellers* (Leicester); Rents in *Pykewell* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Oulneston* (Leicester); Rents in *Odebye, Cosyngton, Anstye*, and *Kirbye-Mallorye* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery "de Pratis"* (Leicester); Rents in *Syeston, Ansty*, and *Merkefelde* (Leicester); late of the *Monastery of Ulvescroft* (Leicester); Rents in *Est Norton, Halstede, Fresby, Lodyngton* (Leicester); and in *Lodyngton* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Launde* (Leicester), Rents in *Belgrave* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Gracedewe* (Leicester), Memoranda (3); Farm called *Langshotte* and *Pryourslande*, in the parishes of *Horne* and *Horley* (Surrey), late of the *Priory of Merton* (Surrey), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—25 Membranes.

RYTHER, JOHN, 26 June, 37 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Lawcell* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Ramsey*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale (1) [a small portion obliterated, and the pen has been drawn through six lines of the total], Woods belonging to the Manor of *Lawcell* (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Lawshell* (Suffolk) (1)—3 Membranes.

RYVE, JOHN, and ROBERT, 28 April, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of a capital Messuage in *Lusshecombe* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Milton* (Dorset), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

ROBINSON, RICHARD, Clerk, 11 May, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manors of *Laweswater* and *Thakethwayte* (Cumberland), late of *Henry Percy Earl of Northumberland*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (6) [on paper]—6 Membranes.

ROBINSON, RICHARD, Clerk, 11 May, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1), Farm of the Manors of *Lowsewater* and *Thaketwhate* (Cumberland), late of *Henry Percy Earl of Northumberland*, Memorandum, and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through six of the sums and both the Reprises]; Valuation of the Chauntry of *St. Michael in Brigham, Richmond* [no county] (1) [on paper]; Rent and Farm called *King's Acre*, and *Kingsland in Brigham* (Cumberland), late of *Henry Earl of Northumberland*, Memorandum (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

ROGERS, EDWARD, 16 June, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Raddewaye Fytzpayne* (Somerset), and of the *Hundred of Canyngton* (Somerset), parcel of possessions called *Northumberland Lands*, late of *Henry Marquis of Exeter, attainted*, Memoranda (1) [one Memorandum gall-stained], Rent of the Free Chapel of *Pudelwalston* (Dorset), late of the *Priory of Cannyngton* (Somerset), Memoranda (2)—4 Membranes.

ROGERS, Sir JOHN, Knight, 19 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the common field of *St. Mary, Blanford* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary, Winchester*, Memorandum; Farms in *Charleton* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery "de Leto Loco"* (Southampton), Memorandum; Farm of the Manor of *Pymperne* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Bremmer* (Southampton), Memorandum touching Woods, the Certificate of the Auditor [for Woods, see below] (2); Farm of the Capital Mansion of *Hemsworth* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Milton* (Dorset), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Estwytwaye* in the *Isle of Purbeck* (Dorset); and Farms in the parishes of *St. Mary, Blandford*, and *Blandford Forum* (Dorset), late of the *Priory of Shene* (Surrey), Memorandum [for Woods, see below] (1); Farm of the Scite of the late House of *Friars Preachers in Melcombe Regis* (Dorset), Memorandum [for Woods, see below] (1); Woods above referred to (1); Farm of the Manor of *Ebrington*, otherwise *Eberton* (Dorset), late of *Henry Marquis of Exeter, of High Treason attainted*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Iberton* (Dorset) (1) [faded], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—13 Membranes.

ROLLE, GEORGE, and NICHOLAS ADAMS, 3 July, 27 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Buckelandbruer* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Dunkeswell* (Devon), Memorandum and Woods (3); Farm of the Manor of *Tunstall* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Torr* (Devon), and of all lands in the parish of *Tunstall* (Devon), and in the town or borough of *Dartmouth Hardnes* in the said parish, belonging to the said *Monastery of Torr*, Memorandum, and Woods (3); Rents in the town or parish of *Pilton* (Devon), and in the town of *Barnstaple* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Pilton* (Devon) (3); Rents in *Great Torrington* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Frythelstocke* (Devon); and Farm called *St. John's Lande* in the parish of *East Teyngmouth* (Devon), late of the *Priory of St. John in the City of Exeter*, Memoranda (1); Rent within the Close and Churchyard of the *Cathedral Church of St. Peter in the City of Exeter* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Buckfastleigh* (Devon), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—13 Membranes.

ROLLE, GEORGE, Esquire, of *Stevynston* (Devon), and GEORGE HEYDON, of *St. Mary Ottery* (Devon), Gentleman, 16 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parish of *Shapwyke* (Dorset), late of the *Priory of Shene* (Surrey); the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, and Woods (2); Rents in the towns and parishes of *Highley, Paracombe, Ilfarcombe, Aysshefordе, Tytteshill, Pilton, Merwoode, North Molton, Goodleigh*, and *Okeforde* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Pilton* (Devon), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Morebath* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Barliche* (Somerset), and of the Manor of *Norton* in the parishes of *Lawnso* and *Saint Mary Wike* (Cornwall), late of the *Monastery of Newham* (Devon), Memorandum (2), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—8 Membranes.

ROUS, ANTHONY, 6 Feb., 31 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Wirlingeworth*, which extends itself into the towns of *Wirlingworth, Southold*, and *Tattington* (Suffolk), of the Manor of *Iklinghame St. James*, which extends itself into the towns of *Iklinghame St James* and *All Saints*, and *Lakyngheth* and *Sowe* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmund* (Suffolk); Farm of the Scite of the Chapel of *Cheksmythes* which extends itself into the towns of *Great Welntham, Little Welntham*, and *Bradfeld Combust* (Suffolk), late of the *House of Crutched Friars in the City of London* (1); Farm of *Bedefeld* Manor, in the towns of *Bedefeld, Tatington, Wirlingworth, Soham-Earls* and *Monk-Soham* (Suffolk) (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—3 Membranes.

ROUS, ANTHONY, 2 Sept. 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Chevenhall* in *Fresingefelde* (Suffolk) and *Monk Soham* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmund* (Suffolk), Memoranda, and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Monk Soham* (Suffolk) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Southolde* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of St. John near Colchester* (Essex), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Soterton* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Ely* (Cambridge), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Sotherton* (Suffolk) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Henham* lying in the parishes of *Henham, Blybourgh, Wangford, Brampton, Downwiche* and *Stowen* (Suffolk), late of the *Duke of Suffolk,* and in the King's hands by purchase. The Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3) [the pen has been drawn through 8 of the sums]; Farm of the Rectory of *Badley* (Suffolk), parcel of the *Preceptory of Battisforth* (Suffolk) late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum, Particulars of Sale [rated for *Edmund Peley,* Gentleman] (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—16 Membranes.

ROWSTORNE, LAWRENCE, of *Old Windsor* (Berkshire) Gentleman, 13 Dec., 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Hooton,* in the parish of *Penwarthan* (Lancashire), late of the *Monastery of Cokersand* (Lancashire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale and Woods (4); Woods on marshes in the parish of *Iden* (Sussex), late of *Sir Thomas Crumwell, Knight, Earl of Essex,* attainted (1)—6 Membranes.

ROYELL, THOMAS, 28 June, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Hartyshorn* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Repyngdon* (Derby), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm called *Grange Place,* with other Farms in *Hartyshorne* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Croxden* (Stafford), Memorandum (for Woods, see below); Farm of the Manor of *Shortehasells,* with other farms in *Hartyshorne* (Derby), late of the *Monastery "dePratis"* (Leicester); the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners. Summary and Particulars of Sale (for Woods, see below) (2); Woods above referred to (1)—5 Membranes.

RUSSELL, Sir JOHN, KNIGHT, LORD, 25 Feb., 31 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Aston Abbots* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Herts), Particulars of Sale (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Clopton Hall,* in *Ratlesden* (Suffolk), belonging to the office of Treasurer of the late *Monastery of Bury* (Suffolk), and Woods (2) [one membrane is paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Aston Abbots* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Herts), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

RUSSELL, LORD, 14 June, 33 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. By exchange. Given to the King by *Lord Russell,* viz., Farm of the House and Scite with the Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Dunkeswell* (Devon), including the Granges called *Brodhembury, Bourheys, Bywood, Shapcot* and *Sheldon,* with a Watermill there, the Rent and Farm of the Rectory of *Old Dunkyswell* (Devon) and the free Chapel of *Docton* (Devon), and Woods; Farm of the Manor of *Cornewood* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Tavystoke* (Devon) (2) [one Membrane is paper];—in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manors of *Hough* and *Gelston* (Lincoln) late of the *Priory of Montegrace* (York) (for Woods, see below) (1) [this is only a portion of the *Hough* and *Gelston* Particulars, the pen has been drawn through the Spiritualities of *Hough.* The Manor of *Brandon* is mentioned after *Gelston* in the Summary, but there are no Particulars here]; Farm of the Lordship of *Lye and Brawnes* (Bucks), and a Farm called *Pednore* in the hamlet of *Hamdriage* in the parish of *Chesham* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of Missenden* (Bucks) (for Woods, see below); Farm of the Manor of *Wydmere* with its members in *Great Marlow* and *Hamulden* (Bucks), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (for Woods, see below); Farm of the Manor of *Beamond* near *Missenden* [no county mentioned], together with the Rectory there, late of the *Monastery of Burcester* (Oxford) (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Lye, Brawnes,* and *Beamond* entries, the reprises, and two of the sums. The *Lye, Brawnes,* and *Beamond* entries are not mentioned in the Summary]; Farm of the Manor of *Kerbye* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Fynneshedde* (Northampton) (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm of the House and Scite of the late *Priory of Fynneshed* (Northampton) with its Demesne Lands and a Watermill near the said Scite (for Woods, see below); Farm of the Manor of *Eybury* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Peters* (Northampton) (for Woods, see below) (1); Rents in *Hauston* and *Othorpe* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Oulneston* (Leicester) Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the Rents]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Deen* (Northampton) (1) [on paper]; Farm called *Fryer Pyes,* with other Farms in the parish of *St. Margaret* in the town of *Westminster* (Middlesex), late of the *Monastery of St. Peter,* (Westminster) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Coldehall* in *Wolpitte* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmunds* (Suffolk), Summary, Particulars, and Woods (2) [one membrane is paper]; Farm of a Grange called *Kylham's Place* otherwise *Gillan's Place* in *Dosthorpe* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Peters* or *Peterborough* (Northampton), and Woods (2) [one membrane is paper]; a paper membrane headed with the words "A rate of the exchange betwene the Kinge Majeste and the Lord Russell," the rest blank (1); Woods above referred to (3) [on paper]; Particulars of Exchange (1) [Slightly defective]—19 Membranes.

RUSSELL, JOHN, LORD, 16 June, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Westley* (Suffolk), late of *Jasper Duke of Bedford,* Memorandum, the Answer

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2. Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.

to the Articles of the Commissioners, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Acton* (Middlesex), late of the *Priory of St. Bartholomew in Westsmythfeld* (London), the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—5 Membranes.

Russell, Sir John, Knight, Lord, 20 July, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 4. No request. Farm of the Manors of *Ingliscombe, Wydcombe, Laverton,* and *Westharptree,* Parcel of the Possessions of *William late Earl of Huntingdon,* in *Somerset* and *Dorset,* the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4)—4 Membranes.

Russell, Sir John, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, Lord Russell, and Lord Pryvie Seal, 5 March, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 5. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Vicarage of *Watford* (Herts) (1); Farms in the parish of *Watford* (Herts), late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Herts), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm of the Rectory of *Watford* (Herts), late of the *Monastery of Markeyat* (Bedford), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in *Fletmerston* and *Blacgrove* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of Medmenham* (Berkshire), Farms in the parish of *Bishopston* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of Gorynge* (Oxford), Memorandum (1)—8 Membranes.

Russell, Sir John, Knight, Lord Russell, and Keeper of the Privy Seal, 22 March, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 6. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parishes of *Acton* and *Willesden* (Middlesex), belonging to the *Dean of the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, London,* Memorandum touching Woods (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—3 Membranes.

Russell, Sir John, Knight, Lord Russell, and Keeper of the Privy Seal, 24 April, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 7. No request. Farm of the Rectory of *Watford* (Herts), late of the *Priory* of *Markeyat* (Bedford), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Agmondesham* (Bucks) (1)—3 Membranes.

Russell, Lord, 30 May, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 8. No request. Farm of the Rectory of *Ingliscomb* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Bath* (Somerset), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

Russell, John, Lord, [no date,] Hen. 8. Sec. 9. Request to purchase (1)—1 Membrane.

Rutland, Thomas, Earl of, 2 April, 33 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. By exchange. Given to the King by the *Earl,* viz., Farm of *Rydyngs Grange,* in the town of *Cheryburton* (York) [the pen has been drawn through one of the items and three of the sums]; Farm of the Rectory of *Ulceby* (Lincoln), formerly granted by the *Priory of Warter* (York) to the *Monastery of Thorneton* (Lincoln), and afterwards sold to the *Earl of Rutland*; Rents and Farms in *Wheston* (Leicester), sold to the Earl as parcel of the late *Monastery of Garrodon* (Leicester), and before sold to *Ralph Rowlet of London;* Farms in *Muston* (Leicester), sold to the Earl as parcel of the late *Monastery of Oulneston* (Lincoln), and before sold to *Anthony Ellis;* Rents in *Leicester,* late of the *House of Friars Minors in the Town of Leicester,* and sold to the Earl as parcel of the late *Monastery of Garrodon;* Rents and Farms in *Swythland* and *Hatherne* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Wollescrofte,* and sold to the said Earl as parcel of the late *Monastery of Garrodon* (1);—in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Staturne,* otherwise *Sathurne* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Haverholme* (Lincoln) (1); Farms in *Whisby* (Lincoln), parcel of the late *Bailiwick or Preceptory of Eagle* (Lincoln), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Farm of a Tenement called *Selly Brygge,* in "*Le Marresse*" (York), late of the *Monastery of Ryvalx* (York), Farm called *Blanch Marle*; with another Farm in *Wartre* (York), late of the *Monastery of Melsa* (York) (1); Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Ulvescrofte* (Leicester), and of a Tenement called *Charley* (Leicester), late of the said *Priory of Ulvescrofte* (1); Particulars of Exchange (1) [on paper]—6 Membranes.

Rutland, Earl of, [no date,] Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Annual value of Farms belonging to the late *Monastery of Garrodon* (Leicester), viz., Farm of the Scite of the said *Monastery of Garrodon,* and of the Agistment of Cattle in the Forest or Waste of *Charnewood* (Leicester), Rents and Farms in *Garrodon* (Leicester), Farm of *Dyxley Grange* and *Mill* (Leicester), of Tenths in *Thorp-Hawker, Thorp,* and *Dyxley* (Leicester), of *Oxley Pasture,* in the parish of *Shepeshed* (Leicester), and of Woods and Underwoods in *Garrodon* and *Dyxley* (Leicester); Rents in *Wynsewold, Shepeshed, Weston, Swytheland, Burton-Undershaw, Leicester, Worthington, Mountesorell,* and *Swynington* (Leicester); Farm of *Alton* or *Halton Grange* (Leicester); Rents and Farms in *Godby, Thorphauker, Curtelyngstowe, Newbolde, Hatherne, Burton-Wolds, Belgrave, Thurmaston, Cosyngton, Wykeham, Scalford, Growby, Ratby, Anstye, Cropston, Swanyngton, Swynfen, Sextonby,* and *Estewell* (Leicester); Farm of the Granges of *Staunton* and *Rynglethorpe* (Leicester); Farms in *Woldeby,* otherwise *Welby,* and *Rempston* (Leicester); Rents and Farms in *Sutton, Bolyngton, Great Leke, Nottingham, Kirkby-Woodhouse,* and *Kempston* (Notts); and Farm of a *Watermill* called *Scotes Mille,* in *Sutton* and *Bolyngton* (Nottingham), all late of the said *Monastery of Garrodon*; Rents and Farms in *Muston* and *Normanton* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Oulneston* (Leicester) (8); Farms called *The Lordship, Edgecourte, Dalokeborne,* and *Gressecrofte,* lying in *Buckmyster* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Kirkby-Bellers* (Leicester); Rents in *Braunston* (Northampton); and Farms called *Braunston Farm* and *Bramelane,* lying in *Braunston, Bury,* and *Buryfield* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Lylleshull* (Shropshire); Farms in *Waltam* and *Croxton* (Leicester), and in *Upwell, Owtewell, Elme,* and *Elmyth* (Norfolk and Suffolk),

late of the *Monastery of Nuneton* (Warwick), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—9 Membranes.

RUTLAND, EARL of. No date. Hen. 8. Sec. 3. No request. Farms of Lands in *Salteby* (Leicester), and of the Tenths of the Grain and Hay of *Bascalby*, in the parish of *Salteby* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Croxton* (Leicester), Rent of the Rectory of the Church of *Salteby* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Draxe* (York), Farm of *Hesketh Grange*, of *Harome Engs*, of *Shalton Crofte with Orliaunce*, of the Grange called the *Lunde Cote*, near *Welborne*, of *Sleightholme Dale*, and of Tenements in the town of *Brandsdale* (York), late of the *Monastery of Ryevalls* (York), Rents in the town of *Billesdale* (York), and in *Sproxton* and *Carleton* (York), and Farm of the Manor with the Rectory of *Helmesley* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkham* (York), Woods and Particulars of Sale (2)—2 Membranes.

RUTLAND, EARL of. No date. (Hen. 8?) Sec. 4. No request. Farm of the late *Priory or Cell of Belvere* (Lincoln), and Farms in *Wollesthorpe* (Lincoln), late of the same Priory (2)—2 Membranes.

RUTLAND, EARL of. No date. Hen. 8. Sec. 5. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late Comaundry called *The Eagle*, in the parish of the *New Eagle* (Lincoln), Rents and Farms in the parishes of the *Olde Eagle*, *Northstarle*, *Swynerbye*, and *Flawforthe* (Lincoln), in *Meere*, *Braunston*, *Hamworth*, *Brasbrige*, *Bultham*, *Northicam*, *Haddyngton*, *Wysbye*, and *Waddyngton* (Lincoln), and in *Spalford*, *Gyrton*, *Lampford*, *Collyngham*, and *Stoyk* (Notts), Valuation of the Parsonages of the *Old Eagle*, *North Starle*, and *Swynerby* (Lincoln), and *Marna* (Notts), all late of the said *Comaundry of Eagle* (Lincoln) (3); a blank Membrane (1)—4 Membranes.

RUTLAND, THOMAS EARL of, and ROBERT TYRWYT, 22 June, 33 Hen. 8. No request. By exchange. Given to the King by the Earl, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Chingford* (Essex) (1); Given to the King by *Robert Tyrwit*, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Salisberyhall*, in the parish of *Walthamstowe* (Essex) (5);—in exchange for, viz., Woods belonging to the *Comaundry of Eagle* (Lincoln), late of *St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1) [defective; the pen has been drawn through six of the sums and the Memorandum]; Woods belonging to the late *Priories of Noone, Burname, and St. Andrews* (York), to the *Comaundry of Ribston* (York), and to the late *Priory of Kyme* (Lincoln) (1) [defective]; Particulars of Exchange (2); blank Membranes (2) [all on paper]—12 Membranes.

SACKVILLE. (See SAKEVYLE.)

SADLER, Sir RALPH, Knight, [day illegible], June, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Sec. 1. Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands and Fishings of the late *Monastery of Selby* (York), together with the Grange of *Thorpe*, belonging to the same Monastery, and Woods; Summary and Particulars of Sale (3) [dirty, much gall-stained, and much obliterated]—3 Membranes.

SADLEYR, Sir RAFE, Knight, 9 June, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Stondon* (Hertford), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Summary and Particulars of Sale (3); Farm of the Lands and Possessions of the late *House of Friars Carmelites*, in the city of *Coventry* (3); Summary and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Thomas Cotton*) (1)—8 Membranes.

SADLEYR, Sir RAFE, Knight, *One of the Privy Council*, 10 Dec., 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to have in Exchange and Purchase (1) [much gall-stained]—given to the King by the said Sir Rafe, viz., Farm of the Scite of the late *Chapel or Chantry of St. Mary of Elmeley* (Worcester) with the Rectory there, with all profits in the County of *Worcester* (1); Value of the Manor of *Bromley*, otherwise *Stratford-at-Bowe* (Middlesex); Farm of the Manors of *Haslyngfeld* (Cambridge) and *Highall*, otherwise *Walthamstowe Tony* (Essex); Value of the Manors of *Astontirrall* and *Northmorton* (Berkshire) and *Berford* (Warwick; Value of the Rectory of *Kemsey* (Worcester) and of Tenths in *Westbury* and *Hembury* (Gloucester) (1) [dirty, and the pen has been drawn through two of the sums]; —in Exchange for, viz., Value of the Manors of *Stoke Bishops* (Gloucester) and *Hembury Saltmershe*, with the Hundred of *Hembury Saltmershe* (Gloucester) and Farm of a capital Messuage in the parish of *Stronde* near *London* (Middlesex), parcel of the Possessions of the *Bishop of Worcester* (1); Farm of the Manor of *Twynnyng* (Gloucester), with all its rights, members, and appurtenances, in the same county, late of the *Monastery of Winchelcomb* (Gloucester), Memorandum, and Woods; Farm of the Manor of *Allesborough* with its appurtenances (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Parshore* (Worcester), and Farm of the Demesne Lands of the same Monastery, Memoranda, and Woods; Farm of the Manor of *Olneston* (Gloucester), late of the *Priory of Bath* (Somerset), Memoranda, and Woods (5); Farm of the Manor of *Rowell*, with its appurtenances in *Halling*, *Cottesden*, and *Rowell* (Gloucester), together with the Barkhouse in *Cottesden* (Gloucester), and all farms in *Cottesden;* and late of the *Monastery of Winchelcomb* (Gloucester) (2) [one membrane is gall-stained and slightly faded]; Farm called *Hookes* and *Pynacles*, in the parish of *Waltham* (Essex), late of *Gertrude Courtney Marchioness of Exeter*, attainted, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm called *Cussoners*, in the hamlet of *Hallyfeld*, in the parish of *Waltham* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Waltham Holy Cross* (Essex), and Woods (2); Rents and Farms in *Slackested* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Southampton), Memorandum, and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through one of the sums]; Farm of the Manor of *Whitmore*, in the parish of the *Holy Trinity, Coventry*, late of the *Cathedral Church* in the City of *Coventry*, Memorandum, and Woods (2);

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2. Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.

Farm of *Woodereddon*, in the parish of *Waltham* (Essex) of the Manor of *Sewardeston*, otherwise *Sewarstonbury* (Essex), and of the Manor and Rectory of *Nasynge*, otherwise *Nasyngebury* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Waltham* (Essex), and Woods (3) [obliterated, faded in parts, and slightly defective]; Farm of the late *House of Friars Carmelites* in the City of *Coventry*, Memorandum (1); Memorandum of the value of the soil of the *Friars Carmelites in Fletestrete, London* (1); Valuation of the Vicarages of *Kymsey* (Worcester) and *Henbury* (Gloucester), and of the Rectories of *Stronde* (Middlesex), *Welford* (Gloucester), and *St. Martin in the Vintry, London* (5); Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) [dirty, and the latter part of the second membrane gall-stained and slightly defective]—31 Membranes.

SADLER, Sir RALPH, Knight, [no date]. Hen. 8.? Sec. 4. No request. Farms in the parish of *Bramley* (Middlesex), *Little Ilforth* (Essex), in the town of *Stratford* (Middlesex), in the *City of London*, in *Friday Street*, *Knightriderstrete*, *Canewickestrete*, *Bogerowe*, and *St. Lawrens Lane*, *London*, in the parish of *St. Margaret* in *Southwark* (Surrey), in *Estchepe*, *Bucklersbury*, *St Martin Outwiche*, *Brodestrete*, *St. Andrew in Cornhill*, *St. Swithin in Canewikestrete*, *St. Leonard* in *Estchepe*, *Gutterlane*, and *Kyronelane*, *London*, and in the parish of *Brameley* (Middlesex); Farm of *Perryns Grove* in the town of *Stratford* (no county mentioned); Farms in *Estmershe in Stepneth* (Middlesex), in *Cokkishall Broke* (no county mentioned), in the *Four Mill Street*, and elsewhere in the town of *Stratford* (no county mentioned), in the parish of *Brameley* (no county mentioned), in the *City of London*, in *Kildavy* (no county mentioned), in the Manor of the *Countess of Oxford* called *Shighawe* (Essex), and in *Clobbyshill*, *Ilford*, *Lamborne*, *Birkinge*, and *Westham* (Essex); Farm of *Berewyhfeld* in *Stratford* (Middlesex), of the Rectories of *Islington* and *St. Leonard*, in *Brameley* (Middlesex), of Lands in *Branghinge* (no county mentioned—Hertford?), and of the Rectories of *Buttisbury*, *Barnes*, *Rooding*, and *Norton* (Essex); an annual pension to the Vicar of *Wetherfeld* (Essex); Farm of the Lordship of *Mincheham*, in the parish of *Haslingfeld* (Cambridge), of the Tenths of the Manor of *Fawnes* (Kent), and of Lands in *Estred* (Herts); all late of the *Priory of Nuns in Stratford le Bow* (Middlesex), and Woods, Particulars of Sale (12) [on paper, and defective; the pen has been drawn through thirteen of the sums]—12 Membranes.

SAKEVYLE, RICHARD, Esquire, and JOHN, Gentleman, 5 June, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of Lands called *Langmarshe* in *Pagham* (Sussex), late of the *Priory of Boxgrave* (Sussex); the Answer to the Articles contained in the Letters sent by the Commissioners, and Woods (2); Farm of a Field called *Lodhysdowne*, in the parish of *Ovinge*, of two Fields in the parish of *Hamptonett*, and three Fields called the *Slyds*, lying in *Woodcott*, in the parish of *Hamptonett* (Sussex), late of the *Priory of St. Mary of Boxgrave* (Sussex), Farm of the Rectory of *Westfeld* (Sussex), late of the *Monastery of Battle* (Sussex); Memorandum, and Woods (3); Farms in the parish of *All Saints* in *Lombard Street*, *London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Mary Overey* (Surrey); Farms in the parish of *St Mary Somerset* in *London*, late of the *Monastery of Newark* (Surrey), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Laughton* (Sussex) and of the Manor of *Broughton in Jevyngton* (Sussex), late of *Thomas Crumwell Earl of Essex*, attainted, and formerly parcel of the late *Priory of Mychelham*, Memorandum, and Woods (4); Farm of the Manor of *Ovyngden* (Sussex), and Rents in *Goryng* (Sussex), late of *Thomas Crumwell Earl of Essex*, attainted, and formerly parcel of the late *Priory of Lewes* (Sussex), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Greate Bokeham* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of Bustelesham* (Berks), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Isenhurst* (Sussex), late of *Thomas Cromwell Earl of Essex*, attainted, and formerly parcel of the late *Priory of Mychelham*, Memorandum (for Woods see below) (1); Farm of Marsh Land in the *Isle of Oxney* (Kent), late of the *Archbishop of Canterbury*, and now in the King's hands by exchange, Memorandum (1); Woods belonging to the Manors of *Isenhurst* and *Wantley* (Sussex) (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [a large portion obliterated]; Farms in *Sybeford Gower*, in the parish of *Swalclyff* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Pynley* (Warwick), Memoranda, and Woods (2); Farm of the Grange of *Walton*, in the parish of *Chesterfield* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Sempringham* (Lincoln), Summary, Particulars of Sale (rated for *John Leke*), and Woods (3); Farm of the Manor of *Wantley*, in the parish of *Henfeld* (Sussex), late of *Thomas Crumwell Earl of Essex*, attainted, and formerly parcel of the late *Monastery of Lewes* (Sussex), Memorandum (for Woods, see above) (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [slightly gall-stained, and a small portion obliterated]—25 Membranes.

SAKEVYLE, WILLIAM, 24 April, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of a Chapel in *Brendewoode* (Essex), called *Thomas Becketts Chapel*, with the Cemetery, Belfry, and other appurtenances, late of *Thomas Earl of Essex*, attainted, and formerly parcel of the late *Monastery of St. Osythe* (Essex), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of a Tenement called *Stansted*, in the parishes of *Chauldon* and *Caterham* (Surrey), late of the *Hospital of Thomas Beckett* in *Southwark* (Surrey), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale of the foregoing (1); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Cateram* (Surrey) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Caterham* (Surrey), with the Rectory there, late of the *Monastery of Waltham* (Essex); the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners; Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—10 Membranes.

SAKEVYLE, WILLIAM, Esquire, 10 July, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Pollesdon Lacye* (Surrey), and Farms called *Capell* and *Bowetts* in *Mikellam* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of Marten* (Surrey), Memoranda, and Woods (3); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—5 Membranes.

SAMPFORD, RICHARD, 12 March, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Scrynes*, in the parish of *Wryttell* (Essex), and of Tenements called *Scrynes Serlls* and *Dukes*, in the town of *Roxwell*, (Essex), parcel of the *escheated Lands of Richard Fermor*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—3 Membranes.

SAMPSON, CHRISTOPHER, of *Bobbing* (Kent), Gentleman, 20 August, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Swanton Courte* (Kent), and of the Manor of *Tweddall*, with other Farms in the parishes of *Gillingham*, *Chetham*, and *Rayneham* (Kent), late of *Sir Thomas Wyatt, Knight, in the King's hands, by exchange*, Memorandum (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

SAMVYSE, otherwise SAMWISE, HENRY and JOHN, 11 December, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Westeshilsehampton*, with its appurtenances (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Abbotisbury* (Dorset), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

SAMWEYS, otherwise SAMWISE, JOHN, 23 February, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Toller* (Somerset), with the Rectory of *Toller* and *Wynforde* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Buckland* (Somerset), Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

SANDES, WILLIAM. (See SONDES.)

SAVERY, RICHARD, 28 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rent of the Lordship of *Rattre* (Devon), with the Rectory of the Church of *St. Mary* there, late of the *Monastery of Dogmaels in Southwall* (Pembroke), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

SCOTT. (See SKOTT.)

SCUDAMORE, JOHN, 4 March, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Dore* (Hereford), and of Lands and Tenements in the town of *Dore* (Hereford), parcel of the said *Monastery of Dore*, and Woods (1); Farm of Closes called *Sondalfeld* and *Brokenglat*, in *Monkton Langwaren* (Hereford), late of the *Priory of Lanthonie* (Gloucester), Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

SEAMAN, otherwise TURNER, JOHN, 2 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the *Manor of Malkynshall*, in *Pakenham* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmund* (Suffolk), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

SENTHILL, PETER, Gentleman, 21 April, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1), with Seal—Farm of the Manor of *Rockebeare* (Devon), with the Rectory there, late of the *Monastery of Canonleigh* (Devon), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of a moiety of the Manor of *Egleston* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Shene* (Surrey), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of a Close called *Long Wydyhoke*, otherwise *Widyhokes*, in the parish of *Yatmyster* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Cerne* (Dorset), Memorandum, and Woods (2)—7 Membranes.

SEVEN, RICHARD, and GEORGE BUCK, Gentlemen, 29 June, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—by exchange—Lands appointed by *Sir Richard Southwell, Knight*, to the King, viz., Farm of the Manors of *Haynford* (Norfolk), with Lands in *Newton* (Norfolk), *Upton* with its members (Somerset), *Wendling* (Somerset), and *Swanton Towers* and *Cardeston* (Somerset), (3) [almost illegible in parts];—in exchange for, viz., Woods, belonging to the Lordship of *Netherdale* (York), late of the *Monastery of Byland* (York), (1) [the Lordship of *Netherdale* is also mentioned in the Summary of Exchange, but there are no particulars of it here]; Farm of the Manor of *Holwall*, with its appurtenances (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Milton* (Dorset), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Brankastre* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Ramsey* (Huntingdon), Memorandum, and Woods (2) [the first membrane is faded and in parts obliterated]; Summary and Particulars of Exchange between *the King* and *Sir Richard Southwell, Knight*, dated the 16th April, 36 Hen. 8 (1) [part obliterated and slightly defective]—10 Membranes.

SEWSTER, JOHN, 4 March, 31 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Monkes Maner*, in *Wallington*, and *Clothall* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Albans* (Hertford), Farm of the Manor of *Brend Grange*, in *Chippenham* (Cambridge), late of the *Priory of Cheksand* (Bedford) (1); Farm of *Raneley Closes* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Ramsey* (Huntingdon), Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1), and a blank membrane (1)—3 Membranes.

SEWSTER, JOHN, Esquire, [day obliterated], July, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Vicarages of *Mytton* (York), and *Great Hormede* (Hertford) (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Mytton* (York), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale [for Woods, see below] (2) [the first membrane gall-stained, and a portion obliterated]; Farms in *Steplemurdon* and *Gyldenmordon* (Cambridge), late of the *Priory of Anglesey* (Cambridge), Farm of the Rectory of *Great Horemeade* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of Waltham Holy Cross* (Essex), Memorandum, the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Odesey*, in the parishes of *Gyldenmordon*, *Steplemordon*, *Meltburne*, *Melreth*, and *Shepereth* (Cambridge), *Asshewell* and *Kelshull* (Hertford), and *Eyworth* (Bedford), and of a Messuage in *Wimple* (Cambridge), late of the *Monastery of Wardon*, (Bedford), Memorandum (for Woods,

(see below) (1); Woods above and below referred to (3); Farm of the Manor or late *Preceptory of Halston* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (for Woods, see above) (1)—11 Membranes.

SEWSTER, JOHN, 8 August, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Farm in the parish of *Cokeham* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of Byssham* (Berkshire), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *John Babhame, Esquire*, 25 August, 36 Hen. 8), and Woods (2); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Beley*, otherwise *Beoley* (Worcester) (1) [on paper and slightly defective]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Hynstoke* (Shropshire) (1); Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Alcester* (Warwick), and of the Manor of *Pebworth* (Gloucester), and Rents in the following towns and places, viz., in *Tybbotts Lane, Alcester, Shop Rowe* in *Blechfeld, Coughton, Cockemerton*, and *Exhall* (Warwick), in *Egeoke* (Worcester), in *Pebworth* (Gloucester), and in *Instock* (Shropshire), also small Farms in the fields of *Alcester* (Warwick), and elsewhere—all late of the said *Priory of Alcester* (Warwick), Memorandum, and Woods (2) [faded and portions obliterated, the second membrane is gall-stained]; Farm of a Close called *Almener*, in *Abbottysley* (Huntingdon), late of the *Priory of St. Neots* (Huntingdon), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—9 Membranes.

SEWSTER, WILLIAM and JOHN, 10 May, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase—(1) Farm of the Manor of *Slepe* (Huntingdon), and of Closes, &c., called *Honney*, in *Chatteras*, in the *Isle of Ely* (Cambridge), late of the *Monastery of Ramsey* (Huntingdon), Memoranda (for Woods, see below) (2); Farm of the Manor of *Henlowe* (Bedford), with its appurtenances, late of the *Monastery of Wardon*, (Bedford), the Answer to the Letters of the King's Commissioners, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Woods above referred to (1); Farm of a Moiety of the Rectory of *Ellesboroughe* (Bucks) late of the *Priory of Shene* (Surrey), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *William Gardynor*, 20 May, 36 Hen. 8), and Woods (3); Farms in the town of *Kilvington* (York), late of the *Monastery of Eggelston in the Archdeaconry of Richmond*, Memoranda, Summary, Particulars of Sale (rated for *Henry Menell*, 21 May, 36 Hen. 8), and Woods (3)—13 Membranes.

SEYMOUR, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 2 May, 33 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. By exchange —Lands appointed by the King to *Sir Thomas Seymour*, viz., Farm of the late *Monastery of Edingdon* and *Tynhed* (Wilts), with *Aishton Mead*, in *Ashton* (Wilts), and all Lands, &c., in *Edingdon* and *Tynhed* belonging to the said Monastery, reserving to the King all Tenths, &c., belonging to the Rectory there [the pen has been drawn through five of the sums and the Reprises], Memorandum; also Farm of the Manor of *Beynton*, with *Stoke Earl* and *Cowleston* (Wiltshire), and of a Pasture called *Leshamlese*, in *Aishton* (Wilts) [the pen has been drawn through four of the sums and two items in the Reprises]; Farms in *Orston*, otherwise *Orcheston Saint George* and *Elston* (Wilts); Farm of the Manor of *Bratton* (Wilts), with a Meadow called *Westburysmede*, in *Westbury* (Wilts), and of all Lands and Tenements in *Bratton* (Wilts) belonging to the said late Monastery of *Edingdon* [the pen has been drawn through this entry (with the exception of one item), and it is not mentioned in the Summary]; Farm of the Manor of *Imber*, otherwise *Immer* (Wilts), and of all Lands, &c., in *Immer*, belonging to the *Monastery of Edingdon* [the pen has been drawn through this entry]; Farm of the Manor of *Esthrop* (Wilts), with Lands in *Esthrop, Westhropp, Highworth*, and *Freshdeane* (Wilts), all late of the said *Monastery of Edingdon* (Wilts); Farms in *Hankenton*, otherwise *Hankerton* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Braddenstok* (Wilts); Farm of a Pasture called *Jonesleasc*, in *Water Eton* (Wilts), with all Tenths of the *Chapel of Water Eton*, in the parish of *Eysy* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester); Farm of the Manors of *Busheton* (Wilts), and *Wolston*, otherwise *Wolfreshton*, otherwise *Wolfricheston* (Berks), with their appurtenances, late of the *Monastery of St. Swithin near Winchester* (Southampton) [the pen has been drawn through five of the sums]; Farm of the Manor of *Inglesham* (Berks), and of all Lands, &c., in *Inglesham*, also of the Rectory and Tenths there; late of the *Monastery of Beaulieu* (Southampton); Memorandum, Farms in *Esthropp, Westhropp*, and *Freshdeane*, in the parish of *Highworth* (Wilts), parcel of the late *Comaundry of Quenyngton* (Gloucester), late of the *House of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (3); Farm of the Manor and Hundred of *Melkesham* (Wilts), with all Lands, &c., in *Melkesham, Woddrew, Hilperton, Erlestoke, Pollesholte, Bulkyngton*, and *Syend* (Wilts), to the same belonging [the pen has been drawn through two totals and two items of the Reprises]; of the Manor of *Wolmer* (Wilts), with all Lands, &c., in *Wolmer, Benacre*, and *Whitley* (Wilts), of the Manor of *Petwike*, with the appurtenances in the town and parish of *West Challowe* (Berks), with all Tenths belonging to the Rectory or Chapel of *West Challowe* (Berks), all late of the *Monastery of Ambresbury* (Wilts) (1); Rents in *Esthropp* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Godstow* (Oxford), Farm of the Manor of *Sevynhampton* (Wilts), with its appurtenances (late possessor not stated) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Horsley* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Brewton* (Somerset), Memorandum touching Woods (1) [the pen has been drawn through one of the items and two of the totals],—in exchange for, viz., all the lands of *Coggeshall* (no county mentioned), and Woods [the lands of *Coggeshall* are mentioned in the Summary, but there are no particulars here], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [on paper]—8 Membranes.

SEYMOUR, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 26 June, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Vicarage of *Eaton Hastings* (Berks) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Water Eton* otherwise *Eton Hastings* (Berks), late of *John Earl of Oxford*, the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—5 Membranes.

SEYMOUR, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 14 December, 36 Hen, 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Eaton Hastings* (Berks) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Water Eton* otherwise *Water Hastings* (Berks), late of *John Earl of Oxford,* Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—4 Membranes.

SEYMOUR, Sir THOMAS, Knight, 12 June, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 4. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of a Mansion or capital Messuage called *Hampton Place* otherwise *Bathe Place,* and of a Tenement, with Garden thereto adjoining, called the "*Keper's House,*" in the parish of *St. Clement without Temple Bar, London,* also other Farms in the same parish, late of *William Earl of Southampton,* Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (4)—5 Membranes.

SEYNTBARBE otherwise SEYNTBARDE, WILLIAM, one of the Gentlemen of the King's Privy Chamber, 5 September, 38 Hen. 8. Request to have by way of purchase and gift (1)—Valuation of the Rents and Revenues of the *College of St. Edmund of Sarum,* viz., Rents in the *City of New Sarum* (Wilts); Valuation of the Churches of *St. Edmund* and *St. Martin* (Wilts) [the pen has been drawn through these entries]; Valuation of the Rectories of *Compton* and *Whiteparish* (Wilts); of a Pension going out of the Rectory of *Purley* (Berks); of the Rectory of *Whitchurch* (Dorset); of Rents in *Honington* (Berks); and of Tenths in *Mylforde* (no county mentioned) (1) [the pen has been drawn through nine of the sums, and a line in the Reprises]; Rent of the Scite and Precincts of the *College of St. Edmund in the City of New Sarum* (Wilts); Farm of the Rectory of the Church of *St. Edmund Sarum* (Wilts), with the appurtenances, and of the Rectory of *Whitchurch* (Dorset), with the appurtenances; Farm of the Rectory of *Whitparishe* (Wilts); of the Manor of *Alverston* (Wilts); and of the Rectories of *St. Martin, New Sarum* (Wilts), *Compton Chamberlayn* (Wilts), and *Porley* (Berks), with their appurtenances; Farms in *Honnington* (Berks); in *Mynster Street, Bedrewstrete,* and *Rollestonstrete, in New Sarum* (Wilts); and near the Cemetery of the *Church of St. Edmund, New Sarum* (Wilts); Rent of the Pasture and Herbage of the Cemetery of *St. Edmund in New Sarum,* and of Tenements in the same city; Annual Rents paid to the *College of St. Edmund, New Sarum* (Wilts), all late of the said *College of St. Edmund in the City of New Sarum;* Rents in *Typhulfeld* (no county mentioned), and Tenths belonging to the *Free Chapel of Whelplay,* in the parish of *Whytparishe* (Wilts); Rent and Tenths of Lands in the Common Fields belonging to and near the *Free Chapel of St. James* in the parish of *Whytparish* (Wilts) (4); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—7 Membranes.

SHAKERLEY, GEFFREY, 10 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Pollardyngton* (no county mentioned), with a portion of Tenths going out of the Manor of *Oxhulfe* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Shene* (Surrey), Memorandum, (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm of the Grange of *Lache Denis,* in the parish of *Budworth* (Chester), late of the *Monastery of Norton* (Chester), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm of *Byvely Grange,* in the parish of *Midlewiche* (Chester), with its appurtenances in the hamlet called the *Overgatehouse* and the *Nethergatehouse,* in the said parish of *Midlewiche,* late of the *Monastery of Delacres* (Stafford), Memorandum (1); Woods above referred to (2)—6 Membranes.

SHAKERLEY, ROWLAND, Citizen and Mercer of *London,* 24 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1); Farm of the Manor of *Calver* (Derby), late of the *Priory of Newsted* (Notts), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

SHARYNGTON otherwise SHERYNGTON, WILLIAM, Esquire, 10 October, 34 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Clotely* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wilts) (1); Farm of the Manor or Messuage called *Erlescote* otherwise *Erdescote,* in the parish of *Wanborowe* (Wilts), late of *Thomas Duke of Norfolk* (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Abbascombe* (Somerset) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Combe* otherwise *Abbascombe* (Somerset), with all Lands and Tenements there, late of the *Monastery of Shafton* (Dorset) (1) [the pen has been drawn through two of the totals]; Rents in *Cote* otherwise *Cotts* and *Medborne,* in the parish of *Luddington* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Shafton* (Dorset) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Chadelworth* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Ambresbury* (Wilts) (1); Farm of the Tenths of Grain and Hay of and in the town of *Burton,* in the parish of *Shrevenham* (Berks); Farm of the Manor of *Duntesborne Lyer* and *Netherduntesborne* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester) (2) [the pen has been drawn through a total and the Reprises]; Rents in *Shrevenham* otherwise *Shrineham* (Berks), and in the hamlets of *Overburton* and *Netherburton* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester) (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Dengeworth* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Bruerne* (Oxford) (1); Farm of a Messuage called *Bucklonds,* with the appurtenances in *Over Burton* (Berks), late of *Sir Francis Lovell, Knight,* attainted (1); Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the Manor of *Shulton* within the hundred of *Farringdon* (Berks), together with the Tenths of the Rectory there, late of the *Monastery of Beaulieu* (Southampton) (1); Farm in the town and fields of *Hatheroppe* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Bradenstoke* (Wilts) (1); Farm of the Manors of *Oulne St. Dennis* (Gloucester), and *Calcote* otherwise *Caldicote,* with the appurtenances in *Gloucester,* late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester) (1) [the pen has been drawn through this entry; a small portion gone, and a large portion obliterated]; Farm of a *Barn* or *Barkhouse,* and other Farms in *Havenpen* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of St. Oswald in the County of the City of Gloucester* (1); Farm of a Tenement called *Nokeplace,* lying at the south end of *Netton,* in the

Appendix II.

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parish of *Laycoke* (Wilts); and Farms in *Chipnam Ewey* (Wilts), and in the town of *Laycoke* (Wilts); parcel of the *Preceptory of Templecombe* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [slightly defective]—17 Membranes.

SHARINGTON otherwise SHERYNGTON, WILLIAM, Esquire, 5 December, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the Manor of *Lyddyngton* otherwise *Ludyngton* (Wilts), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Valuation of the Rectory and Vicarage of *Ludyngton* (Wilts) (2) [one membrane is paper]; Farm of the Rectory of *Box* (Wilts), with the appurtenances, and of Lands called *Reynolds* in *Waddeswik*, in the said parish of *Box*; also of Tenths in *Ridlawe*, in the said parish of *Box* (Wilts) (for Woods, see below) (1); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Box* (Wilts) (1); Farm of three *Salt Pits* in *Northwiche*, in the parish of *Budworth* (Chester), all late of the *Monastery of Vale Royal* (Chester), Memorandum; Farm of the Grange of *Lachedenis*, in the parish of *Budworth* (Chester), late of the *Monastery of Norton* (Chester), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Lachedenis* entry]; Rents in *Cloteley* (Wilts) called *Kytthays, le Breche, Urdeleys, le Conyngare, Three Butts, Lyemedowe, Lyecopps, Gaggs Lane, le Parock, The Brodeleye, Homelye, Clarks, Modokerhey, Clares, Payneshey*, and *Clekehey*; Rent in *Escote* (Wilts) called *Bathesham*; Rents called *Tendene, Wylshyres, Bryans, Hamonds, Pattens, Balleshill, Grenehill*, and *Woborne*, being in *Inmeade, Cloteley, Laycrofte, Hankenton*, and *Charleton* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wilts) (for Woods, see below) (1) [slightly defective]; Woods above referred to (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [slightly defective]—10 Membranes.

SHARYNGTON otherwise SHERYNGTON, WILLIAM, Esquire, 17 November, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. No request. Farm of the Manors of *Awberye, Winterborne*, and *Charleton* (Wilts), and of Lands called *Barbury Lees* (Wilts), late of the *College of St. Mary of Fotheringhey* (Northampton), Memoranda, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Manor of *Hatherupp*, with the appurtenances (Gloucester), with the Pension of the Rector of the parish church of *Hatherupp* (Gloucester) [late possessor not stated], Memorandum, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Hatherupp* (Gloucester) (1); Woods belonging to Farms in the parishes of *Estham* and *Westham* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Barking* (Essex), and of *Sir Anthony Hungerford, Knight* (1); Farm of the Manor of *Lye*, otherwise *Lygh*, otherwise *Leigh* (Wilts), being near *Assheton* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), Memorandum and Woods (3) [gall-stained, and a large portion obliterated]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Polebroke* (Northampton) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Polebroke*, lying in *Polebroke, Armeston, Kingestrope*, and *Lutton* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Peterborough* (Northampton); Farm of all Lands in *Polebroke* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of St. John of Jerusalem in England*; Farms in *Armeston, Kingestrope, Thurning, Polebroke, Warmington*, and *Barnwell* (Northampton), late of the *Hospital or Chantry of St. John the Baptist in the said parish of Polebroke* (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—11 Membranes.

SHELDON, THOMAS, and LAWRENCE POYNERS, 12 September, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents in *Churchestrete, Bartonstrete*, and *Oldburystrete*, in the parish of *St. Mary of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), and Farms in *Walton* near *Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), two being near a wood called *Waltons Wood*, near the road leading to *Walton*, and the third called *Oxlese Pynfolde* in *Walton* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester); the Certificate of the Auditor, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Rents in *Esynghope*, in the parish of *Dodenham* (Worcester), late of the *Priory of Great Malvern* (Worcester); the Answer of the Auditor (1); Farm in *Toterhill* (Shropshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Dynmore* (Hereford), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms in the Borough of *Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury*, Memorandum (1); Farms in the parishes of *St. Helen, St. Swithin, St. Andrew*, and *St. Peter*, in the *City of Worcester*, late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury*, Summary and Particulars of Sale (1); Rent in *Brodestrete*, in the parish of *All Saints* in the *City of Worcester*; the Answer of the Auditor, Rents in *Colwall* (Hereford), and Farm of Tenths in *Brockeberye*, in the parish of *Codyngton* (Hereford), late of the *Priory of Great Malvern* (Worcester) (1); Farm called Frenchmans Hall, in the parish of *All Saints*, in the *Salte Market*, or *Rother Market*, in the *City of Worcester*, and Rents in the same City, late of the *Priory of Little Malvern* (Worcester); the Answer of the Auditor (1); Farm of a parcel of the Lordship of *Astley Brugge*, otherwise called *Asteley Abbots* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of St. Peter and St. Paul in Shrewsbury* (Shropshire); the Answer of the Auditor, Memorandum, and Woods (3); Farm in *Hintingdon* (Shropshire), parcel of the Lordship of *Little Wenlock* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Wenlock*; the Answer of the Auditor, and Woods (3); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—17 Membranes.

SHELDON, WILLIAM and FRANCIS, 26 June, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Warmington* (Warwick), with Pensions to the Rectors of *Warmington* and *Wylley* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Witham* (Somerset), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Tadlyngton*, otherwise *Talton*, with its members in the parish of *Tredyngton* (Worcester) (for Woods, see below) (2); Farms called *Beamons*, in *Brodemerston* (Gloucester), lately purchased by the *Abbot of Evesham* (Worcester) (for Woods, see below) (1); Rents and Farms in *Dormyston*, with the Chapel there (Worcester), late of the *Priory of Studeley* (Warwick), Memoranda (for Woods, see below) (2); Farms in the town and fields of *Alne* and *Offord* (Gloucester), parcel of the Manor

of *Alne* with *Offord*, late of the *Monastery of Winchelcomb* (Gloucester); the Certificate of the Auditor (for Woods, see below) (1) [the pen has been drawn through this Membrane]; Farm of the Manor of *Abbrighton*, otherwise *Abburton* (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Pershore* (Worcester), Memoranda (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Bynton* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Bordesley* (Worcester), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Rents called *Pitehouse* and *Pitegrove*, in *Knyghtwike* (Worcester), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Rents in *Beley* (Worcester), parcel of the possessions of *Thomas, late Earl of Essex*, attainted, and formerly parcel of the possessions of the late *Monastery of Alcester* (Warwick), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Farms in the fee of *Alderleygh* (Chester), late of the *Monastery of Dieulacres* (Stafford), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Abburton* (Worcester), of the Vicarage of *Beeley* (Worcester), and of the Rectory of *Warmyngton* (Warwick) (1) [on paper, the pen has been drawn through the *Beeley* Vicarage entry] Woods above referred to (7) [the pen has been drawn through the entry of Woods belonging to the *Monastery of Winchelcomb*]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—21 Membranes.

SHELDON, WILLIAM and FRANCIS, Brothers, 3 August, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Rents in the parish of *Aston Cawntelow* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Studeley* (Warwick), Memorandum and Woods; Farms in *Kings Areley* (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Bordesley* (Worcester), Memorandum and Woods; Rents in *Tonworth* and *Buttelers Marston* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Pynley* (Warwick), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Kings Areley* entry and a total]; Farms in *Preston Bagote* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Wroxall* (Warwick), Memoranda and Woods (2); Farms in *Catten* (Derby), late of the *Priory of Repingdon* (Derby), Memorandum (1); Farm of Lands called *Warwickslands*, and *Spencerslandes*, with their appurtenances in the city of *Worcester*, or within the Liberties, Suburbs, and Precincts thereof, late of the *Earl of Warwick*, the Certificate of the Auditor (1); Woods belonging to Farms in the parishes of *Saint Lawrens* and *All Saints*, in the town of *Evesham* (Worcester), and others in *Shrewnell Park*, in *Bardesey* and *Aldington* (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester); also Woods belonging to the scite and precincts of the late *Monastery of Pershore* (Worcester) (1); Farm of the scite and precincts of the late *Monastery of Parshore* (Worcester), together with a Pasture there called *Wynyarde*, late of the said *Monastery of Parshore*, (for Woods, see last foregoing entry) (2); the Answer to the Articles of the King's Commissioners touching Farms in *Evesham*, parcel of the Manor of *Evesham* (1) [the pen has been drawn through a total at the head of this Membrane]; Rents in the town or Manor of *Old Parshore* and *New Parshore* (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Parshore* (Worcester), Memoranda and Woods (4); Farm called *Denston Ryddyngs*, in the parish of *Church Somersall* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Roucester* (Stafford), Memoranda and Woods (2); Farm of all Lands and Tenements in *Whetstone* (Leicester), late of the *Collegiate Church of St. Mary in the town of Warwick*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of Woods belonging to the Manor of *Hasylor* (Warwick), late of the *Collegiate Church of St. Mary in the town of Warwick*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Lewis Skynner*, 36 Hen. 8) (1)—19 Membranes.

SHELDON, WILLIAM, and JOHN DRAPER, 25 July, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1) [with two seals]—Farm of the Manor of *Shrawley*, otherwise *Shraveley* (Worcester), parcel of the possessions assigned towards the dowry of *Queen Katharine*, and late of the *Earl of Warwick*, Memorandum (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Shrawley* (Worcester) (1); Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Temple Grafton* (Warwick), parcel of the late *Preceptory* of *Balsall* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *John Draper and Hugh his son, of Temple Grafton*), and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Weston* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Wyston* (Worcester), Memorandum (for Woods, see below); Farm of the *Church or Chapel of St. Michael, called Home Chapel* (Worcester), late of the *Priory of Great Malvern* (Worcester), Memorandum (for Woods, see below); Rents in *Beley* (Worcester), late of the *Priory of Pynley* (Warwick), Memorandum, Rents and Farms in *Tysoe* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Kenelworth* (Warwick), Memorandum (for Woods, see below), Rents and Farms in the City of *Worcester*, late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester), Memoranda (for Woods, see next entry) (3) [the pen has been drawn through the *Evesham* entry]; Woods above referred to (1); Farm of Watermills, called *Maydston Mills* (Kent), parcel of the possessions of *Thomas late Archbishop of Canterbury*, now *in the King's hands by purchase*, Memorandum (1); Woods called *Parners Wood* and *Horners Wood* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of Missenden* (Bucks) (1); Rent and Farm in *Belgrave* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Leicester*, Memorandum, Rents and Farms in *Belgrave* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Gracedieu* (Leicester), Rents in *Belgrave* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery of Soulby* (Northampton) (for Woods, see below) (1); Rents in *Belgrave* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Kirbybellers* (Leicester), Farms in the town of *Evesham* (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester), Memoranda (1); Woods above referred to (1); Farms in *Belgrave* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Draxe* (York), Memorandum and Woods (2); Rents and Farms in *Peterley*, *Kyngeshull*, and *Great Myssenden* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of Myssenden* (Bucks), and Woods; Rents in *Kennyngton Pole*, *Chaundon*, and *Southynxsey* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berks), and Woods (3) [the pen

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has been drawn through the *Kennington Pole*, &c., entry and Woods]; Rents in *le Marstowe*, in the parish of *St. Lawrence*, in the town of *Evesham* (Worcester), and in *Bridgestrete*, in the parish of *All Saints*, in the town of *Evesham*, late of the *Monastery of Evesham*, Memorandum (1); Farms in the *City of Worcester*, parcel of the possessions of the King called *Coparcenerslands* (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—22 Membranes.

SHELDON, WILLIAM, Esquire, and DANIEL WOODWARD, Gentleman, 23 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents and Farms in the parishes of *St. Lawrence* and *All Saints*, in the town or manor of *Evesham* (Worcester), Memoranda, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *William Sheldon* and *Daniel Woodward*, and the heirs of the said *William*) (5) [the pen has been drawn through one of the Farms]; Farm of a Messuage called *Little Busseby* (York), late of the *Monastery of Ryvalx* (York), Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—8 Membranes.

SHERINGTON. (See SHARINGTON.)

SHERLEY, THOMAS, Esquire, 30 April, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Buddington* (Sussex), late of the *Monastery of Godstow* (Oxford), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—2 Membranes.

SHREWSBURY, ELIZABETH COUNTESS of, 5 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Eryth* (Kent), late of *Joan Queen of England;* the Report of the Auditor; Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

SHREWSBURY, FRANCIS EARL of, 23 October, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Rents and Farm in *Priors Lee* (Shropshire), with two Watermills (one called *Padfordsmyth*, and the other called *Haughton Mille*), in the parish of *Shuffenall*, in the lordship of *Idsall* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wombridge* (Shropshire), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4). Summary and Particulars of Exchange, dated 14 July, 37 Hen. 8, mentions the following possessions appointed by the Earl to the King, viz.—the Manor of *Farneham* (no county mentioned) and Woods, and the patronage of the Church of *Farnham* (no county mentioned), in exchange for, viz., the Demesnes of *Worksopp*, Lands called *Fulwood Grange* (York), late of the *Priory of Beawchyff*, Lands called *Johns Howse* (no county mentioned), parcel of *Worksopp*, Lands called *Kyngs Medowe*, Lands (no county mentioned), parcel of the late *Priory of Roucester*, Lands (no county mentioned), parcel of *Roche*, the Lordship of *Pyllesbury* (no county mentioned), and Woods; the patronage of the Vicarage of *Eglysfeld* (York), the Erle to hold the premisses of the King in capite, by the service of the tenth part of one Knight's fee, "and to fynde to the Kynge a glove for his righte hande at his coronation, and to bare up his right arme the same daye that the Kynge dothe bare the septer in his graces hande" (2) [on paper, slightly defective]; Woods belonging to a Grange in *Sheffeld* (Derby), late of the *Priory of Beauchiff* (Derby) (1) [on paper]—8 Membranes.

SHREWSBURY, EARL of [no date], Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Worksopp*, in the parish of *Worksopp* (Notts), of a Close called *Pryor Greve*, and a Mansion in the parish of *Worksopp;* and of a Messuage called *Pryor Starte*, in the hamlets of *Hartecliff* and *Darnall*, in the parish of *Sheffeld* (York), all late of the said *Priory of Worksopp*; Farm of a Grange called *Fullewoode Grange*, in the parish of *Sheffeld* (York), late of the *Priory of Beauchyff* (Derby) (1) [obliterated in parts]—1 Membrane.

SIDENHAM, JOAN, 11 September, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Lordship or Manor of *Westow*, in the parish of *Lawrence Lyddyarde* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Taunton* (Somerset), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm in *Godmanstone*, otherwise *Godmystone* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Cerne* (Dorset), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

SYDNEY, SIR WILLIAM, Knight, 13 August, 30 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Certificate upon the survey made of all the Manors, Lands, Tenements, Rents, Reversions, and Services pertaining to the said Sir William, in *Hull Street, Fynkell Lane, Daggard Lane, Markett Gate, Salthows Lane, Chapell Lane, Cherche Lane, Denton Lane, Myton Gate, Southende, Monke Lane, Drypole, Hull Street, Market Gate, Old Beverley Gate, Myton Gate, Hull Street, Grymsby Lane, Market Gate, Salthows Lane, White Freer Gate, Old Beverley Gate, Chapell Lane, Cherche Lane, Denton Lane, Myton Gate, Southende*, and *Market Gate*, all in the town of *Kingston upon Hull*; also of the Manor of *Tupcotes-with-Myton* (York), of a sixth part of the Manor of *Sutton in Holdernesse*, in *Sutton, Sudcotes*, and *Stonfery* (York), in *Barrow* (Lincolnshire), and in *Roxton in Holdernesse* (York), (8); an Hospital near the *Charterhouse of Hull*, the *White Friars*, and the *Austin Friars*, the Chancel of the Churches of the same in the town of *Kingston upon Hull*, and a College at *Sutton* (no county mentioned), founded by the said Sir William Sydney (1)—9 Membranes.

SIDNEY, SIR WILLIAM, Knight, 20 May, 33 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Summary and Particulars of Sale and Exchange between the King and Sir William Sydney, which mention a Grant to Sir William of a Rent Charge going out of *Gylforde Marsh* (no county mentioned), with other Rents, and the Manor of *Eston* (no county mentioned) (1) [on paper; very defective]—1 Membrane.

SYDNEY, SIR WILLIAM, Knight, [no date], Hen. 8. Sec. 3. No request. Farm of all the possessions of the late *Monastery of Robertsbridge* (Sussex), viz., Rents and Farms in *Playdon, Robertsbridge, Hotheley*, and *Northiam* (Sussex); Farms of *Madersham, Newinnyng,*

Fuddeland, Glyde, Warde, Udyam, Derne, Posyngworth, Blakestoke, Spytts, Rowdenn, Flechers Fyldes, and *Fullyngmyll Felds* (Sussex); Farms called *Redd Londs,* with others in *Salhurst* (Sussex); Farms called *Wymbletotts* and *Waddells* (Sussex); Farm of a Mill called *Wynham Fordmyll* (Sussex), Farm called *Glyme,* in *Salhurst* (Sussex), and others called *Coblands, Popesthurste, Ketnest, Badlonds, Andrewslonds,* and *Westpellmede* (Sussex); Rent in *Peplisham* (Sussex), and Farm of the Manor of *Sutton* (Sussex), Farm of the Rectories of *Udymer, Moundefeld,* and *Salhurst* (Sussex); Farm of the Manors of *Lamberhurst* and *Woodroffe* (Kent); of Lands called *Fryars Londes, Munkenlands, Gulford Marshe,* and *Foder Marshe* (Kent); and Farms in *Stone* (Kent), all late of the *Monastery of Robertsbridge* (Sussex); Summary and Particulars of Sale (on back) [defective] (6) [on paper; the pen has been drawn through 8 of the sums and 1 of the items]; Woods belonging to the Manor and Parsonage of *Acornbury* (Hereford), and to the Manor of *Rowlston* in the parish of *Little Byrche* (Hereford), late of the *Priory of Acornbury* (Hereford) (1) [on paper]; Woods belonging to the Manor of *Eston* (Southampton), with Lands in *Medestede* (Southampton), late of the *Priory of St. Swithin in Winchester* [for Particulars of the Manor of *Eston,* &c., see next Particular] (1) [on paper]—8 Membranes.

SYDNEY, Sir WILLIAM, Knight [no date], Hen. 8. Sec. 4. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Eston* (Southampton), with Lands in *Medestede, Chilland,* and *Marterworthy* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of St. Swithin in Winchester* (Southampton) (for Woods, see last foregoing Particular) (1) [the pen has been drawn through 2 of the totals]—1 Membrane.

SYDNEY, Sir WILLIAM, Knight, and AGNES, his Wife [no date], Hen. 8. Sec. 5. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Mychelmarshe* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of St. Swithin* (Southampton), Memorandum (1)—1 Membrane.

SKYNNER, ANTONY, 11 March, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Kynwarton,* with the appurtenances (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester) (1), Farms called *Fulleplace, Hervies, Carews, Richards, Barretts, Woodefelds* and *Brodeleys, Bitton* and *Rene,* in *Little Aulne,* in the parish of *Aston Cantelowe* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Stodeley* (Warwick) (1), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—3 Membranes.

SKYPWYTH, EDWARD, 2 April, 33 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Clementhorpe* (York), with a Rent called *le Fishegarth* in *Clementhorpe,* and another in *Middlethorpe* (no county mentioned), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

SKOTT, otherwise WILLYAM, JOHN, of the Town of *Bedford,* 29 July, 37 Hen. 8. No request. Rents in the town of *Bedford,* late of the *Monasteries of Harolde, Chixsonde, Newenhame, Elnestowe, Caldwell,* and *Wardon* (Beds), Parcel of the *King's Honor of Ampthill* (Beds), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (4)—4 Membranes.

SMALL, JOHN, 18 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Bredstret,* in the parish of *St. Peter Poor, London,* late of the *Priory of St. Hellen within Bishopsgate, London,* the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

SMYTHE, CLEMENT, Esquire, 25 Nov., 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Coggeshall* (Essex), called *Bowser, Holford Graunge,* and *Bushgate House,* late of the *Monastery of Coggeshall* (Essex), (*in the King's hands, by exchange with Sir Thomas Seymour, Knight,*) and Woods (2), the Answer of the Auditor, and Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

SMYTH, JOHN, 27 April, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Requests to purchase (2)—Rents in *Small Street,* in the parishes of *Saint Warborowe* and *Saint Leonard,* in *Corne Street,* in the parish of *All Saints,* and in *Brodstrete,* in the parish of *Saint Tuyns,* all in the *City of Bristol,* late of the *Priory of Bath* (Somerset); Rents in *Briggewater,* in the parish of *Briggewater* (Somerset), and Farm of the Manor of *Durleighe,* in the parish of *Durleygh* (Somerset), with its appurtenances, late of the *Monastery of Bridgewater* (Somerset), and Woods; Rent in the town of *Briggwater,* in the parish of *Briggwater* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Athelney* (Somerset) (2); Rents in *Corn Street,* in the town of *Bristol,* with Waste Lands in the parish of *Saint Warburgh,* in the town of *Bristol* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Nethe* (Glamorgan), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

SMYTHE, JOHN, of *Bristol,* Merchant, 8 June, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Vicarage of *Longaishton* (Somerset) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Aysheton Meriett,* in *Longaysheton,* with the Rectory of *Longeaysheton* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Bath* (Somerset), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3) [much obliterated]; Farm in *Gynge at Stone,* called *Woodharnes* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Berkinge* (Essex); Farm of the Manor of *Blakamore* (Essex), late of the *Abbey of Waltham Cross* (Essex) (1) [gall-stained, and parts illegible]—6 Membranes.

SMYTH, JOHN, *one of the Barons of the Exchequer,* and SIR WILLIAM HUSSEY, Knight, [no date]. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Temple Cressyng* (Essex), and Rents and Farms in the half hundred of *Witham* (Essex), late of the *Priory of Saint John of Jerusalem in England,* Summary and Particulars of Sale (rated for *John Smyth* and *Sir William Hussey, Knight,* and the heirs of the said *John Smyth*) (1) [on paper]—1 Membrane.

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SMYTH, WALTER, of *Totneys* (Devon), Gentleman, 30 May [no year], Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Garston and Totton* (Devon), with the Manor of *Bryxham*, otherwise *Upton* in *Bryxham* (Devon), late of the *Priory of Tottenes* (Devon), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

SMYTHE, WILLIAM, of *Welborne* (Lincoln), Gentleman, 10 Feb. 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Hunnyngton* (Lincoln), and Farms in *Barston* and *Ciston* (Lincoln), and in *Womandover* and *Bottisford* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Stixwold* (Lincoln), Memorandum and Woods; Farm of a Grange called *Gippulls Grange* (Lincoln), parcel of the possessions of *Sir Thomas Pope, Knight, in the King's hands by Exchange*, and late of the *Priory of St. Katherine, near the City of Lincoln*, Memorandum; Farm in *Barston* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. Katherine, near the City of Lincoln*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

SNEDE, WILLIAM, 21 May, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Keyle* (Stafford and Shropshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—3 Membranes.

SNELL, NICHOLAS, Gentleman, 16 Feb., 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Kynyton* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

SNOWE, RICHARD, 15 February, 31 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Chykesond*, in the parish of *Deane* (Beds), late of the *Monastery of Chykesond* (Beds), and Woods called *Inwoode, Lordes Woode*, and *Appley Woode*, in the parish of *Deane*, late of the same monastery, Memorandum, Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) [the second membrane is gall-stained]—2 Membranes.

SNOWE, RICHARD, of *Chicksond* (Beds), Esquire, 4 November, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parish of *Radley* (Berks), called *Sugworthe, Sawsers*, and *Borrowesleys*, Farms in the parish of *Sonyngwell* (Berks), called *Buriecrofte*, and *Donynghurste*, and Farm of a portion of Tenths of Wool and Lambs in *Sugworth*, in the parishes of *Radley* and *Barton* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berks), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

SOMERSET, DUKE of, [no date]. Hen. 8? No request. Farm of the Manors of *Redynge* and *Whytley* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary of Redynge* (Berks) (3) [the contents of one membrane almost obliterated]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [illegible; almost obliterated, and imperfect]—4 Membranes.

SOMERSET, Sir GEORGE, Knight, 18 May, 37 Hen. 8. No request. Valuation of the Chapels of *St. Parnell* and *St. Peter*, in *Bury St. Edmunds* (Suffolk) (1) [much obliterated]; Particulars of Gift (1) [both membranes gall-stained]—2 Membranes.

SONDES, otherwise SANDES, WILLIAM, Gentleman, 10 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1); Farm of a Marsh called *Goremarshe* (Kent), with Lands pertaining called *Upland* (Kent), also of Lands called *Montylsham* and *Cockeham* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Feversham* (Kent), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

SOUTHAMPTON, EARL of, [no date], Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Midhurst* (Sussex), with its appurtenances, viz., Rents in *Midhurst* (Sussex), Rents in *Trotton*, called *Crokyslands* (no county mentioned), Rents called *Highefelds* in *Farnehurst* (no county mentioned), *Colyars garden* in *Eseborne* (no county mentioned), *Legatslands* in *Stedeham* (no county mentioned), a Rent in *Heyshott* (no county mentioned), and Farm of the *Free Chapel of Midhurst* (Sussex), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1) [a small portion obliterated]—1 Membrane.

SOUTHCOTT, JOHN, and JOHN RIDGWAYE, 18 May, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Tresme* (no county mentioned), with the Advowson of the Rectory there, and of the Manor of *Kylbury*, in the parish of *Buckfastley* (Devon), also a Farm in *Spechewike* in the parish of *Wydecombe* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Buckfast* (Devon), Farm of the Manor of *Shillyngford Abbats*, in the parish of *Exmyster* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Torre* (Devon), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Carssewell Abbats*, in the parish of *Carssewell* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Shirborne* (Dorset), Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [1 Membrane is paper; the pen has been drawn through one of the sums]—3 Membranes.

SOUTHWARK HOSPITAL? [no date], Hen. 8? No request. Farm of the Scite of the late *Hospital of Thomas Beckett in Southwark* (Surrey), with Farms in the parishes of *St. Gregory, St. Michael at Macell, St. Margaret Pattens, St. Nicholas at Macell, St. Dunstan in the East, St. Michael Queenhithe, St. Michael in Woodstrete, St. Lawrence Pountney, St. Magnus, St. Michael Crooked Lane, St. Olave by the Tower, St. Botolph without Aldgate, St. Mary Mounthawe, St. Sepulchre, St. Nicholas Abbey, All Saints Stanchurch*, and *All Saints Barking*, in the *City of London*, also in the parishes of *St. Olave, St. Saviour, St. George, St. Saviour*, and *St. George* (Surrey), Farm of the Rectory of the *Hospital of St. Thomas Beckett*, Farms in the parish of *St. Mary Magdalen* near *Bermondsey* (Surrey), in *Southwark* (Surrey), and in *Blachemanstrete*, and *Kentstrete* in the parish of *Newington* (Surrey), Rents going out of the Manors of *Otworth* and *Chilworth* (Surrey), Rents and Farms in *Dunfold* (Surrey), in the towns and parishes of *Wimbelton* and *Micham* (Surrey), and in *Peynge* and *Depford Strond* (Surrey), Rents called *Medwok* in a Marsh called *Rodham Mede*, in the parish of *Clyffe* (Kent), Farms in *Foston* (Leicester), and Farm of the Rectory of *Muchwakerynge* (Essex), all late of the

said *Hospital of St. Thomas Beckett in Southwark* (Surrey) (3) [obliterated in parts]—3 Membranes.

SOUTHWELL, JOHN, 29 July, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Berugham* (Suffolk), late of the *Cathedral Church of Ely*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through two of the sums; in parts obliterated]—3 Membranes.

SOUTHWELL, Sir RICHARD, Knight. (*See* Seven, Richard, and George Buck.)

SOUTHWELL, Sir ROBERT, Knight, 10 March, 32 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of St. Saviour of Bermondsey* (Surrey), together with Farms called *Dosehouse Mede, Swanemede*, and *Nethergravellpytts* (Surrey), and Farm of a Tenement called *Stonehouse*, in the parish of *St. Mary Magdalen in Bermondsey* (Surrey), all late of the said *Monastery of Bermondsey* (1); Farm of the Manor of *Little Peckham*, otherwise *West Peckham* (Kent), parcel of the possessions of the *Magisterial Chamber in the County of Kent*, late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3) [2 membranes are paper]—4 Membranes.

SOUTHWELL, Sir ROBERT, Knight, 13 November, 34 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Hoxon* (Suffolk), parcel of the late *Bishoprick of Norwich*, and Woods, (3) [slightly illegible and galled-stained], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [on paper]; the pen has been been drawn through half a line of the Particulars of Sale—4 Membranes.

SOUTHWELL, Sir ROBERT, Knight, *Master of the Rolls*, 23 January, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to have in recompense (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Esingdon* (Herts) (1); Lands appointed by the said *Sir Robert* to the King, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Stebbyng* (Essex) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Esyngden* (Herts) (1) [a small portion obliterated]; —in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Lordship of *Barwike Raynham*, in the parish of *Reynham* (Essex), and Woods, and of the Manor of *Morehall*, in the parish of *Alvytheley* (Essex), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (5); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1) [slightly defective]—10 Membranes.

SOUTHWELL, Sir ROBERT, Knight, *Master of the Rolls*, [no date], Hen. 8. Sec. 4. No request. Farm of the Manors of *Rusper, Prestewood in Rusper*, and *Hewell in Horsham* (Sussex), and *Warneham* (no county mentioned), parcel of the possessions of *Sir Robert Southwell, Knight, Master of the Rolls* (1) [much gall-stained]—1 Membrane.

SOWTHE, GEORGE, Esquire, 1 July, 33 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Summary and Particulars of Exchange of Lands appointed by the said *Sowthe* to the King, viz., the Manor of *Westnynge* (no county mentioned), and Woods, and the patronage of the Chauntrey of *Westnynge* (no county mentioned)—in Exchange for, viz., the Manor of *Ripley*, in the parish of *Pentryches* (no county mentioned), with the Sprynge of the same, and Woods, a Pension going out of the Church of *Eynesbury* (Huntingdon), and the patronage of the Vicarage of *Pentryches* (no county mentioned) (1) [on paper]—1 Membrane.

SOWTHE, GEORGE, [no date], Hen. 8? Sec. 2. No request. Farms in *Ripley*, in the parish of *Pentryches* (no county mentioned), and in *Uston* (no county mentioned) (2) [imperfect; in parts obliterated and illegible]—2 Membranes.

SPAKEMAN, NICHOLAS, of the *City of London*, 12 September, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Vicarage of *Micham* (Surrey) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Micham* (Surrey), with the Rectory there, and of the Tenths of a Mill there, late of the *Priory of St. Mary the Virgin of Overy* (Surrey), and Woods (2); Farms in the parish of *St. Gregory* in *Paternoster Row* (London), late of the *Charter House near the City of London*, Farms in the parish of *St. Mary Woolnoth, London*, late of the *Priory of Clerkenwell near London*, Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

SPENCER, JOHN, 24 February, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Kirkleys* (York), the Answer to the Articles contained in the Warrant of the King's Commissioners, Summary and Particulars of Sale (rated for Nicholas Savell), and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Worsted* (Norfolk), late of the *Priory of Penteneye* (Norfolk), Farm of the Manor of *Worsted*, in the parish of *Worsted* (Norfolk), late of the *Priory of Hempton* (Norfolk), the Answer to the Letter of the King's Commissioners (1); Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Flixton* (Suffolk), and of the Manor of *Southlineham* (Suffolk), late of the *Priory of Flixton* (Suffolk), the Answer to the Articles of the Commissioners, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4) [the Particulars of Sale slightly defective, and a small portion obliterated]—8 Membranes.

SPENSER, MYLES, *Doctor of Civil Law*, 22 April, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite of the *College called the Chapel in the Felde, Norwich*, with Lands in the parishes of *St. Peter of Mancrofte, St. Stephen, St. Andrew*, and *St. George* in the *City of Norwich*, Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Bowethorp* (Norfolk), Rents and Farms in *Eston* and *Honnyngham* (Norfolk) [the pen has been drawn through the *Eston* and *Honnyngham* entry], Farm of the Rectories of *Feldallinge* and *Fresingefelde* (no county mentioned), Rents in *Baughborough, Higham*, and *Smalborough* (no county mentioned) [the pen has been drawn through these Rents and the three following totals], all late of the said *College called the Chapple in the Felde* (Norwich) (8) [the first and second membranes much obliterated]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—10 Membranes.

SPRYNG, JOHN, Esquire, and DOROTHEA his Wife, 13 November, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Cokkefelde* (Suffolk), (1); Farm of the Manor of *Cockfeld* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmund's* (Suffolk), Memorandum, Stock and Store of the said Manor, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—5 Membranes.

SPRYNG, ROBERT, Esquire, and THOMAS, Gentleman, of *Laneham* (Suffolk), 4 September, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Vicarage of *Pakenham* (Suffolk) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Pakenham* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmund's* (Suffolk), Memoranda, the Stock of the said Manor, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3), [one Membrane is gall-stained], Farm of the Rectory of *Kymbalton* (Huntingdon), late of the *Priory of Stoneley* (Huntingdon), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—8 Membranes.

STAFFORD, WILLIAM, Esquire, 10 July, 33 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. By exchange. Lands appointed by William Stafford to the King, viz., the Manor of *Hendon* (Kent), and the lands called *Ferrby Lands* (no county mentioned) [the foregoing entry is taken from the Summary, but there are no particulars here]—in exchange for, viz., Farm of a Messuage called the *Unicorne's Horne*, otherwise the *Unicorne* in *Chepeside*, in the parish of *St. Mary at Arches, London*, late of the *Monastery of Ely*, Farm of a Tenement called the *Unycorn*, or otherwise *Goodde Chepefelde*, in *Westechepe*, in the parish of *St. Mary at Arches, London*, late of the *Hospital of St. Mary Without Bishopsgate, London* (1); Farm of the Manor of *Uggethorpe*, in the parish of *Heth* (York), late of the *Monastery of Gisburne* (York) (1) [defective]; and Woods (1) [on paper]; Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2) [on paper]—5 Membranes.

STAFFORD, WILLIAM, 15 May, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manors of *Maner's Fee, Zouche's Fee, Colvyll Fee*, and *Sherdelowys*, with their appurtenances in *Fulbrook* and *Hinton* (Cambridge), parcel of the possessions of *William Stafford, Esquire*, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *the King*) (1); an account of money paid and due by *William Stafford*, for the livery of him and Mary his wife (3) [on paper]—4 Membranes.

STANDISHE, WILLIAM, Gentleman, 29 January, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Gaulden*, in the parish of *Tolland* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Taunton* (Somerset), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Exchange, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

STANLEY, Sir THOMAS, Knight, LORD MOUNTEAGLE, and HENRY CROFTE, Gentleman, 12 July, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Botton*, in the parish of *Mellynge* (Lancaster), late of the *Priory or Cell of Hornebye* (Lancaster), late of the *Monastery of Croxton* (Leicester), Memorandum (2) [slightly defective]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

STANNFORD. (See STAUNFORD.)

STANNYNGE, JOHN, *Steward of the Inner Temple, London*, 29 July, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Vicarage of *Bickleigh* (Devon) (1); Memorandum "that there is no parsonage impropriate called *Bickleigh*, apperteyning to any dissolved house in the County of *Devon*" (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor or Manors of *Byckeleigh* and *Sheagh*, in the parishes of *Bickeleigh, Sheagh, Plympton*, and *Tamerton* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Buckeland* (Devon), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—6 Membranes.

STANNYNG, JOHN, and ANTHONY BUTLER, 6 August, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of a Flour Mill in the parish of *Ultradaron* (Carnarvon), late of the *Monastery of Bardesey* (Carnarvon), (1); Rents in *Shittestor* and *Rynmore*, in the parishes of *Shittestor* and *Walkehamton* (Devon), and Rents belonging to the Manor of *Walkehamton*, in the parish of *Walkehamton* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Buckeland* (Devon), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Walkehampton* (Devon) (1); Farm of a capital Messuage called *Hele Farm*, in the parish of *Byckeleigh* (Devon), with Lands called *Mayburgh* (Devon), and Lands of *Hethefylde* (Devon), with all Lands in the parish of *Shittestor* (Devon), together with the Hundred of *Rowborrough* (Devon), and the Common called *Rowborrough Downe* (Devon), all late of the *Monastery of Buckeland* (Devon), Memorandum (1), [the pen has been drawn through the Farms in Shittestor entry, and those that follow]; Rents in *Henrevoyson*, parcel of the hamlet of *Cornwellis*, in the parish of *St. Mary of Cornwellis* (Anglesea), and Rent of a Tenement called *Quarley*, in the town of *Kellynyock* (Anglesea), late of the *Monastery of Conway* (Carnarvon), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Church or Rectory of *Albrighton* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Dore* (Hereford), Memorandum (1); Farm of a Tenement called *Skynner's Place*, in *Depford Strand*, otherwise *Westgrenewyche* (Kent), late of *Thomas Beckett's Hospital* in *Southwarke* (Surrey), Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—12 Membranes.

STAPLETON, [no Christian name; no date], Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Rectory of *Wighill* (no county, or late possessor mentioned), Farm called *Nunegarthes* in *Esedyke*, in the parish of *Wighill*, (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Synnyngthwayte* (York), Farm of Closes, called *le Nonnepaltons*, in *Escreik* (York), and *Mossecroft*, otherwise *Mousecroft*, near *le Whynner Crofte*, in *Wheldrick* (York), late of the *Monastery of Thikhede* (York) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Escreik* and

Wheldrik entries]; Farms in *Esedyke* (York), and in *Wighill Park* (no county mentioned), late of the *Priory of Helaugh* (York), Memorandum (2) [slightly defective and stained]—3 Membranes.

STARKY, HUGH, Esquire, of *Derley* (Chester). 5 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Grange of *Knyghts*, in the parish of *Whitegate* (Chester), late of the *Monastery of Vale Royal* (Chester), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

STAUNFORD, EDWARD, 21 March, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rent of a Tenement called *Richarshott Fylde*, in the town of *Stafford*, late of the *Priory of Stone* (Stafford), Farm of the Scite, Lands, and Possessions of the late *House of Friars Augustine*, lying in the town and fields of *Stafford*, the answer of the Auditor, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

STAUNFORD, WILLIAM, Esquire, Attorney General of the Court of General Surveyors, 26 September, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Pype*, or *Pype Hall*, with the appurtenances (Warwick), parcel of Lands called *Warwikeslands* and *Spencerslands*, late of the *Earl of Warwick*, the Certificate of the Author, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

STEPHYNS, RICHARD, 29 June, 38 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Rectory of *Funhall* (Norfolk), late of the *Nunnery of Flixton* (Suffolk), Farms in *Cleydon, Bargham*, and *Blakenham* (Suffolk), late of the *Nunnery of Campessey* (Suffolk), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Mawdlenstrete*, Farm called a *Gatehouse*, in *Estreate*, Farm in *Oldhythe*, called *Woodhouse*, otherwise *Woodhewers*, Farms in *St. John's Grene*, Farm called *Hoppe Garden*, Farms in *Loder's Lane, Stanwell Street, Bery Lane*, and near *Botolph's Gate*, Farm called *The New Inn*, otherwise the *Lamb*, near *St. John's Grene*, Farm near *The Gyn*, and another without *Rygate*, all within and without the walls of *Colchester*, and late of the *Monastery of St. John*, near *Colchester* (Essex); Farms in *Brydelsmythgatestrete* and *Longegatestrete*, in the town of *Nottingham*, and in the parish of *St. Mary*, and elsewhere, in the same town; and Farms in *Gyldeswall*, otherwise *Dydeswels* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Lenton* (Notts), Memorandum (2) [illegible in parts]; Farms in *Berkelandbury* (county illegible), and in the fields of *Lancaster*, late of the *Monastery of Cokersand* (Lancashire), Memorandum and Woods (2) [gall-stained, and in parts obliterated]; Farms in *Romney Marsh* (Kent), and within the liberties of the same, late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1) [gall-stained, and parts illegible]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) [slightly gall-stained]—8 Membranes.

STEPNETH, RALPH, Gentleman, of *London*, 25 May, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor, with the Rectory of *Aldenham* (Herts), late of the *Monastery of St. Peter, Westminster*, Memorandum, and Woods (3); Farms in the parish of *Newington* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of Bermondsey* (Surrey), Farm of a Meadow called *Holmede*, in *Midherst* (Sussex), late of the *Priory of Tortyngton* (Sussex), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—6 Membranes.

STERNALD, THOMAS, 20 January, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Bodmin* (Cornwall), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—2 Membranes.

ST. JOHN, Sir [no Christian name], Knight [no day or month], 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Lordship of *Caisho* (Beds), Rents in *Little Stoughton* (Beds), and Farm of a Pasture called *Coldham*, in the parish of *Riesley* (Beds), all late of the *Monastery of Chixsande* (Beds), Farm of Lands called *Batemans*, with Woods, in *Pertenhall* (Beds), late of the *Priory of Harwold* (Beds), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1) [slightly defective and gall-stained]—1 Membrane.

ST. JOHN, Sir JOHN, Knight, 18 February, 32 Hen. 8. No request. By exchange. Lands appointed by the King to the said Sir John, viz., Farm of a Messuage called the *Prior's House*, with a Garden in *Trinity Lane, London*, and a Tenement to the same annexed, late of the *Priory of Marton* (Surrey) (1) [on paper]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Rypton Abbats* (Hunts) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Bolnehurst* (Beds) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manors of *Abbotts Rypeton*, with *Wenington* and *Esthorpe* (Hunts), and *Elyngton* (Hunts), late of the *Monastery of Ramesey* (Hunts) [the pen has been drawn through the *Elyngton* entry], Farm of the Manor of *Bolnehurst* (Cambridge), late of the *Monastery of Thorney* (Cambridge), Memorandum (2); Farm of the Manor of *Bonwilston*, in the county of *Glamorgan* and *Bishoprick of Llandaff*, and of the Grange of *Grenedowne* (Glamorgan), and other Farms [name of place obliterated], late of the *Monastery of Margam* (Glamorgan) (1) [the pen has been drawn through two lines and two sums]:—in exchange for, viz., the Manor of *Paulespury*, otherwise *Westpury* (no county mentioned), and Woods, and the commodity of the Park there, also the Advowson of *Paulesbury* [there are no particulars of these Farms here, but see Summary], Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1) [slightly defective and much obliterated]—7 Membranes.

ST. LEGER, Sir ANTHONY, Knight, 4 November, 38 Hen. 8. Request to have of gift (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Drayton* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berks) Memorandum and Particulars of Grant (1)—2 Membranes.

ST. LEGER, Sir JOHN, Knight, [no month], 34 Hen. 8. No request. By exchange. Lands appointed by the King to the said Sir John St. Leger, viz., Valuation of the *Free Chapel of Beruscapolia* (Devon) (1) [on paper]; Valuation of a Prebend of the *Priory of Bodmin in Endelyan* (Cornwall) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Ideslegh* (Devon), (late pos-

Appendix II.

2. Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.

sessor not stated); Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Canonleigh* (Devon), with the Demesnes in the parishes of *Buscombe, Samforde, Peverell, Holberton, Sodeworth, Holcombe Rogus*, and *Uffecolomp* (Devon); Farm of the Manor of *Hockeforde*, in the parishes of *Hockeworth, Uffecolomp, Samforde, Peverell*, and *Holberton* (Devon), and of the Manor of *Canonleigh*, with Lands in *Chillomyn* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Canonleigh*, (for Woods, see below) [the pen has been drawn through the Manor of *Canonleigh* entry]; Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Torre* (Devon), with the Demesne Lands in the parish of *Torre Mowen* (Devon) (for Woods, see below) (2); Farm of the Manor of *Colompton*, in the parish of *Colompton* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Buckeland* (Devon), Farm of the Manor of *Upton Wever*, in the parish of *Colompton* (Devon), late of the *Priory of St. Nicholas, Exeter* (for Woods, see below) (2); Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Canonleigh* (Devon), of the Manors of *Canonleigh* and *Hockeforde* (Devon), and of the Rectories of *Hockeforde* and *Burlescombe* (Devon), late of the said *Monastery of Canonleigh*, Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands called *The Ham* and *Amebreymeds* of the late *Priory of Bath* (Somerset), and of the Manor of *Wydcombe* and *Lydcombe*, consisting of Lands called *Beachynclyff, Brodecrofts, Brodemede, Wroggsmede, Bellmede, Horselease*, and *Priors Park*, with their appurtenances, in the parishes of *Wydcombe* and *Lydcombe* (Somerset), late of the said *Priory of Bath* (1); [the *Priory of Bath* is not mentioned in the Particulars of Exchange]; Woods above referred to (3) [on paper and imperfect]—in exchange for, viz., Rents and Farms in the borough of *Newport Pannel* (Bucks), with the hamlets of *Mershende* and *Tychford* (Bucks), and Farm of the Manors of *Little Linford* and *Great Linford* (Bucks) (late possessor not stated), Memorandum, and Woods (4) [a large portion of the first Membrane is obliterated; the pen has been drawn through two of the Farms and two of the items in the Reprises]; Summary and Particulars of Exchange (3) [on paper, and very defective]; a blank Membrane (1)—18 Membranes.

STOKLEY, WILLIAM, Gentleman, of *London*, 26 April, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents in *Friday Street*, in the *City of London*, late of the *Monastery of Notteley* (Bucks), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

STONE, WILLIAM, Gentleman, *Serjeant of the Lord Chancellor*, 23 September, 37 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Weston* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Durford* (Sussex), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Andemer* (Southampton), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [a small portion obliterated]—4 Membranes.

STORTHE, JOHN, [no date], Hen. 8.? No request. Farm of Land called *Thurston Land* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Roche* (York), Woods, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

STORY, HENRY, 5 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase is at the bottom of the first Membrane. Farms in *Aslaby*, in the *Bishoprick of Durham*, late of the *Monastery of Gisborn* (York), Memorandum [slightly defective], Request to purchase, and Woods (2); Rents in *Colde Inglebye* (York), late of the *Monastery of Jarvaulx* (York), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—4 Membranes.

STOURTONE, WILLIAM, Lord, 7 July, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Kulmyngton*, otherwise *Kilmington* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Shafton* (Dorset), (for Woods see below), Rents and Farms in *Wincawulton, Barowe*, and *Roundehill* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Taunton* (Somerset), (for Woods, see below), (1) [the pen has been drawn through four of the sums and three of the totals]; Farm of the Rectory of *Wincawulton* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Taunton* (Somerset), Rents in *Vexford* (no county mentioned), late of the *Priory of Barliche* (Somerset), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (for Woods, see below) (2); Farm of Lands called *Spotclose*, in *Deveryll-Langbridge* (Wilts), and of a Close called *Adnams*, in the parish of *Nonny* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Maydenbradley* (Wilts), Memorandum and the Certificate of the Auditor (1); Woods above and below referred to (1); Rents in *Cathanger*, in the parish of *Stogursey* (no county mentioned), late of the *Priory of Barliche* (Somerset), Memorandum (for Woods, see last foregoing entry) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Monkesham*, with its Members (no county mentioned), late of the *Priory of Witham* (Somerset), Memorandum (1)—8 Membranes.

STOURTON, Sir WILLIAM, Knight, LORD STOURTON, 20 February, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manors of *Hinton-Mary* and *Caundell* (Dorset), late of the *Priory of Shafton* (Dorset), (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Caundell Purse* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Athelney* (Somerset), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (for Woods, see below) (2), [the pen has been drawn through three of the totals]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Candell Purse* (Dorset) (1); Woods above referred to, together with Woods belonging to the Farm of *Arseygrove*, otherwise *Hargrove*, near *Fountmell* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Shaftesbury* (Dorset) (2); Rents in the *Olde Market, Cornestrete*, the parish of *St. Peter*, and in *Wine Street*, all in the County of the *City of Bristol*, late of the *Monastery of Maydenbradley* (Wilts), the Certificate of the Auditor, and Woods (2)—9 Membranes.

STRADLYNG, EDWARD, Gentleman, 12 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Lantewyte*, in the parish of *Lantewyte* (Glamorgan), with a portion of the Tenths of Land called the *Moyse* (Glamorgan), and a Water-mill there, late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), the Certificate of the Auditor, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4) [a small portion obliterated]—5 Membranes.

STRANGWAYS, GEORGE, and RICHARD SAVAGE, 26 June, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Rectory of *Tarraunt Monachorum* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), and Woods [small portions obliterated, slightly defective, and gall-stained]; Farm of a portion of Tythes in *Tarraunt Monachorum* (Dorset), Parcel of the Cell of *Cranborne* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* [defective, much obliterated, and gall-stained], and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Bloxworth* (Dorset) (1); late of the *Monastery of Cerne* (Dorset), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Lymington* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Bradenstoke* (Wilts), Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) [much gall-stained, and a small portion obliterated]—11 Membranes.

STRANGWAYES, Sir GILES, Knight, 3 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Abbotisbury*, with its appurtenances, in the parish of *Abbotisbury* (Dorset), of Lands called *Bexyngton*, in the parish of *Pontnoll*, otherwise *Pountnall* (Dorset), and of the Manor of *Estelworth*, in the parish of *Abbotisbury* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Abbotisbury* (Dorset), and Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the said Monastery. Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

STRANGWAYS, Sir JAMES, Knight, 30 January, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite and Possessions of the late *Priory of Mountgrace* (York), Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods; Farm of *Murton Grange* with *Estharlesaye* (York), late of the *Monastery of Ryevall* (York), Summary and Particulars of Sale (3) [a small portion obliterated and slightly gall-stained]—3 Membranes.

STRAUNGE, Sir THOMAS, Knight, [no day], June, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Valuation of the Rectories of *Goodwyh* and *Ringested St. Peter* (Norfolk) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Ringested* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Ramsey* (Hunts), Memorandum; Farm of the Manor of *Goodwyke* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Westacre* (Norfolk), Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [one membrane is paper, and a small portion of the other is obliterated]—3 Membranes.

STRYNGER, ANTHONY, 25 March, 34 Hen. 8. No request. Lands appointed by Anthony Strynger to the King, viz., Farms in *Stokehamond* (Bucks), and *Grymscot* (Northampton), lying within the precincts of the *Honour of Grafton* (2) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Dunchurch* (Warwick), (late possessor not stated) (1)—in exchange for, viz., Valuation of the Rectory of *Bonyngton* (Kent) (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Scite and Appurtenances of the late *Priory of St. Margaret*, near *Marleburgh* (Wilts), with a Water-mill called *Portemyll*, in a Close called *Crosse close*, and a Tenement in *Newberystrete*, near *Marlbro'* (Wilts), to the same Priory belonging (1); Farms in *Thorp Arnold* and *Cosbye* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery "de Pratis"* (Leicester), (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Sprotton* (Northampton), with all Tenths and Glebe Lands belonging, late of the *Monastery of St. James* (Northampton), (for Woods, see below) (1); Woods above referred to—Woods belonging to the Manor of *Boycote* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Byttlesden* (Bucks), and others to a Farm in *Great Bryckhyll* (Bucks), late of the *Monastery of Dunstable* (Bedford) (1) [there are no particulars of Farms of *Boycote Manor* and *Great Bryckhill* here, and the Woods are not mentioned in the Summary]; Farm of an Inn called *The Bell*, in the parish of *St. Dunstan in Fleet Street, London*, together with a Field called *Fykkettefeld*, in the parishes of *St. Dunstan* and *St. Clement Danes* without *Temple Bar, London*, late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (2)—11 Membranes.

STROWDE, THOMAS, WALTER ERLE, and JAMES PAGETT, 18 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite and parcels of the Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Tewkesbury*, also Rents and Farms in the parish of *Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), late of the said *Monastery of Tewkesbury*, and Woods; Farm of portions of small Tenths in *Ascurche, Newton, Natton, Aston-on-Carraunte, Northey, Walton Cardiff, Tredington, Southwik, Guppeshall, Panington*, and *Oxendon* (Gloucester), belonging to the Rectory of *Tewkesbury*, and late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury*, and Woods (4) [slightly defective]; Farm of the Manor of *Bastyldene* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (Berks), the Certificate of the Auditor, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Calmesden* (Gloucester), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Quenyngton* (Gloucester), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Rents in *Sparsholte* and in *Wescott*, in the parish of *Sparsholte* (Berks), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Sampford* (Oxford), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Whitington* (Gloucester) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Whittington* (Gloucester), parcel of *Warwickslands* and *Spencerslands*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Yanworth*, with the appurtenances (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Winchelcomb* (Gloucester), the Certificate of the Auditor, and Woods (3); Farm of two Pastures called *Chaldewykes*, parcel of the Manor of *Garford*, in the lordship and parish of *Marcham* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berks), and Woods; Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the Manor of *Longworth*, in *Westlongworth*, with a Pension in *Westlongworth* (Berks), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berks), Memorandum and Woods (4) [one membrane is very defective and much obliterated]; Farms in *Bardolfeston*, in the parish of *Pudell* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Romsey* (Southampton), and Woods; Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Pulton* (Wilts), of the Scite of the *Priory of Pulton* (Wilts), and of Lands in *Pulton* aforesaid (Wilts), called *Overbreche, Netherbreche, Cowdowne, Inlandes, Foredowne*

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and *Morecliff*, also of a Wood called *The Park*, lying in the Fields of *Pulton* aforesaid, with the Tenths and all other the Appurtenances of the said Manor and Rectory of *Pulton*, parcel of the said late *Priory of Pulton*, and Woods; Farm of the Manor of *Througham* (Gloucester), with the appurtenances in the towns and hamlets of *Througham*, *Cliffissale*, *Westwod*, *Tonley*, *Abbenesse*, and *Frampton* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester), and Woods; Farm of the Manor of *Rodborne* (Wilts), with the Rectory there, with the Hereditaments in *Rodborne*, late of the *Monastery of Hayles* (Gloucester), the Certificate of the Auditor, and Woods (6); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—28 Membranes.

Stumpe, William, 24 February, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the Hamlet of *Rodborne* (Wilts), parcel of the Manor of *Cowfold* (Wilts), late of the *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wilts) (for Woods, see below) (1); Farm of Meadows called *Castelmeade* and *Seintaldham's Meade*, of a Grove called *Annegrove*, of a Barn and Close in the parish of *St. Paul in Malmesbury*, of two Groves called the Copps of *Great Higham* and *Totley*, and a Meadow called *Sporremeade*, in the parish of *St. Mary of Westporte* in *Malmesbury*; parcel of the Manor of *Malmesbury* (Wilts) (for Woods, see below), Farms in *Burton* and *Thornhill*, in the parishes of *St. Paul* and *St. Mary of Westport* in *Malmesbury* (Wilts), parcel of the Manors of *Burton* and *Thornhill* (Wilts), Farm of a Messuage called *lez Wards*, parcel of the Manor of *Whitechurch* in the parish of *St. Paul of Malmesbury* (Wilts), Farm of the Manor of *Brinkworth* (Wilts), with the appurtenances in *Brinkworth*, and of Tenths belonging to some of the Demesne Lands of the said Manor in *Oxley*, near *Whitchurch*, and elsewhere in *Wilts* (for Woods, see below)—all late of the said *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wilts) (2) [the pen has been drawn through the entries of "*Castelmeade*" to "*lez Wards*," both inclusive]; Woods above referred to (1) [the pen has been drawn through the Woods belonging to the entries of "*Castelmeade*," &c., cancelled in the Particulars]; Value of the Houses and Buildings within the precincts of the said late *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wilts), of the Scite thereof, and of a Mill and Lands, parcel thereof (1)—6 Membranes.

Suffolk, Katherine, Duchess of, 2 June, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of Fulling Mills, in the town of *Stoneley* (Warwick), in *Cryffeld*, in the lordship of *Stoneley* (Warwick), and in the parish of *Stoneley* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Stoneley* (Warwick), Memoranda, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2); Woods in the parishes of *Greatford* and *Brasebury* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary in Winchester* (Southampton) (1)—4 Membranes.

Suffolk, Duke of, [no month], 29 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. By exchange. Farm of the Manor of *Frampton* (Lincoln), including the Marsh in *Frampton* called *Swynneshede-ferme*, Memorandum, Farm of the Manors of *Wyks* and *Skyrbeck* (Lincoln), Memorandum, and of the Sokes of *Kyrton* and *Mumby* (Lincoln), of the Office of *Feodary of the Honor of Richmond* (Lincoln), of the Soke of *Gayton* (Lincoln), of the Manors of *Whassingburgh* (Lincoln), Memorandum, of the Manor of *Leddenham* and *Fulbeck* (Lincoln), Memorandum, of the Manors of *Curryryvell*, *Martock*, and *Kyngesbury* (Somerset), of [name gone], and of the Manors of *Holberton* and *Flete*, and *Hollesworthy* (Devon), all late in the possession of the *Duke of Richmond* and *Somerset*, called *Richmondslands*, Summary (4) [on paper; defective in several places]—4 Membranes.

Suffolk, Charles, Duke of, 24 February, 32 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of a pasture called *Fawforth* (Notts), parcel of the possessions of the late *Preceptory of Old Eagle* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Preceptory of Temple Brewr* (Lincoln) (1); Memorandum of value of Farms hereafter mentioned (1) [on paper]; Indenture of Lease of the late *Preceptory of Rybston* (York), parcel of the late *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, by the King, to *Edward Fenes, Lord Clinton and Saye* (1); Farm of the Manor or late *Commaundry of Maltby* (Lincoln), and Woods of the Manor of *Skyrbeke* (Lincoln), of the Manor of *Kettby*, in the Isle of *Axholme* (Lincoln), and of the Rectories of *Gildesburgh* and *Ravynsthorp* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Farm of the Manors of *Assington* and *Winkborn* (Notts), Parcel of the late *Preceptory of Newland* (York), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Farm of the Manors of *Rybston* and *Walstheford* (York), parcel of the *Preceptory of Rybston* (York), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (for Woods, see below) (3) [the pen has been drawn through the *Winkborn* entry]; Farm in *Thripland* (York) (for Woods, see below), and Rents and Farms in *Crakehowe* and *Apultrewik* (no counties mentioned), late of the *Priory of Marton* (York) (1); Woods above referred to (3) [on paper]; Farm of a Watermill called a Cornmill, in the Lordship of *Asshoo*, of a Grange called *Byrcott Grange*, in *Asshoo* (no county mentioned), and of *Stareton Grange*, in *Staverton*, in the parish of *Stonley* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Stonley* (Warwick) (1); Farm of the Lordship of *Oldbury* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Pollesworth* (Warwick), and Woods (3); a blank Membrane (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—17 Membranes.

Suffolk, Charles, Duke of, [no month], 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. No request. Account of Monies paid by the said Duke to the King, viz., for the Annual Tenths of the Lands and Possessions of the late *Monastery of Leyston and Eye* (Suffolk), and for the Lead and Bells of the said Monastery; for Annual Rents of the Manors of *Hoxne*, *Southelmeham*, *Bakton*,

Battysford, and *Wyhs*, with their appurtenances (Suffolk), and of Lands in *Mendeham* [no county mentioned], *Southelmeham* (Suffolk), and *Wilbye* [no county mentioned], all called "*Norwichelands*" in this account (1) [on paper and defective]—1 Membrane.

SUFFOLK, CHARLES, DUKE of, 21 February, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 4. Request to have by purchase and gift (1)—Valuation of the late *College of Tatteshall* (Lincoln), Summary and Particulars of Sale (3) [defective, a large portion obliterated]; given to the King, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Knevetts* (Northampton), late of the *College of Tatteshall* (Lincoln), and Woods—in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Manthorpe* and *Barthorp* (Lincoln), with Lands in *Wytham* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Crowland* (Lincoln), Farm of the Grange of *Little Grimsby* (Lincoln), with Lands in *Little Grimsby*, late of the *Priory of Nonne Ormesby*, Farm of the Manor of *Dangham*, near *Horncastle* (no county mentioned), late of the *Priory of Kyrkested* (Lincoln) (1)—5 Membranes.

SUFFOLK, DUKE of, [no date], Hen. 8. Sec. 5. No request. Farms in *Hundelby* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of the Nuns of Styxwold* (Lincoln), Farms in *Legesbye* (no county mentioned), late of the *Priory of Syxhill* (Lincoln), Farm of the Lands and Possessions of the late *House of Friars Minors in the Town of Stamford* (Lincoln), Farm of the Lands and possessions of the late *House of Friars Preachers in the Town of Boston* (Lincoln), Summary and Particulars of Sale (2); Woods belonging to the Manor of *Boyton* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Butteley* (Suffolk) (1)—3 Membranes.

SUFFOLK, DUKE of, [no date], Hen. 8? Sec. 6. No request. Farm of *Raddewynter Grange, Dodenall Grange, Steple Grange*, and *Rodynge Eythorpe Grange*, Farm of *Denys* in *Debden* (county and late possessor obliterated), Farm of *Collewardes* in *Burneham* (county obliterated) of a Tenement called *Freme* and *Jakelets*, in *Purleigh* (county obliterated), and of Lands in *Goldeanger* otherwise *Faltey* (county obliterated), late of the *Monastery of Beileigh* (2) [on paper, defective]—2 Membranes

SUFFOLK, DUKE of, [no date], Hen. 8. Sec. 7. No request. Particulars of Allowances demanded by the Duke in recompense for the Farm of the Manors of *Burwell* and *Calceby*, and the office of the Feodaryship lying in the county of *Lincoln*—3 Membranes.

SUTTON, CHARLES, 12 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—1 Membrane.

SUTTON, CHARLES and JOHN, 12 and 24 February, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Bottisforthe* (Lincoln), parcel of the late *Commandry of Willoughton* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale and Woods (3); Farm in the town of *Marton* in *Cleveland* (York), late of the *Monastery of Byland* (York), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Styxwold* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Styxwold* (Lincoln), Memorandum and Woods (3); Farms in the parishes of *Cletham* and *Epworth* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Thorneholme* (Lincoln), and Woods; Farms in *Lee* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of St. Katherine near the Walls of Lincoln*, and Woods, Farms in *Binbrooke* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Sixhill* (Lincoln), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Laxton*, in the Diocese of *Lincoln*, late of the *Priory of Ferybey* (York) (for Woods, see below), Farms in *Braughton* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Nonnappleton*, Memorandum (for Woods, see next entry) (1); Woods above referred to, and Woods belonging to a Farm called *Scotney*, in *Roxbye* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Roche* (York) (1); Farm in *Gaynesborowe* (Lincoln), parcel of the late *Commaundry of Willougton* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, and Woods, Rents in *Spalford* (Notts), parcel of the late *Commaundry of Eagle* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, and Woods (2); Rents in *Newbyll* and *Estlangwath* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Barlyngs* (Lincoln), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Elkesley* (Notts), and *Wolwhayte* (York), late of the *Monastery of Blithe* (Notts), and Woods; Farms in *Steynton* (York), parcel of the late *Cell of Tikell* (Notts), late of the *Abbey of Humberston* (Lincoln), and Woods; Farm of three tofts in *Westretford* (Notts), late of the *Monastery of Welbeck* (Notts), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—19 Membranes.

SUTTON, GEORGE, Yeoman, of *Lowthe* (Lincoln), 2 February, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Marchechappell*, and *Warholme*, otherwise *Warwholme* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Nune Ormysbye* (Lincoln), Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

SUTTON, THOMAS, 4 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the town of *Derby*, late of the *Priory of Kingismede* (Derby), Memorandum, and Woods; Farm of a parcel of the possessions of the late *House of Friars Preachers*, in the town of *Derby*, in the parish of *St. Warburgh, Derby*, and Woods; Farm of Lands called *Ireland*, in the town of *Derby*, late of the *Monastery of Derley* (Derby), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the Friars Preachers' and Derley entries]—3 Membranes.

SWIFT, ROBERT, 12 March, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Valuation of the Vicarage of *Beighton* (Derby) (1); Rent and Farms in *Beighton* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Monkbretton* (York) (for Woods, see below), Farm in *Sotall*, in the parish of *Beighton* (Derby), late of the *Priory of Friars Minors in the town of Doncaster* (York) (for Woods, see below), Farm of the Rectory of *Beighton* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Mountgrace* (for Woods, see below), Farms in *Dodsworth* (York), late of the *Monastery of Pontefract* (York), Rents and Farms in *Wekersley* (York), late of the *Priory of Kirkleis*

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(York), Memorandum (for Woods, see below) (2); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Sheffeld* (York) (1) [on paper]; Farms in the parish of *Beyghton* (Derby), and in *Hacunthorpe* and *Birley*, in the lordship of *Beyghton* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Beauchiffe* (Derby) (for Woods, see below), Farms in *Little Sheffeld*, in the parish of *Sheffeld* (York), Farm of a third part of all the Tenths of Grain in *Eccleshall*, *Houlhouse*, and *Helagh* (York), Farms in *Walkeley*, *Canteley*, *Halume*, *Okeley* (York), and a Farm called *Blaknolle*, in *Morwod* (York), all late of the *Priory of Worsoppe* (Notts), Memorandum (for Woods, seek next entry) (2); Woods above referred to (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1) [a small portion obliterated]—8 Membranes.

Swift, Robert and William, Gentlemen, 23 May, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Bollome*, in the parish of *Harton* (Notts), in *Moregate*, in the parish of *Clarburgh* (Notts), and in *Este Retforde* (Notts), late of the *Priory of Worksopp* (Notts), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale (for Woods, see below) (1); Farms in *Ecclessall* (York) and *Norton* (Derby), late of the *Monastery of Beauchiff* (Derby) (for Woods, see below), Farm of the Tenths of *Hallam*, with a house in *Sheffeld* (York), late of the *Priory of Worksoppe* (Notts), Memorandum, (for Woods, see below) (1); Farms in *Barowbye* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Newboo* (Lincoln), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Woods above referred to (1)—6 Membranes.

Talmage, Lionel, 12 March, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Wantesden* (Suffolk), with the Rectory there, late of the *Monastery of Butley* (Suffolk); Farm of the Manor of *Benteley*, with the Rectory of *Benteley*, and of the Manors of *Bunghall*, *Willowes*, and *Overhall* (Suffolk), all late of the *Priory of the Holy Trinity*, *Ipswich* (Suffolk), the Answer to the Articles contained in the letters of the King's Commissioner, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

Tate [Christian name and date illegible]. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Catmerhall* (Essex), late of *Margaret Countess of Salisbury*, attainted, Memorandum (1); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Great Wendon* (Essex) (1); Valuation of the *Priory of Barnewell* (Cambridge) (1); Farm of the *Mill of Lyttelburye*, and of Tenements in *Walden* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Tytley* (Essex) (2); Woods pertaining to the Parsonage of *Great Wendon* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Barnwell* (Essex) (1); Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Mysendon*, otherwise called *Mesedon* (Hertfordshire), late of the *Monastery of Graces near the Tower of London;* Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Langley Hall* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Saint Bartholomew in West Smithfield, London;* Woods pertaining to a Mill, with certain Lands in the parishes of *Lyttelburye*, *Chipping Waldon*, and *Strathall* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Tytley* (Essex) (1)—6 Membranes.

Tate, Richard, 13 January, 34 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Wolley*, otherwise *Walley* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Minoresses without Aldgate, London*, Memorandum (1); Farms in the parishes of *Saint Helen*, *Saint Michael Cornhill*, *Saint Mary Magdalen in the Old Fishery*, and *Saint Olave near the Bridge of London*, all late of the *Priory of Saint Helen, London*; Farms in the parish of *Saint Botolph near Aldgate, London*, late of the *Monastery of Minoresses without Aldgate, London;* Farm in the parish of *Saint Mary Wolchirche, London*, late of the *Charter House, London;* Farm of parcel of the Scite of the late *House of Friars Preachers within the City of London;* Farm in the parishes of *Saint Pancras in Westcheap, London*, and *Saint Peter in Westcheepe, London*, late of the *Monastery of Halliwell, London*, Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

Tatteshall, College of, Lincoln, 28 June, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to exchange (1)—Lands appointed to the King's Highness by the said College, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Kuy* (Northampton), and Woods (1), [on paper, and slightly defective]—in exchange for, viz., Farm of *Langton near Horncastle* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Kyrkested* (Lincolnshire), and Woods (2) [Woods on paper]; Farm of *Burthorp*, with the Manor of *Burthorp*, in the parish of *Wythome* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Crowland* (Lincolnshire); Farm of the Grange of *Littell Grimsbye*, with other Land in *Littell Grymesbye* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Nuneormisbye* (Lincolnshire), and Woods [on paper] (2); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (2) [on paper]—8 Membranes.

Tatteshall, College of, Lincoln [no date]. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manor and Parsonage of *Golcebye* (Lincolnshire), and certain Lands in *Scambolesbye* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Comaundry of Willoughton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Saint John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [one Membrane slightly obliterated]; Farm of divers Tenements in the parish of *Saint Paul, near the Walls of the City of Canterbury*, late of the *Monastery of Saint Augustine, Canterbury* (1) [slightly obliterated;] Farm of the Rectory of *Donyngton* (Leicestershire), late of the *Monastery of Norton* (Cheshire), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [one Membrane gall-stained and slightly obliterated]; Farm of the Rectory of *Stixwold* (Lincolnshire), with one Tenement in *Lincoln*, late of the *Priory of Stixwold* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [one Membrane slightly obliterated and gall-stained]; Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Wymetts*, in the parish of *Sheffelynge* (Yorkshire), and to Lands and Tenements in *Wymetts*, *Sheffelinge*, *Kylinse*, *Essyngton*, *Cowthorp*, and *Penshurst* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Thorneton* (Lincolnshire) (1)—8 Membranes.

TATTESHALL, COLLEGE of, LINCOLN [no date]. No request. Copy of a grant from the King to the said College, in which is set forth, that the King, in consideration of the grant made to him by the said College of the Manor of *Knevetts* (Northamptonshire), and other Lands, grants to the said College the Manor of *Manthorpp* and *Burthorpp* (Lincolnshire), with its members and appurtenances, late of the *Monastery of Crowland* (Lincolnshire); Farms in the parish of *Wythom* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Crowland* (Lincolnshire); Farms in *Little Grimsby* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Nuneormesbye* (Lincolnshire); and Farm of the Manor of *Langton*, near *Horncastle* (Lincolnshire), with all its appurtenances, late of the *Monastery of Kyrkested* (Lincolnshire) (22) [all on paper]—22 Membranes.

TAVERNER, RICHARD, 6 May, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents in *Kyngston*, *Shene*, and *Keyomede*, called *Hertyngton* and *Prestes* (Surrey), late of the *Priory of Marton* (Surrey), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

TAVERNER, RICHARD and ROBERT, 10 February, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm in the parish of *St. Mary* (county and late possessor not stated), Memorandum (1) [portion of this Membrane gone]; Farm in the parish of *Saint Stephen in Coleman Strete, London*, late of the *Priory of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Farms in the town of *Kingston-super-Hull* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Gisbourn* (Yorkshire), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farms in the town of *Shrewsbury*, late of the *Monasteries of Haughmond* (Shrewsbury), *Shrewsbury*, and *Lylleshull* (Shrewsbury), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (4); Farm of all the Lands and Tenements in *Flyxburge* and *Conysbye* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Alvyngham* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Welbourne* (Lincolnshire) (1); Farm of the Tenths of Grain and other profits in *Whelston* (Flintshire), late of the *Monastery of Basingwerk* (Flintshire) (1); Farm in *Borowby*, otherwise *Boroby* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Belland*, otherwise *Byland* (Yorkshire); Farm in *Borowby*, otherwise *Boroby* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint Leonard* (Yorkshire); Farm in *Newton Kyme* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint Mary* (Yorkshire), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm of a Tenement called the *Taberde*, in *Stylton* (Huntingdonshire), late of the *Priory of Busshemede* (Bedfordshire), Memorandum (1); Rents in the parishes of *Watlyngton*, *Sherborne*, and *Bryghtwell* (Oxfordshire), in *Drayton* (Oxfordshire); Farm of the Rectories of *Netelbed* and *Pyshulle* (Oxfordshire); Rents in the parishes of *Walyngford*, *Morton*, *Clyfton* (Berkshire and Oxfordshire), in *Hendeley* (Oxfordshire), in the suburbs of the town of *Oxford*, and Farm of a House called the *Ferrey House*, near the Ferrey at *Shyllyngford* (no county stated—Berkshire?) all late of the *Monastery of Dorchester* (Oxfordshire), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (6) [the pen has been drawn through the Netelbed and Pyshulle entries]; Rents in the parish of *Saint Michael Bassingshawe, London*, late of the *Monastery of Christchurch, London*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Rent in the parish of *Saint Dunstan in Fleet-street, London*, late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Farm in *Clumbre* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Priory of Newstead* (Nottinghamshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms within the precincts of the late House of *Friars' Preachers, London*, late of the same House, Memorandum (1); Farm within the Scite of the late House of *Friars Preachers, London*, late of the same House; Farm within the Scite of the late House of *Friars Augustine, London*, late of the same House [the pen has been drawn through this entry]; Farm in the parish of *Saint Botolph without Aldgate, London*, late of the *Monastery of Graces near the Tower of London* [the pen has been drawn through this entry], Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2); Farm in the parishes of *Carsalton* and *Bedyngton* (Surrey), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—29 Membranes.

TAVERNER, RICHARD, ROBERT, and ROGER, 16 October, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms and Rents in *Claynes* and *Whitington* (Worcestershire), late of the *Priory of Whiston* (Worcestershire), Answer to the Articles contained in the Commissioners' Letters, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4); Farm of Lands called *Pryors*, in the parish of *Bromefelde* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Walthame* (Essex), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (rated for *William Eyer*, 4 April, 35 Hen. 8), and Woods (2); Farms in the parishes of *Saint Antholme, Saint Benedict Fincke, The Holy Sepulchre without Newgate, All Saints Staining*, and *Saint Bartholomew the Less, London*, all late of the *Monastery of Graces near the Tower of London*; Farm in the parish of *Saint Andrew Undershafte, London*, late of the *Minories without Aldgate, London*; Farm in the parish of *Saint Michael Bassingshaw, London*, late of the *Monastery of Clerkenwell near London*; Farm in the parish of *Saint Andrew Wardrobe, London*, late of the *House of Friars Preachers, London*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2); Farm in the parish of *the Holy Sepulchre without Newgate, London*, late of the *Monastery of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Thomas Bertlett*, 11 August, 36 Hen. 8) (1); Farm in *John-street*, in the parish of the *Holy Sepulchre without Newgate, London*, late of the *Charter-house near the City of London*, Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint John* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Malton*, otherwise called *Oldemalton* (Yorkshire), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farms within the town of *Kingston-upon-Hull* (Yorkshire), late of *Sir William Sydney, Knight*, in the King's hands by exchange, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (5)—17 Membranes.

TAVERNER, RICHARD and ROGER, 16 December, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase, with Seals (1)—Farms in *Grubbe-street, London*, in the parishes of *Saint John Zachary, Saint*

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Sepulchre without Newgate, London, and in the parish of *Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), late of the *Monastery of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (3); Farms in the town and parish of *Bengworth* (Worcestershire); Farm of parcel of the Manors of *Hampton Magna* and *Hampton Parva* (Worcestershire), and Farm of parcel of the Manor of *Wikewanford* (Worcestershire), late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcestershire), Memoranda and Particulars of Sale (rated for *John Clarke,* of the Inner Temple, London, 12 December, 36 Hen. 8), and Woods (4) [the pen has been drawn through the *Hampton* and *Wikewanford* entries]; Farms in the town of *Northampton,* late of the *Monastery of Saint James near Northampton* (2); Farms in the town of *Northampton,* late of the *Priory of Saint Andrew* (Northampton); Farms and Rents in the town of *Northampton,* late of the *Monastery of Delapray* (Northampton), Memorandum (6); Farms in the parishes of *Saint Peter* and *Saint Giles, Saint Clement, Saint Mary in Trumpington-street, the Holy Sepulchre, the Holy Trinity,* and *Saint Andrew* (Cambridgeshire), late of the *Monastery of Barnewell* (Cambridgeshire) (1); Farm in the town of *Cambridge,* late of the *Priory of Anglessey* (Cambridgeshire); Farms in the town of *Cambridge,* late of the *Priory of Canons* called the *White Canons* (Cambridgeshire); Farms in the town of *Cambridge,* late of the *Priory of Swaffhame* (Cambridgeshire), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the first entry of the Lands late of the *White Canons;*] Farms and Rents in *London,* late of the *Monastery de Pratis* (Leicestershire), Memorandum (1); Valuation of parcel of the Goods in the *Saracen's Head, Saint Paul's Church, London,* late of the *Monastery of Leicester* (1); Farm of the Scite of the *House of Friors Minors* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum (1); Farm in *Northampton,* late of the *Monastery of Saint James near Northampton*; Farm and Rent in *Banbury* (Oxfordshire), late of the *Priory of Chacombe* (Northamptonshire); Rent in the town of *Northampton,* late of the *House of the Friars Augustine* (Northamptonshire); Farm of a House with a Chapel adjacent, called "*Saint Mychell's Chapel,*" lying under the *Malvern Hills* (Worcestershire), late of the *Priory of Great Malvern* (Worcestershire), Memorandum (1); Farm in the town of *Leicester,* late of the *Monastery of Merevale* (Warwickshire), Memorandum (1); Farms in the town of *Leicester,* late of the *Monastery de Pratis* (Leicestershire), Memorandum (2); Farms and Rents in the town of *Warwick,* late of the *College of Saint Mary of Warwick* (3); Rents in the town of *Warwick,* late of the *Priory of the Holy Sepulchre* (Warwickshire); Rents in the town of *Warwick,* late of the *Priory of Pynley* (Warwickshire), Memorandum (1); Rents in the town of *Kenilworth* (Warwickshire), and Rents and Farms in *Warwick,* late of the *Monastery of Kenilworth* (Warwickshire), Memorandum (3); Farms and Rents in the parishes of *Pollesworth,* (Warwickshire), *Tamworth* (Staffordshire), *Glascote* (Warwickshire), *Allestre* (Warwickshire), *Hoggisnorton* (Warwickshire), in the town of *Leicester,* and in *Pakyngton* and *Apulby* (Derbyshire), late of the *Monastery of Pollesworth* (Warwickshire), Memorandum (2); Farms in *Yerburgh* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Alvyngham* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Northcadbye* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Nunormesbye* (Lincolnshire); Farms in *Coldhanworth* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Bollington* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to the two foregoing Membranes (1); Farms in *Kepwike* (Yorkshire), late of the *Priory of Marton* (Yorkshire); Farm of a Close called *Brotts* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Ryevalls* (Yorkshire), Memorandum (1); Woods to the Lands mentioned on the last foregoing Membrane (1); Farm of *Enesden Wood,* in the parish of *Lathbury* (Buckinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Lavendon* (Buckinghamshire) (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (3)—43 Membranes.

TAVERNER, RICHARD and ROGER, 28 August, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parishes of *Saint Dunstan in Fleet Street,* and *Saint Sepulchre, London,* in *Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), and in *Saint John Street* (Middlesex), all late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (4) [the pen has been drawn through the *Saint John Street* entry]; Farm of a Messuage called "*Thabbotts Lodginge,*" near *Saint Margaret's Church Southwark* (Surrey), with Tenements in the parish of *Saint Margaret* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of Beaulue* (Southampton), the Certificate of the Auditor (1); Rents in the parish of *Saint James near the City of Bristol* (Gloucestershire), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucestershire), the Certificate of the Auditor (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Dunstan in the West, London,* late of the *Priory of Crechurche, London,* Memorandum (1); Farms in *Bredestreet in the parish of Saint Mildred, London,* late of the *Monastery of Notteley* (Buckinghamshire), Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Stephen, Colman Street, London,* late of the *Priory of Crechurch, London,* Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Christopher apud le Stoks* (Middlesex), late of the *Priory of Christchurch, London,* Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Stephen, Colman Street, London,* late of the *Priory of Saint Helen, London,* Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Stephen in the town of Bristol* (Gloucestershire), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Somersetshire), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Michael in Cornhill, London,* late of the *Charter House, London;* Farm in the parish of *Saint Mary Matfelon, London,* late of the *Monastery of Minoresses without Aldgate, London,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Andrew in Holborn* (Middlesex), late of the *Priory of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Benedict near Paul's Wharff, London,* late of the *Monastery of Syon* (Middlesex); Farm in the parish of *All Saints, Steyning, London,* late of the *Monastery of Graces near the Tower of London;* Farm in the parish of *Saint Mary, Aldermanbury, London,* late of the *Priory of St. Helen, London;* Farm in the parishes of *Saint Andrew, Holborn,*

and *Saint Botulph without Aldgate, London,* late of the *Charter House, London* (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Mary Magdalen in the Old Fishery, London,* late of the *Free Chapel of St. Martin's-le-Grand, London,* Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through this Membrane]; Farm in the parish of *Saint Thomas the Apostle, London,* late of the *College of Acon, London,* Memorandum (1); Farms in the parishes of *Saint Thomas the Apostle, All Saints the Less, London,* and of *Saint John and Saint Stephen in Walbroke* (Middlesex), late of the *College of Acon, London;* Farms in the parishes of *Saint Helen, Saint Ethelburgh, Saint Mary at Naxe, Saint Martin in the Vintry, Saint Andrew Undershaft, Saint Peter Poor, Saint Swithin, Saint Mary Magdalen in the Old Fishery, Saint Faith in Paternoster Row,* and *Saint Stephen, Colman Street, London,* all late of the *Priory of Saint Helen, London;* Farm in the Parish of *Saint Dunstan, Fleet Street, London,* late of the *Priory of Royston* (Hertfordshire), Memorandum (4) [the pen has been drawn through the Farms in the parish of *Saint Helen*], Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—23 Membranes.

TAVERNER, RICHARD and ROGER, 2 August, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parishes of *Saint Martin, Saint Michael at the North gate, Saint Aldate, Saint Michael at the South gate, All Saints, Saint Peter in the East, Saint Giles, Saint Clement,* and *Saint Ebbe* (Oxfordshire), late of *King Henry the Eights College* (Oxfordshire) (2); Farm in *Hornyngtofte* (Norfolk), and Woods; Memorandum—in the King's hands by reason of an alienation which John Deane made thereof to his Son, without the King's license (2); Farm of the *Grange of Lyverivere?,* in the parishes of *Wangeforde, Brandonferye, Lathingthoo, Downham, Elvedon, Burneham, Thetford, Yockelingham, Yxworthe,* and *Hempton* (Suffolk and Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Warden* (Bedfordshire), Memorandum and Woods (3); Farms in *Alisby* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Gisburne* (Yorkshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of a Water Mill lying in *Forriett Monachorum,* near *Shrewsbury,* and within the liberty of *Shrewsbury,* late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury,* Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through a portion of this Membrane]; Farms in *Chaundens* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Ewinlacye* (Herefordshire), late of the *Priory of Dore* (Herefordshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Peterchurch* (Herefordshire), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—18 Membranes.

TAVERNER, ROBERT, 12 May, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm in the demesne of *Warre* (Herefordshire), late of *Margaret Countess of Salisbury* (1); Rents and Farms in *Tollisby* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Gisburne* (Yorkshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm of *Hempton* and *Chelmersh,* in the parish of *Thelmershe* (no county stated, Herefordshire?), and of *Hyntes* and *Brokerowe,* within the parish of *Corley* (no county stated, Herefordshire?), late of the *Monastery of Wygmore* (Herefordshire), Memoranda; Farm of *Wynnesley,* within the parish of *Westebury* (Shrewsbury), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury,* Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3) [the pen has been drawn through the *Westebury* entry]; Farm in the parish of *Saint Thomas the Apostle, within the City of London,* late of the *College of Acon, London,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2); Farms in *Brauncewell* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the *Preceptory of Temple Brwer* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm of the parish of *All Saints in the Wall, London,* late of the *Priory of Halliwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2); Farm in the parish of *Saint Andrew in Castlebaynard, London,* late of the *Charterhouse, London,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2); Farm in the town of *Saint Alban* (Hertfordshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint Alban* (Hertfordshire), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through part of this entry]; Farm in the town of *Saint Alban* (Hertfordshire), late of the *Monastery of Saint Alban* (Hertfordshire), Particulars of Sale (2); Farm of a pasture called *Newfeld* (Yorkshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Mount Saint John* (Yorkshire), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Morehall* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Wigmore* (Herefordshire), Memorandum and Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3); Farm of the Manor of *Rowston* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Temple Brwer* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm in the parish of *Saint Ann within Aldersgate, London,* late of the *Monastery of Graces near the Tower of London,* Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Thomas the Apostle, London,* late of the *College of Acon, London,* Particulars of Sale (1); Farms in the parish of *Saint Dunstan, Fleet Street, London,* late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (2); Farm in the parish of *Saint Botulph without Aldgate, London,* late of the *Monastery of Graces near the Tower of London,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—32 Membranes.

TAVERNER, ROBERT, 10 July, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm in *Brompton Raffe* (no county stated, Somersetshire?), late of the *Monastery of Buckelande* (Somersetshire), Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Martin in Fleet Street, London,* late of the *Monastery of Dertford* (Kent), Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Olave near the Tower, London,* late of the house of *Crutched Friars, London;* Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Thomas the Apostle, London,* late of the *College of Acon, London,* Memorandum (1); Farms in the parishes of *Saint Dunstan, Fleet Street,* and *Saint Clement Danes, London,* late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (1); Farm in the town of *Northampton,* late of the *Priory of Sewardsley* (North-

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amptonshire); Farm in the town of *Northampton*, late of the *Monastery of Saint James near Northampton;* Farm in the town of *Northampton*, late of the *Priory of Saint Andrew* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum (1); Farms in *North Rawceby* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Temple Brwer* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1); Farms in the parishes of *Little Saint Trinity* and *Saint Mary Somerset, London*, late of the *Priory of Newark* (Surrey), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *St. Mary Somerset* entry]; Farm in the parish of *Saint Sepulchre near London*, late of the *Monastery of Saint Bartholomew near West Smithfield, London* (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Mary Colchurch, London*, late of the *Priory of Christchurch, London*, Memorandum (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Holme in Spaldyng* (Yorkshire) (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Dionisius in Lyme Street, London*, late of the *Priory of Shene* (Surrey), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Kepwick* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monasteries of Newburgh, Byland*, and *Gisburne* (Yorkshire); Farm in *Silton* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Ryevall* (Yorkshire), Memorandum (1); Rents and Farms in *Stanesby* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monasteries of Ryevalles* and *Byland* (Yorkshire), Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to Farms mentioned in the two last foregoing Membranes (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—16 Membranes.

TAVERNER, ROGER, 20 June, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *Fogwell in Charterhouse Lane*, in the parish of *Saint Sepulchre without Newgate, London*, late of the *Charterhouse, London*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2); Rents and Farms in *Coleeby* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Saint Catherine near Lincoln;* Farms in *Humberstone* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Humberstone* (Lincolnshire); Farms in *Cokeryngton* and *Alvyngham* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Abbey "de le Lowthperke"* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm in the parishes of *Saint Alphege in Mugwel Street*, and *Saint Olave in Silver Street, London*, late of the *Priory of Saint Helen, London*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Sepulchre in the Suburbs of the City of London*, late of the *Monastery of Saint Bartholomew, London* (2); Farm in the parish of *Saint Dunstan in Fleet Street, London*, late of the *Priory of Saint Mary Overy* (Surrey), Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Saint Giles without Cripplegate, London*, late of the *Charterhouse, London*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farms in the parishes of *Saint Sepulchre, Saint Giles without Cripplegate*, and *Saint Michael at Queenhithe, London*, late of the *Charterhouse, London*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (1)—10 Membranes.

TAWE, JOHN, and EDWARD TAYLOR, 12 July, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with Seal attached (1)—Farm of *Tolnam Wood* (Middlesex), late of the *Monastery of Christchurch, London*, the Answer to the Letters of the King's Commissioners, and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Pancras* (Middlesex), late of the *Monastery of Waltham* (Essex), the Answer to the Letters of the King's Commissioners (1)—3 Membranes.

TAYLOR, Doctor, 24 March, 35 Hen. 8. Copy of an Indenture [on paper] between the King and Doctor Taylor, as representative of *St. John's College* (Cambridgeshire), setting forth that the Master and Fellows of that College sell unto the King a Grove of Wood called *Knolle Grove*, in the parish of *Eggam* (Surrey) (3); Copy of an Indenture [on paper] made the 12th day of February, 24 Henry 7, between *Lady Isabella, Prioress of the Nunnery of St. Margaret of Bromhall* (no county stated, Berkshire?), and *William Atwych*, of *Egham* (Surrey), showing that the said Prioress and Convent grant unto the said *William Atwych* a Wood called *Knolgrove*, in the parish of *Egham* (Surrey), together with a Croft called the *Hemyshull, in the parish of Egham* (Surrey) (1); Valuation of *Knolle Grove* (Surrey) (2)—6 Membranes, all on paper.

TEMMES, THOMAS, [no day] July, 34 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Bisshopstrowe* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Lacock* (Wiltshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

TEMMES, THOMAS, 9 July, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Shorewell in the Isle of Wight* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Lacock* (Wiltshire), Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale and Wood (2)—3 Membranes.

TEWKESBURY, PARISHIONERS of, 14 June, 34 Hen. 8. No request. Fragment relating to the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (1)—1 Membrane.

THATCHER, JOHN, 18 February, 31 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Mersham* (Sussex) (late possessor not mentioned), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2)—2 Membranes.

THATCHER, JOHN, 12 May, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of parcel of the Manor of *Sholvestrode* (Sussex), lately purchased of *John Aske*, and annexed to the *Honor of Petworthe* (Sussex), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Compton*, in the parishes of *Westfyrlls* and *Berwike* (Sussex), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms and Rents in *Severnstoke* (Worcestershire), and Fishery in the *Teinde* (Worcestershire), late of the *Priory of Great Malverne* (Worcestershire), Memoranda and Woods (2); Farm of a Tenement called *Bromehall* at *Clarkynlepe near Kemsey* (Worcestershire), late of the *Monastery of Tewkisbury* (Gloucestershire), the Auditor's Certificate (1); Farm in *Westham* and *Pemsey* (Sussex), late of *Thomas Crumwell* late *Earl of Essex*, Memoranda and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—11 Membranes.

THATCHER [Christian name and date illegible]. No request. Farm of the Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Repyng* (Derbyshire), Memorandum (2)—2 Membranes.

THOMAS, HENRY, [no date]. No request. Farm of the late *Cell of St. Anthony* (Cornwall), late of the *Priory of Plympton* (Devonshire), Memorandum (1)—1 Membrane.

THOMAS, WILLIAM, 3 August, 35 Hen. 8. Requests to purchase (2)—Farm of the Manor of *Beddon* (Berkshire), late of the *Countess of Somerset*, Answer to the Letters of the Commissioners, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2)—4 Membranes.

THOMPSON, HENRY, 12 March, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Brumfeld* (Cumberland), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary near the Walls of the City of York*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2); Farm of the scite of the late *Priory of Essholte*, with its demesnes (Yorkshire), Memorandum and Woods (3); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

THOMPSON, RICHARD, 13 November, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm in the parish of *St. Augustine in Watling-street, London*, late of the *Hospital of Elsingspittell, London*, Farm in the parish of *St. Gregory in Paternoster Row, London*, late of the *Charter House, London*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

THORNEBOROUGH, WILLIAM, of Cartemell, Lancaster, 6 May, 37 Henry 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Haverbrike* (Westmoreland), late of the *Monastery of Conyshed* (Lancashire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm in *Patton* (Westmoreland), late of the *Monastery of Conyshed* (Lancashire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Rents in the town of *Kirkby* in *Kendall* (Westmoreland), late of the *Monastery of Conyshed* (Lancashire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Wynfell* (Westmoreland), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary near the Walls of the City of York*, Memorandum and Woods (2)—10 Membranes.

THORNHILL, ROBERT and HUGH, 26 June, 38 Henry 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor or *Grange of Sherokes*, in the parish of *Workesoppe* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Workesoppe* (Nottinghamshire), Memorandum (1); Farm in *Lanhethoche*, in the parish of *Kentchurch* (Herefordshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Dynmore* (Herefordshire), late of the *Priory or Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Ewes* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Roche* (Yorkshire), Memorandum (1); Farm in the parishes of *St. Peter and St. Werburg* (Derbyshire), late of the *Monastery of Derley* (Derbyshire), Farm in the Town of *Worsopp* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Workesoppe* (Nottinghamshire), Farms in the Town of *Derby*, late of the *Monastery de Pratis* (Derbyshire), Farm in the Town of *Hayton* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Workesoppe* (Nottinghamshire), Memorandum (2); Farms in the parish of *Adenburgh in Chillwell* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Derley* (Derbyshire), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Clareburge* (Nottinghamshire), *Atterclyff* (Yorkshire), and *Sowthewetely* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Workesopp* (Nottinghamshire), Farms in *Shefelde* (Yorkshire), *Atterclyff* (Yorkshire), and *Bradefeld* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Beauchif* (Derbyshire), Farm in *Pyllesley* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Thorgarton* (Nottinghamshire), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Shefelde* entry]; Farms in *Shefeld* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Workesop* (Nottinghamshire), Memorandum (1); Rents in *Mitchells Borrough and Lamporte* (Somersetshire), late of the *Monastery of Athelyney* (Somersetshire), Memorandum (1); Farm in *Grenley super Montem* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Worsop* (Nottinghamshire), Memorandum (1); the custody of certain lands in *Purley* (Essex), late of *Thomas Adwyche*, Memorandum (1); Farms in *Upton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Heveninges* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum (1); Rents and Farms in *Sheffelde* (Yorkshire), late of the *Priory of Workesopp* (Nottinghamshire) (1); Farms in the Town of *Dromondby* (Yorkshire), late of the *Priory of Gisburne* (Yorkshire), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Grange of *Hayton*, with tenements in *Sturton* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Priory of Workesoppe* (Nottinghamshire), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Heyton, Chedulton, Horslowe*, and *Horton* (Staffordshire), late of the *Monastery of Delacres* (Staffordshire), Memorandum (4); Lands and Tenements in *Keleylvythe* (Montgomeryshire), late of the *Monastery of Cherburye* (Shropshire), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Harwood* (Herefordshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Dynmore* (Herefordshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1); Farms in the Towns of *Newemorehouse, Hokenfeld*, and *Langrawe* (Northumberland), late of the *Monastery of Brenkeborne* (Northumberland), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Hokenfeld*, and *Langrawe* entries]; Farms in *Nyton*, in the parish of *Alyngbourne* (Sussex), late of the *Priory of Boxgrave* (Sussex), Memorandum (1); Farm called *Deanehaulle* (Nottinghamshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Newland* (Yorkshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1); Tenths of *Alfreton* (Derbyshire), late of the *Monastery of Beachiff* (Derbyshire); *West Stokewythe* and *Mysterton* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Priories of Axholme* (Lincolnshire) and *Hevenings* (Lincolnshire), (2); Farm of the *Rectory of Hymyngham* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Appleton* (Yorkshire) Rents in *Hymyngton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Whitby* (Yorkshire), Summary and Particulars of Sale (4)—33 Membranes.

THORNHILL, ROBERT, and LEONARD WARCOPP, 14 May, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Alferton* (Derbyshire), late of the *Monastery of Beachiff* (Derbyshire), Farms in *Mysterton* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Priory of Axholme* (Lincolnshire) (1); Farms in *Stokewith* and *Misterton* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Priory of Hevenynges*

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2. Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.

(Lincolnshire), Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to the Farms mentioned in the two foregoing Membranes (1); Farms in *Shirrokks*, and parcel of the Manor of *Shirrokks* (Nottinghamshire), with lands in *Mysterton* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Priory of Worsopp* (Nottinghamshire), Memorandum (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Shirrokks* entry]; Farms in the parishes of *Stannyngton, Felton,* and *Brenkeborne* (Northumberland), late of the *Monastery of Brenkeborne* (Northumberland), and Woods (2); Farm of the Mansion of *Sembrudge within the Manor of Barton Abbey* (Gloucestershire), late of the *Monastery of St. Peter, Gloucester,* Memorandum (1); Farms in *Kyrkebye* and *Stokeslye in Cleveland* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Fountance* (Yorkshire), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (3)—16 Membranes.

Thornhill [Christian name and date illegible]. Hen. 8.? No request. Farms in *Purley* (Essex), late of *Robert Adwike* (1); Woods pertaining to the Farm of *Dean Halle,* in the parish of *Canton* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England;* Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Shirocks* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Worksop* (Nottinghamshire); Woods pertaining to Farms in *Newmerhouse* (Northumberland), late of the *Monastery of Brenkborne* (Northumberland); Woods pertaining to Farms in *Alingborne* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Boxgrave* (Suffolk); Woods pertaining to Farms of *Kehlewith* (Montgomeryshire), late of the *Priory of Thurburne* (Montgomeryshire) (1); Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Heton* (Staffordshire), late of the *Monastery of Delacrosse* (Staffordshire); Woods pertaining to Farms in the parish of *Kentchurch* (Herefordshire), late of the *Comaundry of Dynmore* (Herefordshire); Woods pertaining to the Manor of *Harwood* (Herefordshire), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Woods pertaining to Farms in *Dromonbil* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Gisborne* (Yorkshire); Woods pertaining to Farms in *Ewes* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Roche* (Yorkshire); Woods pertaining to Farms in *Grynleye* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Worksopp* (Nottinghamshire); Woods pertaining to the parsonage of *Manton* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Newsted* (Nottinghamshire); Woods pertaining to Farms in the parish of *St. Peter* (Derbyshire) [blank in original]; Woods pertaining to Farms in the parish of *Adenburgh* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Derley* (Derby); Woods pertaining to Farms in *Myklesborough* and *Lamporte* (Somersetshire), late of the *Monastery of Athelney* (Somersetshire); Woods pertaining to Farms in *Upton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Heveninges* (Lincolnshire) (1); Woods pertaining to Farms in the parish of *Attercliff* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Worksopp* (Nottinghamshire); Woods pertaining to Farms in *Pillesleye* (Nottinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Thorgerton* (Nottinghamshire); Woods pertaining to Farms in *Sheffielde* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Worksopp* (Nottinghamshire); Woods pertaining to Farms in the parish of *Bradfeld* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Beauchiff* (Derbyshire) (1)—5 Membranes.

Thoroughgood, Thomas, and John Foster. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the town of *Greenwich* (Kent), late of *Richard Pigotte,* gentleman, of the King's Chapel, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (1); Farms in the town of *Romsey* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Romsey* (Southampton), Particulars of Sale (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Stoke Naylond* (Suffolk), late of the *Priory of Prytwell* (Essex), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2); Rents in *Broughton* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Dalapraye* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum and Woods (2)—8 Membranes.

Throgmorton, Clement, and Alexander Avenon, 29 April, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Granges of *Kyngton, Songer,* and *Byrley* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Bordesley* (Worcester), Memorandum, Answer to the Letters of the Commissioners, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4); Farms in the parish of *Dumbleton* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Saint Peter* (Gloucester), the Auditor's Certificate and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Wulverton,* otherwise *Wulverdington* (Warwick), late of the *College of Saint Mary* (Warwick), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Claverden,* otherwise *Claredon* and *Norton Lynsey* (Warwick), late of the *College of Saint Mary* (Warwick), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Grette in Yardeley,* with its appurtenances (Worcester and Warwick), late of the *Priory of Studeley* (Warwick), Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—14 Membranes.

Throgmorton, George, 7 July, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Chaddesley,* in the parish of *Longedon* and *Chaddesley* (Worcester), late of the *Priory of Little Malverne* (Worcester), Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3); Valuation of *Woolston Rectory* (Gloucester) (1); Farm of *Cokeshall* (Hereford), late of the *Monastery of Wigmore* (Hereford), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Hawe,* in the parish of *Trynley* (Gloucester), of the *Cell of Derehurste,* late parcel of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Woolston,* with the *Rectory of Woolston* (Gloucester), parcel of the *Cell of Derehurst,* late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester), Answer to the Chancellor's Letter and Woods (2), Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—12 Membranes.

Throgmorton, Sir George, 24 February, 32 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. By exchange. The King grants unto *Sir George Throgmorton* the following Lands, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Oversley,* with its Appurtenances, and all the Possessions, late of *Thomas Earl of Essex,* in the counties of Warwick and Worcester, excepting the Scite of the late

Priory of Alcester, and the Temporalities and Possessions pertaining and belonging to it, and excepting also the Manor of *Buttlersmerston* (Warwick) (2)—in exchange for viz.: Manor of *Royton* (Bedford) (6) [on paper], Particulars of Exchange (1)—9 Membranes.

THROGMORTON, SIR GEORGE, Knight, 14 July, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor or Demesne of *Tonneworth*, with its appurtenances (Warwick), late of the *Earl of Warwick*, called "*Warwikes Landes*," Auditor's Certificate, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (4)—5 Membranes.

THROGMORTON, ROBERT, 4 June, 34 Hen. 8. No request. By exchange. The said *Robert Throgmorton* grants unto the King the following Farms, viz.: Farm of the Manor of *Whytewallteham* (Berkshire) (1)—in exchange for, viz.: Manor of *Derehurste*, with the Scite of the late *Cell or Priory of Derehurst*, together with the *Rectory of Derehurste* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucester) (1); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (2) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Somborne* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Evesham* (Worcester), Particulars of Sale (1)—5 Membranes.

THWAYTE, WILLIAM, 6 May, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Mearston* (York), late of the *Monastery of Fountance* (York), Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3)—4 Membranes.

TICHBORNE, NICHOLAS, 3 July, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Meryfelde*, with all the Lands and Tenements in *Westysted* and *Repley* (Southampton), late of the *Priory of Newarke* (Surrey), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

TITLEY, JOHN, 25 May, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farms and Rents in *Medsore* and *Cawisbroke, Taplowe, Penn, Westonturvylle, Benfelde* (no county mentioned) (1) [on paper; this is a fragment only]—1 Membrane.

TOLSON, HENRY, 7 June, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm in *Whithall* (Cumberland), late of the possessions of *Henry late Earl of Northumberland*, the Answer to the Letters of the Commissioners, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

TOLSON, HENRY, 3 July, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor *Bridekirk* (Cumberland), late of the *Monastery of Gisbourn* (Yorkshire), answer to the Letters of the Commissioners, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

TOMYOWE, RICHARD, 4 October, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Tenths of divers Lands in the parishes of *Tylehurst, St. Mary*, and *St. Giles in Redyng* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (Berkshire), the Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

TOPPES, DENNIS, and STEPHEN HOLFORD, 29 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Southmore* otherwise called *Draycote More* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm in the parishes of *Sutton at Hone, Farmyngham*, and *Horton Kyrby* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Bermondsey* (Surrey), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Tymworth* otherwise *Tynmouth* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmund* (Suffolk), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (3); Farm of the Manor of *Allerstane* (Yorkshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of the Holy Trinity of Beverley*, in the parish of *Pikeryng* (Yorkshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Polyng* (Sussex), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (rated for *Stephen Holford*, 29 April, 37 Hen. 8.), and Woods (3)—14 Membranes.

TOWNESHEND, ROBERT, Serjeant-at-Law, 20 November, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the *Vicarages of Gaistwayte* and *Houghton* (Suffolk) (2); Farm of the Manor of *Gayst*, with *Luton Fee* there and its members (Norfolk), late of *Richard Southwell, Knight*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Houghton* (Norfolk), late of the *Priory of Horsseham St. Faith* (Norfolk), and Woods; Farm of the Rectory of *Gaystwaite* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Waltham* (Essex), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—7 Membranes.

TOWNESHEND, ROBERT and GILES, 6 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with two Seals (1)—Farm of the Rectory of *Whitewell* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Pounteney* (Norfolk); Farm of the Rectory of *Barwike* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Buckenham* (Norfolk); Farms in *Testerton-cum-Helloughton* and *Este Raynehame* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Hempton* (Norfolk); Farms in *Kepton* and *Westraynehame* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Westacre* (Norfolk); Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Gayst* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of the Holy Cross, Waltham* (Essex); Farm of the Manor of *Righborough parva* and of the Manor and Rectory of *Helghton* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Horsseham* (Norfolk), Answer to the Letters of the Commissioners, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods, to all the foregoing Farms (5) [the pen has been drawn through the *Kepton* and *Westrayneham* entry]—6 Membranes.

TRACY, HENRY, 3 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Nawnton* (Gloucestershire), late of the *Monastery of Winchelcomb* (Gloucestershire), the Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

TRACY, RICHARD, of Hanwey, Gloucester, 16 September, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with Seals (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Hasilton* (Gloucestershire), with all the Lands in *Hasilton*, late of the *Monastery of Winchelcomb* (Gloucestershire), Auditor's Certificate and Woods (2); Farms in *Dyddecote*, with the Chapel there in the parish of *Beckeforde*

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(Gloucestershire), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucestershire), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—5 Membranes.

TREFORD, WILLIAM, 28 February, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Grange of *Swithamlett* and *High Forest*, in the parish of *Leke* (Staffordshire), late of the *Monastery of Delacres* (Staffordshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale (3) [Particulars of Sale slightly defaced]—4 Membranes.

TREGONWELL, JOHN, and JOHN SOUTHCOT, 25 October, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with Seals (1)—Summary of the yearly value of the Lands belonging to the late *Monastery of Pyppewell* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum (rated for *George Tressham, Esq.*), 6 May, 36 Hen. 8 (1); Farm of the Manor of *Louke* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Abbotisbury* (Dorsetshire); Farms in *Lynche*, in the parish of *Kyngston*, parcel of the Manor of *Kyngston* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Shafton* (Dorsetshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Witherston* (Dorsetshire) (1); Farms in *Ryme within* and *Ryme without* (Dorsetshire), late of *William Earl of Huntingdon*, Memorandum and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the entry of *Ryme without*]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Ryme* (Dorsetshire) (1); Rents in the parish of *Tollepudell* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Abbotisbury* (Dorsetshire); Farms in *Knaveswell*, in the parish of *Langtan Matravers* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Milton* (Dorsetshire); Rents in the parish of *Bovy Tracye* (Devonshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Bridgewater* (Somerset); Farm in the parish of *Stoke* (Dorsetshire), parcel of the late *Cell of Holme* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Priory of Mountague* (Somersetshire), Memorandum, Woods, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2); Farms in the parish of *Blockeswurth*, parcel of the Manor of *Blockesworth* (Dorsetshire); and Rents in the parish of *Mynterne*, parcel of the Manor of *Mynterne* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Cerne* (Dorsetshire), Memorandum and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the Mynterne entry]; Farm of the Manor of *Burdleston* (Dorsetshire), and of the Manor of *Clyff* in the parish of *Tynkelden* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Milton* (Dorsetshire); Rents in the parish of *Minterne*, parcel of the Manor of *Minterne*, and Farm of parcel of the Manor of *Wynterborne* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Cerne* (Dorsetshire); Farm in the parish of *Tollepudell*, parcel of the Manor of *Tollepudell* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Abbotisbury* (Dorsetshire), Memorandum and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Burdleston*, *Wynterborne*, and *Tollepudell* entries]; Farm of a Mill called *Northmill* in the parish of *St. Martin of Warham* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Priory of Shene* (Surrey), Memorandum and Woods (2); Woods pertaining to parcel of the Manor of *Cerne* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Cerne* (Dorsetshire), Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *Leyton* (Essex), late of the *Charter House near London*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—18 Membranes.

TRENCHARD, Sir THOMAS, 23 February, 31 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Hilfeld* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Milton* (Dorsetshire); Farm of *Litelburton*, in the parish of *Charmister* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Cerne* (Dorsetshire), Memorandum (2)—2 Membranes.

TRENCHARD, Sir THOMAS, 23 February, 31 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Hyde*, in the parish of *Bere*, and of Lands in *Mannyngston* and *Stowrepayne* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Tarrant* (Dorsetshire), Memorandum and Woods (2) [Woods on paper]—2 Membranes.

TRESHAM, GEORGE, 16 May, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the *Rectories of Newton Magna* and *Newton Parva* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum of parcel of the *Rectory of Geddington* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Pipewell* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum; Farms in *Weldon* and *Dene* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Fynneshed* (Northampton), Memorandum (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Geddington entry*]; Farm of the *Rectory of Desborough* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Priory of Rothwell* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum (2); Woods pertaining to the Farms mentioned in the four foregoing entries, Summary and Particulars of Sale (2), Farms in *Hayfford* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of St. James, near Northampton*, Memorandum (1); Farms in *Gorefild* (Buckinghamshire), late of the *Monastery of Delapreye* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to the Farms mentioned in the two foregoing Membranes (1)—10 Membranes.

TRESHAM, GEORGE. [No date. Hen. 8?]. No request. Farms in *Coldeassheby* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Pypewell* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum; Farms in *Gedington* (Northamptonshire), with the *Rectory of Geddington*, late of the *Monastery of Pypewell* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum; Rent in *Coldeassheby* (Northamptonshire), and in *Welforde* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Soulbye* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum and Auditor's Certificate (6) [the pen has been drawn through the *Gedington* entry]; Woods pertaining to Farms mentioned on the six foregoing Membranes (1); Farm of a portion of the Tenths in *Bamburgh* (Lincolnshire) late of the *Monastery of Bardney* (Lincolnshire); Farms in *Wadingworthe* and *Wyspington* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Staynfeld*, (Lincolnshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the *Rectory of Wispyngton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Kyrkested* (Lincolnshire), and Woods; Farm in *Maydenwell* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Barlyngs* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Wispyngton* entry]; Farms in *Northey near Tewkesbury* (Glouces-

tershire), late of the *Monastery of Tewkesbury* (Gloucestershire), the Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2)—13 Membranes.

TRESHAM, GEORGE, and EDMUND TWYNYHO, 5 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm in *Creton Magna* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Sulbye* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum; Farm of the *Rectory of Gedyngton*, with parcel of the Tenths of the same (Northamptonshire), with a Rent in *Thorpemallesworth* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Pipwell* (Northamptonshire), the Auditor's Answer, Particulars of Sale (3); Woods pertaining to Farms in *St. James End, near Northampton*, late of the *Monastery of St. James near Northampton*, in *Creton* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Sulbye* (Northamptonshire), to the *Parsonage of Gedington* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Pypwell* (Northamptonshire), to a farm in *Thropp Mallesworth* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Pypwell* (Northamptonshire), to a Farm in *Wold* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Delaprey* (Northamptonshire), to a Farm in *Banbury* (Oxfordshire), late of the *Priory of Chacombe* (Northamptonshire), and to a Farm in *Oulnston* (Warwickshire), late of the *Priory of Coventry* (1); Farms in *Brampton* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of St. James near Northampton*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Preston Capes* (Northamptonshire), late of the *College of St. Mary* (Warwickshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of the *Vicarage of Claynes* (Worcestershire), late of the *Priory of Whiston* (Worcestershire), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Podyngton*, in the *Rectory of Podyngton* (Bedfordshire), late of the *Priory of Cannonsashebye* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm in *Wolde* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Delapray* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm in *Harepole* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Priory of Chacombe* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); a Farm called *Heathcote*, (Warwickshire), late of the *College of St. Mary* (Warwickshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Kenilworth* and *Fulbroke* (Warwickshire), late of the *Monastery of Kenilworth* (Warwickshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Wigewike* and *Hareby* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wenloke* (Shropshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Witham* (Essex), late of the *Abbey of St. John of Colchester*, Answer to the Letters of the Commissioners, and Particulars of Sale (2); Farms in the parish of *King's Pewme* (Herefordshire), late of the *Monastery of Wormesley* (Herefordshire), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farms in the parish of *Condover* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Lylleshull* (Shropshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm in the parish of *Westebury* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury*, Answer to the Letters of the Commissioners, and Woods (2)—32 Membranes.

TUFTON, JOHN, and STEPHEN REAMYS, 14 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Densted* (Kent), late of the *Priory of Leeds* (Kent), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Manor of *Est Sutton* (Kent), late of the *Earl of Essex*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—4 Membranes.

TUKE, SIR BRIAN, 13 March, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *Stepleforth* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of St. Edmund* (Suffolk), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Manor of *Southweld* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Waltham* (Essex); Farms in the parish of *Southweld* (Essex), late of the *Priory of Blakamore* (Essex), afterwards assigned to the *Monastery of Waltham* (Essex), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

TUKE, CHARLES, 5 September, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Abboteshall in Wigbarough* (Essex), late of *Thomas Crumwell Earl of Essex*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—2 Membranes.

TURBERVYLE, ROBERT, and ANTHONY ARCHER, 1 June, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Beare Regis* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Tarraunte* (Dorsetshire), Memorandum and Woods (2)—2 Membranes.

TURK, RICHARD. [No date. Hen. 8.?] No request. Farm of the Manors of *Barneby* and *Sandebek* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Roche* (Yorkshire); Farm of the Manor of *Hikilton* (Yorkshire), with the Rectory of *Hikilton* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of Monkebretton* (Yorkshire), Memorandum (2)—2 Membranes.

TUTT, JAMES, and NICHOLAS HAME, 16 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Memorandum (1) [on paper]; Rents in *Sutton Parva* (Wiltshire), late of *Walter Hungerford, Knight*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Kyngweston* (Somersetshire) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Kyngwardeston* (Somersetshire), late of the *Monastery of Barmondesey* (Surrey), Memorandum and Woods (4); Valuation of the Rectory of *Bechingstoke* (Wiltshire) (1); Farms in *Poreton* (Wiltshire), late of the *Priory of Christchurch-Twynham* (Southampton), Memorandum and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Sutton Bury* [?] (Wiltshire) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Estote cum Urchefounte* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Edington* (Wiltshire), Memorandum and Woods (3), [Woods have Seals attached]; Farm of the Manor of *Idmyston* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Wiltshire), Memorandum (1); Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—18 Membranes.

TWYNYHOO, EDWARD, of Wychehampton (Dorsetshire), 13 December, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with Seal (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Weston* (Dorsetshire), late of the *Monastery of Shirborne* (Dorsetshire), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Barner-*

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disley, in the parish of *Wymborne Mynster* (Dorsetshire), with its members, late of the *Monastery of Christchurch, Twyneham* (Southampton), the Auditor's Certificate, and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—5 Membranes.

TYRELL, HUMPHREY, 24 November, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with Seal (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Shenfeld* (Essex) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Shenfelde* (Essex), parcel of the Duchy of *Lancaster*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—5 Membranes.

TYRRELL, ROBERT, 18 November, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Valuation of the Rectory of *Birdebroke* (Essex) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Byrdebroke* (Essex) late of the *Monastery of Westminster* (Middlesex), Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

TYRWHIT, ROBERT, 3 July, 34 Henry 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Clopton* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Peterburgh* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Clapton* (Cambridgeshire), late of the *Monastery of Thorney* (Cambridgeshire) (1); Rents in *Fulbek* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Thurgarton* (Nottinghamshire) (1); Farms in *Clopton* and *Lylford* (Northampton), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Dynglay* (Northamptonshire); Farms and Rents in *Lydenham* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Temple Brwer* (Lincolnshire); Farms in *St. John's Lane* (Middlesex), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Eagle* (Lincolnshire); Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Morehall in Hereffeld* (Middlesex), all late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Farms in *Threpeland* and *Shappe* (Westmoreland), with the Scite of the late *House of Friars Augustine of Penreth* (Cumberland), late of the *Monastery of Shappe* (Westmoreland), Memorandum (1); Farms called *Barrow* and *Salmans* (Essex), late of the *Abbey of Colchester*, and Woods (3); Farm of the Rectory of *Wayneflete* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Stixwold* (Lincolnshire) (1); Farm in *Muston* and *Stanwith* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Newboo* (Lincolnshire) (1); Farms in *Lynghowe cum Askeby* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Haverholme* (Lincolnshire); Farms in *Pawnton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Stixwolde* (Lincolnshire) (1); Farms in *Barfforde Mychells* (Oxfordshire and Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of Chacombe* (Northamptonshire), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Swayton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Barlyngs* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to all the above (3) [on paper]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—18 Membranes.

TYRWHIT, Sir ROBERT, Knight, 3 February, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Old Eagle* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Eagle* (Lincolnshire); Farm of the Manor of *Northestarle* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Eagle* (Lincolnshire), all late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Thoresby* (Lincolnshire) (1); Farms in *Brandon* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Commaundry of Temple Brwer* (Lincolnshire); Farms in *Stagelthorp* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Temple Brwer* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Kyrkby Grene* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Commaundry of Temple Brwer* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to the Farms mentioned in the two foregoing Membranes (1)—7 Membranes.

TYRWHITT, Sir ROBERT, Knight, 8 June, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manors of *Cambryngham* (Lincolnshire) and *Fillyngham* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Hulton* (Staffordshire), Answer to the Letters of the Commissioners, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4)—4 Membranes.

TYRWHITT, Sir ROBERT, Knight, and THOMAS KIDDALL, 5 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parish of *Eagle* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Commaundry of Eagle* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Templehilles*, in the parish of *Shernebroke* (Bedfordshire), parcel of the *Preceptory of Malcheborne* (Bedfordshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Hensyngton*, in the parishes of *Bladon* and *Shipton upon Barwell* (Oxfordshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Sampfford* (Oxfordshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of parcel of the Rents in *Patteshull* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of St. James near Northampton*, Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farms and Rents in *Westwilloughby* (Lincolnshire), late of *Sir John Hussey, Knight*, Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—11 Membranes.

TYRWHITT, Sir ROBERT, Knight, the Younger. [No date. Hen. 8.?] Request to purchase (1)—Woods pertaining to Farms in *Old Eagle* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the *Commaundry of Eagle* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through the memorandum]—2 Membranes.

TIRWHITT [no Christian name or date]. No request. Farm of the Manor or late *Priory of Kyme* (Lincolnshire); Farm of the Manor or late *Abbey of Berdney* (Lincolnshire) (1); Rents issuing out of the late *Priory of Stanefeld*, lying in *Waddington* and elsewhere (Lincolnshire), late of the *House of Carthusians* (Warwickshire) (1); Farm of parcel of the Lands and Possessions of the late *Preceptory of Rybston* (Yorkshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Farm of the Demesne Lands of the

late *Priory of Nuneburneholme* (Yorkshire) (1); Farms in *Sandehutton* (Yorkshire), late of the *Priory of St. Andrew* (Yorkshire) (1) [on paper, and imperfect]—5 Membranes.

TYRWHITT [no Christian name or date. Hen. 8.?] No request. Farms in *Ledenham* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Temple Brwer* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Farms in *Ledenham* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Hevenyngs* (Lincolnshire) (1)—1 Membrane.

TYRWHITT [no Christian name or date. Hen. 8?]. No request. Farm of a certain Grange in *Wellyngore* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Haverholme* (Lincolnshire); Rents in *Fulbeke* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Thurgarton* (Nottinghamshire); Farms in *Wellinggore* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of St. Katherine, near the Walls of the City of Lincoln*; Farms in *Stragilthorpe* and *Fulbeke* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of Semperingham* (Lincolnshire) (1)—1 Membrane.

TYRWHITT [no Christian name or date]. Memorandum (1) [on paper]—1 Membrane.

UMPTON, ALEXANDER, 24 October, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Wike* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery de Bello loco Regis* (Hampshire), Memorandum, (1); Farm of Tenths in the hamlet of *Langcote*, in the parish of *Shrevenham* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester), the Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale, (2); Farm of the Manor of *Hawteforde*, otherwise *Hatford cum Newenton* (Berkshire), late of *Charles Duke of Suffolk*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [the first of these two Membranes is much defaced]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Hatford* (Berkshire) (1); Farm in the parish of *Lokynge* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of a portion of the Tenths of *Betyrton* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire), Memorandum (1)—9 Membranes.

UNEDALE, AVEREY, one of the King's Council in the north parts, 2 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Spiritualities of the late *Monastery of Marricke* (Yorkshire), Memorandum (3) [in very bad condition]—4 Membranes.

VACHILL, THOMAS, 20 July, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Whitley* and *Colley* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Reding* (Berkshire), the Auditor's Certificate, Particulars for Sale and Woods (3)—3 Membranes.

VAUGHAN, EDMOND, 18 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Wiggeley* with its members (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Ambrebury* (Wiltshire), the Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Wynfreton* (Hereford), late of the *Earl of March*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Winferton* (Hereford) (1); Farms in *Tidde* with Rents in *Holbeche* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Crowland* (Lincoln), Memorandum (1)—8 Membranes.

VAUGHAN, JOHN, Doctor of Law, 9 December, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor, late Cell and *Priory of Penbrok*, otherwise called *Mounkton* in *South Wales*, late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1) [very much gall-stained]—2 Membranes.

VAUGHAN, STEPHEN, 29 July, 33 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Valuation of the Tenements and Houses, late of the *Hospital of St. Mary Spittell* (no county mentioned) (2) [on paper]—2 Membranes.

VAUGHAN, STEPHEN, 6 March, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Markesbury* and *Hunfert* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury*, Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2)—2 Membranes.

VAUGHAN, STEPHEN, 7 May, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parishes of *All Saints in Breadstreet, St. Peter Cheapside, St. Mary of Bow, St. Benedict at Paul's Wharf, and St. Vedast, London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Bartholomew near Westsmithfield, London*, Memorandum (2)—3 Membranes.

VAUGHAN, STEPHEN. [No date. Hen. 8?] Sec. 4. No request. Farms in the parishes of *St. Benedict at Paul's Wharf, All Saint's Bread Street, St. Peter in Cheap, St. Mary le Bow, and St. Vedast in Foster Lane, London*, late of the *Hospital of St. Bartholomew near Westsmithfield, London*, Particulars of Sale (2)—2 Membranes.

VAUGHAN? [no name or date. Hen. 8?] No request. Farm of the Scite and Precincts of the late *Hospital of St. Mary without Bishopsgate, London*, Memorandum (2)—2 Membranes.

VINCENT, GEORGE, 11 February, 31 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of parcel of the possessions of the late *Cathedral Church of Coventry*, Memorandum (1) [almost illegible]—1 Membrane.

VINCENT, RICHARD, 5 June, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farms in *Smeton Richmond* (Yorkshire), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary near the Walls of the City of York*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Smeton* (York) (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

VINCENT, RICHARD, 13 June, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Grange of *Angram*, in the parish of *Welbery* (York), late of the *Monastery of Ryvalse* (York), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

WADE, JOHN, and THOMAS GREGORY, 16 November, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Rents in *Kingeshyll*, in the parish of *Stoneley* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Stoneley*

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(Warwick), Farms in *Flechamsted*, in the parish of *Stoneley* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Stoneley* (Warwick), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Stichall*, in the City of *Coventry*, late of the *Monastery or Priory of Coventry*, Memorandum (2); Woods pertaining to the Farms mentioned in the three foregoing Membranes (1); Farms in the parish of *Folxhull, Coventry*, late of the *Priory of Coventry*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Rents in the City of *Coventry*, and Farm of a Mansion called *Newland House*, in the parish of *Exall*, in the City of *Coventry*, late of the *Priory of Coventry*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale [the pen has been drawn through the entry of Rents] (rated for *John Bellowe*, Gentleman, 16th November, 36 Hen. 8.) (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—10 Membranes.

WALDEGRAVE, EDWARD, 1 June, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Borleigh* (Essex), late of the *Dean and Chapter of Canterbury Cathedral*, Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Mereden* (Hertford), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford), and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Borley* (Essex) (1)—6 Membranes.

WALDEGRAVE, EDWARD, of Sudbury, Suffolk, 9 December, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Westhaddon*, with the Rectory of *Westhaddon* (Northampton), late of *King Henry the Eighth's College* (Oxford), Memorandum and Woods (3); Farm of the Rectory of *Thundersley* (Essex), late of the *Priory of Hatfield* (Essex) (1); Farm in the town of *Roxeby* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Draxe* (York), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

WALTER, EDMUND, 13 June, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parish of *St. Dunstan Fleetstreet*, and in *Chauncellerlane, London*, late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (4); Rents in *Tottenes* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Buckefaste* (Devon), Memorandum (1); Rents in the parish of *Henton* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Keynsham* (Somerset), Memorandum (1)—7 Membranes.

WARBERTON, JOHN, 2 July, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of *Great Stany*, with the *Grange of Stany* (Chester), late of the *Abbey of Whalley* (Lancaster), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

WARBERTON, JOHN, 19 November, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Grange of *Acton* (Chester), late of the *Monastery of Whalley* (Lancaster), Particulars of Sale (1) —1 Membrane.

WARDE, RICHARD, 18 July, 38 Hen. 8. No request. By Exchange. Lands appointed to the King by the said Richard Ward, viz., Farms in *New Windsor* and *Cleworth*, within the King's Forest of *Windsor* (Berkshire) (1)—in exchange for, Farm of the Rectory of *Whightwaltham* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Bysham* (Berkshire), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—3 Membranes.

WARNER, JOHN, 2 April, 35 Hen. 8. This is a Summary and Particulars of Sale only; it relates to lands in *Roryngton* (Hereford), *Wynnseley* (Shropshire), and in *Aston* and *Asturley* (Shropshire); it is rated for *Thomas Bery*, 2 April, 35 Hen. 8—1 Membrane.

WARNER, JOHN CLERK, 28 June, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Sutton* (Oxford), parcel of the late *Commaundry of Quenyngton* (Gloucester), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm of the Manor of *Roryngton* (Shropshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Dynmore* (Hereford), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Wynnesley*, in the parish of *Westbury* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury*, and Woods, Farms in *Aston Rogers*, in the parish of *Wortham*, and in *Asturley*, in the parish of *Ponsbury* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Haughmond* (Shropshire), Memorandum and Woods (2)—8 Membranes.

WARRE, LORD DE LA, 2 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with Seal (1)—Farm within the Scite of the late *House of Friars Carmelites near London*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

WARREYN, Sir RALPH, Knight, 6 March, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the *City of London*, late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (Berkshire) (1); Rent in the parish of *Saint Laurence in the Old Jewry, London*, late of the *Monastery of Halliwell* (Middlesex) (1); Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Manor of *Eastlache* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Bruerne* (Oxford) (1); Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Rectory of *Kymbalton* (Huntingdon), late of the *Priory of Stoneley* (Huntingdon) (1); Rents in the parishes of *Hackeney, Stebunheth*, and *Saint Leonard in Shoreditch* (Middlesex), and in the parish of *Longditton* (Surrey), late of the *Hospital of Saint Mary without Bishopsgate, London*, Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Manor of *Foxton* (Cambridge), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the *Hospital of Newport* (Essex), late of the *Priory of Chatteras* (Cambridge), Rents in the parish of *Saint Laurence in the Old Jewry, Saint Mary Arches*, and *Saint Mary of Aldermanbury, London*, late of the *Priory of Elsingspittell, London*, Rent reserved out of the Rectory and Manor of *Layton* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Stratford Langthorne* (Essex), Memorandum (2); Summary, and Particulars of Sale (1)—8 Membranes.

WARREN, Sir RALPH, Knight, Mayor of the City of London, and others [no date. Hen. 8?]. Farm of the Manor of *Foxton* (Cambridge), late of the *Monastery of Chatteras* (Cambridge), Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Manor of *Esclache* (no county

mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Bruerne* (Oxford), and Woods (2); Farm of the Scite of the late *Hospital of Newport*, with its appurtenances in the hamlets of *Newporte, Shortgrove, Wyddington, Great Wendon, Archedon, Bumpsted Helyan, Elmedon, Wymbich,* and *Wickehame* (Essex), and Woods (2); Farms in the parishes of *Shorediche, Hakeneyeth,* in *Stebunnhethe* (Middlesex), late of the *Hospital of Saint Mary without Bishopsgate, London,* and Woods (2)—7 Membranes.

WARWICK, TOWN of, 30 February, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Rectories of *Saint Mary, Saint Nicholas,* and *Budbrook* (Warwick), and *Chaddisley* (Worcester), with Rents in the *Town of Warwick,* late of *Saint Mary's College* (Warwick), Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2)—2 Membranes.

WASSHINGTON, RICHARD, 31 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Docker,* in the parish of *Kirkby,* in *Kendal* (Westmoreland), and Rents and Farms in *Middilton,* in the parish of *Kirkby Londisdale,* and in *Blaterfelde,* in the parish of *Crosby Ravenswath* (Westmoreland), late of [heading gone], Memoranda (1) [imperfect]; Farms in the parish of *Morlande* (Westmoreland), late of the *Monastery of Saint Leonard* (York) (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Shappe* (Westmoreland), late of the *Monastery of Shappe* (Westmoreland), Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to the abovementioned Farms (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

WATERHOUSE, JOHN, 4 June, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Halifax* (York), with all its members, Memoranda, and Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

WATSON, EDWARD, and HENRY HERDSON, 2 June, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1) —Farm of the Manor, with the Rectory of *Giddinge Magna* (no county stated), late of the *Priory of Huntingdon,* Memorandum (1); Farm in *Grotton* (Stafford), late of the *Monastery of Delacres* (Stafford), Memoranda (1); Farms in *Somerbye* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Kirbye Bellers* (Leicester), Memorandum (1); Rents in *Somerbie* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Launde* (Leicester), Memorandum (1); Farms in the parish of *Hichen* (Hertford), late of the *House of the Friars Carmelites of Hichen* (Hertford (2); Farms and Rents in *Cubbyngton* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Stoneley* (Warwick), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Gremesby,* otherwise called *Gremesey* (no county stated), late of the *Priory of Canons Asshebie* (Northampton), Memoranda, (1); Farm of Tenths called "*Byrcheore Tythe,*" in the parish of *Yolgrave* (Derby), and of Tenths in *Evton* and *Wynster* (Derby) late of the *Monastery de Pratis* (Leicester), Memoranda (1); Farm in *Abbey-street,* near *Northampton,* late of the *Monastery of Saint James near Northampton,* Memorandum (1); Rents and Farms in *Bramcott,* otherwise called *Barwangle* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery de Pratis* (Leicester), Memorandum (1); Farm of the *Chapel of Saint Anne* (Warwick), and of Lands in *Exhall*)Warwick), late of the *Priory of Carthusians, near Coventry* (Warwick), Rents and Farms in *Barvangle,* otherwise *Barnacle* (Warwick), and in *Sow* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery de Pratis* (Leicester), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Saints Peter and Paul, Shrewsbury,* together with all Lands, &c., within the precincts of the same, Memoranda (1); Farm of the late *Monastery of Shrewsbury* (2); Farms in *Shenton* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Ulnescrofte* (Leicester), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (5)—22 Membranes.

WEBBE, HARRY, 3 August, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase, with Seal (1)—Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Halliwell* (Middlesex), Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

WEBBE, HARRY, 1 September, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite and Precincts of the late *Monastery of Halliwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

WELBORE, MICHAEL, 13 December; CLYFFORD, GEORGE, 12 February, 36 Hen. 8. Requests to purchase (2)—Farm of the late *House or Priory of Grey Friars in Wynchelsey* (Sussex), and Woods, Farm of the late *House or Priory of Black Friars in Winchelsey* (Sussex), Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Henry Smith,* 13 December, 36 Hen. 8,) and Woods (2); Farm of the late *Priory of Friars Minors in Doncaster* (York), with its Demesne Lands in *Doncaster,* Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Friars Preachers near the Town of Pontefract* (York), with its Demesnes, Rents and Farms in *Doncastre* (York), late of the *Monastery of Roche* (York), Rents and Farms in *Scawby,* and *Bentley,* near the Town of *Doncaster* (York), late of the *Monastery of Saint Leonard* (York), Memorandum (2); Rents and Farms in the Town of *Doncaster* (York), late of the *Monastery of Kirkstall* (York), Memorandum (1); Rent in the Town of *Doncaster* (York), late of the *Monastery of Monkbretton* (York), Memorandum (1); Farms in the Town of *Doncastre* (York), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Newland* (York), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to the Farms mentioned in the five last foregoing Membranes (1); Farms in the Town of *Doncaster* (York), late of the *House of Friars Carmelites in Doncaster* (York), Farms in *Exthorp* and *Balleye* (York), late of the *Monastery of Saint Mary near the walls of York,* Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Hugh Wyrral,* 14 December, 36 Henry 8), and Woods (3); Farm of the Manor of *Wilsik* (York), late of the *Monastery of Saint Oswald* (York), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Maching* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Waltham* (Essex), Memorandum, and Woods (3); Farms in *Foderston* and *Thornehurst* (York), late of

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the *Monastery of Saint Oswald* (York), Farms in *Scawsby, Smeton,* and *Camsall* (York), late of the *Monastery of Roche* (York) [the pen has been drawn through the *Smeton* entry], Farms in *Workisburghdale* (York), late of the *Priory of Appleton* (York), Memorandum, Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2); Woods pertaining to the Farms mentioned in the two last foregoing Membranes (1); Farm in the parishes of *Stone* and *Doraunt* (Kent), late of *Sir Thomas Wyatt, Knight,* Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of *Blakegrove* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire), and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Southstanley* (York), late of the *Priory of Bridlyngton* (York), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Kirkby Malsart, Dalagh, and Lunterstanes* (York), late of the *Monastery of Fountance* (York), Memorandum, and Woods (3); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—28 Membranes.

WELSH, HUGH, 16 November, 37 Henry 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Rectory of *Bishops Froome* (Hereford), with all the Houses, Glebe Lands, and Tenths to the same Rectory belonging, late of the *Priory of Lanthon,* near *Gloucester,* Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Malmeshill* (Hereford), late of the *Earl of March,* Memorandum, and Woods (3) [the pen has been drawn through part of the first of the three last Membranes]—6 Membranes.

WELSHE, MAURICE, 4 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with Seal (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Sodbury,* with the Borough of *Sodbury* (Gloucester), late of the *Earl of Warwick,* Memorandum, and Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

WENDEY, THOMAS, Doctor of Medicine, 6 September, 38 Hen. 3. No request. Farm of the Demesne with the Rectory of *Heslyngfelde* (Cambridge), late of the *Monastery of Saint Mary near the walls of the City of York,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (4)—4 Membranes.

WENTWORTH, Sir NICHOLAS, 10 August, 37 Hen. 8. Request to exchange (1)—Lands appointed unto the King by the said *Sir Nicholas Wentworth,* viz., Farms in *Tawcester* (Northampton) (1)—in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Lillyngston* (Oxford), parcel of the Lands lately granted by the King to *Sir Thomas Parry, Knight, and Matilda, his Wife, and to William Parry, Esquire, their Son, for the term of their lives,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—5 Membranes.

WEST, Sir WILLIAM, Knight, 14 June, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *Droitwich,* parcel of the King's Manor of *Wiche,* parcel of the King's Lands called *Warwickeslandes* (Worcester), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2); Farm of parcel of the Demesnes of the late *Abbey of Derley* (Derby) (1); Farms in the parish of *Norton* (Derby), late of the *Abbey of Beauchief* (Derby) (1), Rents in *Newbolde* (Nottingham), late of the Manor or *Abbey of Welbeke* (Nottingham), Farms in the parish of *Staveley* (Derby), late of the *Abbey of Beauchiff* (Derby) (1); Particulars of Sale (1)—6 Membranes.

WEVER, WILLIAM, of London, Mercer, 5 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm in the parish of *St. Gabriel in Fanchurchestret, London,* late of the *Nunnery of St. Helen, London,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

WHALLEY, RICHARD, 15 May, 37 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Wardenship of *Sybthorp* (Nottingham), with all its Appurtenances (1); Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

WHARTON, LORD, 6 January, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of Woods pertaining to the Scite and Demesnes of the late *Priory of Helaugh* (York), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

WHARTON, Sir THOMAS, Knight, LORD WHARTON, 21 February, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Brederdale,* with the Grange of *Asby* (Westmoreland), late of the *Monastery of Bellaland,* otherwise *Byland* (York), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

WHARTON, LORD, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Thormonbye* (York), with Lands in *Ayresome, Middilburghe,* and *Levynthorppe* (York), all late of the *Monastery of Gisburne* (York) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Castledon* (Durham), with Farms in *Trymdon, Seton Carike, Aslabye, Elton, Edmundbyers,* and the Rectory of *Trymdon* (Durham), late of the *Monastery of Gisburne* (York), Farm of the Manor of *Meware in Swaldale,* and of Lands in *Oxhope, Twate, Angram, Keylde,* and *Birkedale* (York), late of the *Monastery of Ryevalles* (York), Farm of the Manor of *Broughton Magna with Broughton Parva,* and of Lands in *Kirkebye, Yarome, Carleton, Newton, Pynchethorpp, Fawcebye, Redcarre,* and *Thormabye* (York), late of the *Monastery of Ryvalles* (York), Memoranda (5); Woods pertaining to Farms mentioned in the five foregoing Membranes (1); Farm of the Scite and Demesnes of the late *Monastery of Shapp* (Westmoreland), Memoranda, Summary and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (5)—13 Membranes.

WHARTON, Sir THOMAS, Knight, LORD WHARTON, 20 February, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 4. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Kirkby-Stephen* (Westmoreland), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary near the Walls of York,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farms in *Catterton* (York), late of the *Priory of Helaugh* (York), Farm in *Stanesby* (York), late of the *Monastery of Rievalles* (York), Farm in *Sandewith* (York), late of the *Monastery of Mountgrace* (York), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)

[the pen has been drawn through the *Stanesby* entry]; Farm in the Town of *Edenell* (Cumberland), late of the *Monastery of Holm Coltram* (Cumberland) (1)—4 Membranes.

WHARTON, Sir THOMAS, LORD WHARTON, 5 November, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 5. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Ravenstonedale* (Westmoreland), with its Members and the Rectory there, late of the *Priory of Watton* (York), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (4)—5 Membranes.

WHITE, JOHN. (See WINCHESTER.)

WHITE, JOHN, of Southwike, Southampton, 34 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *Southwike, Burrhunt, Havount, Brokehamton, Portesmouth, Porchester,* and *Wykehame* (Southampton), late of *Hugh Holland,* Memorandum (1); Farms in the parishes of *Southwik, Westburhaunt, Banstede, Widley,* and *Wymerynge* (Southampton), together with the Rectories of *Wymering* and *Wanstede,* with their appurtenances (Southampton), late of the *Priory of Southwike* (Southampton), Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (5)—6 Membranes.

WHITE, ROBERT, [no month], 34 Hen. 8. No request. By Exchange. Lands appointed to the King by the said *Robert White,* viz., Farm of the Manor of *Nuttingburnes,* in the parish of *Kensington,* and Woods, of a capital Messuage called *Westborne,* in the parish of *Paddington,* and of certain Lands in *Chelsay* (Middlesex) (4); (on paper),—in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Overburgate,* with its members (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Beaulue* (Hampshire), and Woods (1); of the Manor of *Houghton* (Hampshire), late of the *Monastery of St. Swithin, Southampton,* and Woods, and of the Manor of *Holburye* (Hampshire), late of the *Monastery of Beawlyew* (Southampton), and Woods (4), (on paper) [there are only the Particulars of the Woods of the last two named Manors]; Summary and Particulars of Exchange (4); (on paper); Farm in the parish of *St. Dunstan in the East, London,* late of the *Crutched Friars near the Tower of London* (1)—15 Membranes.

WHITE, THOMAS, 26 June, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor or Demesne of *Crowdale,* in the parish of *Sowthwaborne* (Hampshire), late of the *Monastery of Crowland* (Lincoln), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Ansty* (Southampton), late of the *Abbey de Bello* (Sussex), Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to the Farms mentioned in the two foregoing Membranes, and to Lands in *Washey* nigh *Warnforde* (Hampshire), late of the *Monastery of Montague* (Somerset) (1); Extract from the Records of the First Fruits Office, touching the Rectory of *Southwarnborough,* and the Temporalities of *Southwarnborow* (Lincoln) (2); (on paper); Particulars of Sale (1) [illegible in parts]—6 Membranes.

WHITEHEAD, THOMAS, 4 May, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite and Possessions of the late *Cell of Wermouth* (Durham), late of the *Monastery of Durham,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Darlyngton* in the *Bishoprick of Durham,* Memorandum (1); Particulars of Sale (1) [imperfect]—5 Membranes.

WHITEHORNE, JOHN, Yeoman, and ALYS SALMON, 25 November, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Hunton* (Southampton), late of the *Countess of Salisbury,* and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

WHORWOD, WILLIAM, 14 March, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Vicarage of *Stokesdon* (Shropshire) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Dodlewike,* together with Lands, Tenements, and Tenths in the parishes of *Stoterton, Hynton, Loughton,* and *Chatton* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury,* the Answer to the Letters of the Commissioners, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—5 Membranes.

WHORWOD, WILLIAM, Attorney General, 11 June, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Alveley* (Shropshire), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury,* and Woods; Farm of the Rectory of *Kynfare* (Stafford), late of the *Monastery of Bordesley* (Worcester), Memorandum (3); Farm of the Manor of *Calmesden* (Gloucester), and of the Rectory of *Gwittingpower* (Gloucester), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Quenyngton* (Gloucester), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memoranda and Particulars of Sale (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Calmesden* entry]; Farm of the Scite of the late *House of the Friars of Thellesford* (Warwick), with Farms in *Wasperton* (Warwick), late of the same House, Memoranda and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectory of *Brome* (Worcester) (1)—8 Membranes.

WHORWOD, WILLIAM, 18 July, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase, with Seal (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Hallingwell,* otherwise *Hawlinge* (Gloucester), with its Members, late of the *Monastery of Winchelcomb* (Gloucester), Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectories of *Halling* and *Gyting Inferior* (Gloucester) (1) [on paper; the pen has been drawn through the *Gyting* entry]; Farms in *Tipton* and *Rowley* (Staffordshire), late of the *Priory of Carthusians near Coventry* (Warwick), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms and Rents in the parishes of *Great Wenlock* and *Marshe* (Shropshire), late of the *Priory of Wenlocke* (Shropshire), Memorandum; Farms in *Tipton,* otherwise *Tippyngton* (Staffordshire), late of the *Priory of Carthusiens, Warwick,* Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (5) [the pen has been drawn through the *Tipton* entry]—12 Membranes.

WIGSTON, WILLIAM, 4 July, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Pynley* (Warwick), with Lands and Tenements in *Pynley,* within the Manor of *Pynley* (Warwick), and in *Clarendon, Shrawley, Hatton,* and *Langley*

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(Warwick), late of the same Priory, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (5) —5 Membranes.

WILBRAGHAM, RICHARD, of the county of *Chester*, 2 July, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase, with Seal (1)—Farm of Tenths in *Acton, Edleston, Henhill, Hurdeleston, Stoke Pole, Burlande, Fadley, Brinley, Choldemanston, Aston,* and *Chorley* (Chester), late of the *Monastery of Cumbermere* (Chester), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2)—3 Membranes.

WILBRAGHAM, RICHARD, 2 July, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase, with Seal attached (1)—Farms in *Nantwich* and *Pole* (Cheshire), late of the *Monastery of Cumbermere* (Cheshire), Memorandum and Woods (4)—5 Membranes.

WILKINSON, JANE, of London, Widow, 7 March, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Kyngesdowne* (Kent), late of the possessions of *Joan late Queen of England,* Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3); Valuation of *Chilton Rectory* (Berkshire) (1); Farms in *Traneholme,* otherwise *Tranehame* (York), late of the *Monastery of Mountgrace* (York), Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3); Farm of the Rectory of *Asshe* (Kent), late of the *Hospital of Saint John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Manor of *Burstall in Plumsted* (Kent), late of the *Cathedral Church of Saint Peter, Westminster,* Memorandum (1)—10 Membranes.

WILKINSON, RICHARD, and THOMAS DRAKES, 29 April, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Rents in *Byngeley* and *Presthorpe* (York), late of the *Monastery of Draxe* (York); Rents in *Fawedre* (York), late of the *Monastery of Rievalles* (York), and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm of the Demesne of *Kildwik* (York), with Lands in *Selisden, Stevynton, Estburne, Glusburne, Fernehill,* and *Sutton* (York), late of the *Priory of Bolton* (York), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (3)—4 Membranes.

WILLIAMS, Sir JOHN, Knight, 4 May, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Monastery of Combehyre* (Wales), Answer to the Warrant of the Commissioners, Summary and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (5); Farm of the Rectory of *Chesterton* (Oxford), late of the *College of Assherudge* (Buckingham), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Maydestone* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Boxley* (Kent), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Stokynchurch* (Oxford), late of the *Cathedral Church of Westminster,* and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Carleton* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of Markbye* (Lincoln), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—15 Membranes.

WILLIAMS, Sir JOHN, [date illegible. Hen. 8?] Sec. 2. Farm of the Tenths of *Witham* and *Boteley,* parcel of the Manor of *Conmore* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Abendon*; Farm of parcel of the Manor of *Weston* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Osney* (Oxford)—1 Membrane.

WILLIAMS, Sir JOHN KNIGHT, and JOHN DOYLYE, 18 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—1 Membrane.

WILLIAMS, JOHN, CHRISTOPHER EDMONDS, and WILLIAM RAYNSFORD, September 16, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Extent or value of the Tenths, or Annual Rents reserved out of the following Lands, viz.:—Farms in *Brill* (Buckingham), late of the *Monastery of Notley* (Buckingham); Farms in the parish of *Cumnor* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abyndon* (Berkshire); Farm of the Manor of *Sulhamsted Abott,* and divers Lands and Tenements there (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (Berkshire); Farm of the Manor of *Greysull* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (Berkshire); Farm of the Manors of *Burfeld* and *Sheffyld,* with their appurtenances (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (Berkshire); Farms in *Wighthame* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abyndon* (Berkshire); Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Weston* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Osney* (Oxford); Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Elsyngspyttell, London;* Farms in *Blechingdon* (Oxford), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England;* Farms in *Blechingdon* (Oxford), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England;* Farms in *Blechingdon* and *in Hampton Geye* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Godestowe* (Oxford); Farms in *Blechingdon* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Osney* (Oxford); Farms in *Benham Ufton* (Berkshire), and in *Sulhamsted Abbott* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (Berkshire); Farm of the Manor of *Chalkford,* and of Lands in *Chalkford* and *Kyngeston* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford); Farm of the Manor of *Ikford,* otherwise called *Great Ikford* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Byshame* (Berkshire); Farms in *Churche Ikford, Little Ikford,* and *Wighthame* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Godstowe* (Oxford); Farm of the Manor of *Ufton* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Redyng* (Berkshire); Farms in *Cumnor* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abyndon* (Berkshire); Farm of the Manor of *Chyllyswell,* and of Lands in the parish of *Cumnor* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abyndon* (Berkshire); Farm of the Rectory of *Tyrfyld* (Buckingham), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford); Farm of the Manor of *Newington* (Oxford), late of the *Priory of Christchurch, Canterbury*; Farms in *Whaddon,* and in *Renton* (Cambridge), late of the *Monastery of Levendon* (Buckingham); Farm of part of the Manor of *Wyfold* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Thame* (Oxford); Farm of the Manor of *Edyngton Graunge* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Thame* (Oxford); Farm of the Grange called *Cowyche* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of*

Bradenstock (Wiltshire); Farm in the parish of *Barton Stacye* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hyde* (Southampton); Farm of the Manor of *Erbar* (Berkshire), late of the *Hospital of St. Nicholas within the City of New Salisbury;* Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Sweye* (Southampton), late of the *Monasteries of Quarre and Romsey, and of Christchurch, Twyneham* (Southampton); Farm of the Manor of *Hydecourt*, in the parish of *Fayreford* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Bradenstoke* (Wiltshire); Farm of the Manor of *Langwia*, in the demesne of *Gresmond*, in the *Marches of Wales*, late of the *Priory of Shene* (Surrey); Farms in *Dodyngton* (Gloucester), late of the *Priory of Bradenstock* (Wiltshire); Farm of the *Chapel of Kyedye* (Carnarvon), late of the *Monastery of Kynnar* (Radnor); Farms in *Holcombe* (Oxford), late of the *Cathedral of Christ* and *St. Mary the Virgin, Oxford;* Farm of the House and Scite of the late *Monastery of Comhire* (Radnor); Farm of *Stokynchurch* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Westminster*, Particulars of Sale (4); Rent in *Madeston* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Boxley* (Kent), and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Walter Hendeley*, 18 September, 37 Henry 8, (1)—6 Membranes.

WILLIAMS, JOHN, [no Christian name] NORTH, and [no Christian name] STRINGER, [no date. Hen. 8?] No request. Rents and Farms in *Ruggebye* (Warwick), and in *Thorpmandevile* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Chacombe* (Northampton) (1)—1 Membrane.

WILLIAMS, ROGER, 12 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Kelven* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of the Holy Cross, Waltham* (Essex), Memorandum, Answer to the Letters of the King's Commissioners, and Woods (2); Farms in *Llanllowell, Llangevy, Lanbadog, Usk*, and *Troistre* (Monmouth), all late of the *Priories of Usk* and *Brecknock* (South Wales), together with the Scite of the same Monasteries; Farms in *Dyvinyok* (South Wales), late of the *Priory of Brecknock* (South Wales); Rent in *Crikereth* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Whitland* (Carmarthen), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4)—7 Membranes.

WILLIAMS, [no name or date. Hen. 8?]. No request. Farms and Rents in *Challey* (Berkshire), parcel of the demesne of *Comnor*, and Farms in *Strode* (Berkshire), parcel of the demesne of *Comnor*, late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale, (rated for John Doylye, 18 July, 36 Henry 8), (2)—2 Membranes.

WILLIAMS, [no name or date. Hen. 8?]. No request. Farm in the parish of *St. Margaret, Westminster* (Middlesex) (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Cosbye*, with Rents in *Somerbye* (Leicester), late of the *Priory of Kyrbye Bellers* (Leicester); Rents in *Shuckborough* (Warwick), late of the *Priory of Coventry;* Farms in *Harleston* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of St. James* (Northampton) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Somerbye* entry]; Farm in the parish of *Dowles* (Worcester and Shropshire); Farm in the parish of *Dunchurch* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Pipewell* (Northampton) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Dunchurch* entry]; Farms and Rents in *Maydeford, Coten, Cheyney, Wappenham, Wedon, Weston, Helmeden, Hynton*, and *Weston* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of the Canons of Asshebye* (Northampton) (1); Farms in *Syresham* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery de Pratis* (Leicester); Farm of the Manor of *Horsepole* (Leicester), with Farms in *Ratbye* (Leicester), late of the *Monastery de Pratis* (Leicester) (2), [the pen has been drawn through the *Horsepole* and *Ratbye* entries]; Farms in *Stuttisbury* (Northampton), with the patronage of the Rectory of *Stuttisbury*, and Rents in the parish of *Hardyngston* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of St. Andrew, Northampton*, Memorandum (2); Farm in *New Alresford* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Southwike* (Southampton); Farms in *Winterborne* (Wiltshire), and in *Barton Stacey* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Southampton); Farm of parcel of the Manor of *Winriche* (no county), late of the *Monastery of Winchecomb* (Gloucester); Farm of the Manor of *Grandon* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Maidenbradley* (Wiltshire) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Alresford, Winterborne*, and *Winriche* entries]; Farm of the Manor of *Gosford* (Oxford), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Quenyngton* (Gloucester), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1) [the pen has been drawn through this entry]; Farms in *Helmeden* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Nuneton* (Warwick) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Chitterne*, and of the *Grange of Cowiche* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Bradenstoke* (Wiltshire); Farm of the Manor of *Northwinterborne* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Ambresbury* (Wiltshire); Farm of the Manor of *Romsey* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Romsey* (Southampton) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Chitterne, Northwinterborne*, and *Romsey* entries]; Farm in the parish of *St. Mary in Old Fish Street. London*, late of the *Monastery of Hallywell* (Middlesex) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Mynchynbarowe* (Somerset), late of the *Priory of Mynchynbarowe* (Somerset), Memorandum (1) [the pen has been drawn through this entry]; Farms in *Quynton*, (Gloucester), and in *Middleton Chenduyt* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Shene* (Surrey); Farm of the Manors of *Wyfold* and *Odyndon* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Thame* (Oxford); Farm of the Manor of *Sesyncott* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Bruern* (Oxford); Farm of the Manors of *Gledley* (Buckingham), and *Shortgrave* (Bedford), and of Lands in *Grymscote* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Dunstaple* (Bedford); Farms in *Helmenden* (Northampton), late of the *Monastery of Bytlesden* (Buckingham), Memorandum (3) [the pen has been drawn through the *Gledley, Shortgrave*, and part of the *Helmenden* entries]; Farms in *Wynge* (Buckingham), late of the *Monastery of Wooburn* (Bedford) (1); Farms in *Stokehamond* (Buckingham), late of the *Monasteries of*

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Myssenden (Buckingham) and *Dunstable* (Bedford) (1) [the pen has been drawn through part of these entries]; Farms in *Iford, Westwod,* and *Rawley* (Somerset and Wiltshire), late of the *Priory of Henton* (Somerset) (1); Farm of the Manors of *Wasing* and *Erbar* (Berkshire), late of the *Hospital of St. Nicholas in the City of New Salisbury,* (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Wasing* entry]; Farm of the Manor of *Swey,* with Lands in *Swey* and *Swartlinge Hide* (Southampton), late of the *Monasteries of Quarre, Romsey,* and *Christchurch, Twyneham* (Southampton) (1); Farms in *Frome-Selwod* and *Marston* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester); Farms in *Hethons* and *Northmarden* (Somerset and Sussex), late of the *Priory of Maydenbradley* (Wiltshire) (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Frome-Selwod* and *Marston* entries]; Farm of the Manor of *Temple Elphand* (Surrey), and of the Manor and Rectory of *Edgware* and *Boyes* (Middlesex), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Edgware* and *Boyes* entry]; Farm of the Manor called *Renters,* in the parish of *Hendon* (Middlesex), late of the *Hospital of St. Bartholomew in Westsmithfield, London* (1); Farm in the parish of *Nethergeting* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery de Bruera* (Oxford), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Newarks Norton* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of St. Peter, Westminster* (1); Farm of the Manor of *Bonyngton* (Kent), parcel of the late Preceptory of *Swynffeld* (Kent), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Rents in *Welborne* (Lincoln), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (1); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Kympton* (Hertford) (1) [on paper]; Fragments on paper (1); Farm within the precincts of the late *Priory of St. Bartholomew in Westsmithfield,* and late of the same *Priory* (1); blank Membrane (1)—34 Membranes.

WILLIAMSON, JOHN, 13 May, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in the Town of *Crosthwayte* (Cumberland), and Farms in *Craven* (York), late of the *Priory of Fountance* (York) (1) —1 Membrane.

WILLOUGHBY, CHRISTOPHER, of Wilton, Wiltshire, [no date. Hen. 8?] Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Fossaunt* (Wiltshire) (1) [on paper]; Valuation of the Rectory of *Babarstocke* (Wiltshire) (1) [on paper]; Farm of a portion of the Tenths of the Manor of *Chesbury,* in the parish of *Chesbury* (Wiltshire), late of the *Priory of St. Dionisius* (Southampton), the Auditor's Certificate (1); Woods of the Manor of *Babarstocke* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Wilton* (Wiltshire) (1); Woods of the Manor of *Fossaunt* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Wilton* (Wiltshire) (1)—6 Membranes.

WILLOUGHBY, CHRISTOPHER, 12 June, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Babbestoke* (Wiltshire) (Monastery not mentioned), Farm of portion of the Tythes of the domains of *Brymkynoll* (county illegible), late of the *Priory of St. Dionisius* (Southampton), Farm of the Manor of *Fossaunt* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Wilton* (Wiltshire), Memorandum, Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—2 Membranes.

WILLOUGHBY, Sir WILLIAM, 7 August, 35 Hen. 8. Request to Exchange (1)—Lands appointed to the King by the said *Sir William Willoughby,* viz., lands not mentioned in the body of the document, but in the Summary they are stated to be the Manor of *Combes* (county not mentioned)—in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Campesse* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Campesse* (Suffolk), and Woods, Answer to the Articles contained in the Letters of the King's Commissioners (3); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (2) [on paper]—6 Membranes.

WINCHECOMBE, JOHN, 12 December, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of (name of place illegible) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Lokynge,* with Lands and Tenements in *Lokynge* and *Ardyngton,* with portions of Tythes in *Lokynge, Beterton,* and *Wantage* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire), and Woods, Farm of Lands and tenements in *Gyng,* with portions of Tythes in *Gyng* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire) (4) [partially defaced]—6 Membranes, in bad condition.

WINCHESTER, COLLEGE of, 28 April, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. By Exchange. Lands appointed to the King by the said College, viz., Farm of the Manors of *Shawe* and *Colthorp* (Berkshire) (2) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Harmondesworth* with its members [no county mentioned], Memorandum, Farm of the Rectories of *Heston* and *Hampton-upon-Thames,* and *Isleworth* (no county mentioned), Memoranda (6) [on paper]; Woods pertaining to the Farms above-mentioned (7) [on paper]; Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) [on paper]—17 Membranes.

WINCHESTER, COLLEGE of, 20 June, 35 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Requets to Exchange (1)—The following lands are mentioned, but the Particulars of the Exchange are not stated—Farm of the Manor of *Moundesmere* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Southwike* (Southampton), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectories of *Portesey* and *Portesmouth,* with the Manor of *Stubbington* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Southwike* (Southampton), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Scite and Precincts of the late *Abbey of Hyde* (Southampton), Memorandum, Farm of the Manor of *Woodmancote* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hyde* (Southampton), Farm of the Manor of *Pydeltrenthide* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Hyde* (Southampton), Memorandum (2) [the pen has been drawn through the first entry on these two Membranes]; Farm in the parish of *St. Michael near Winchester,* late of the *Monastery of St. Mary, Winchester* (Southampton) (1); Farm in the parish of *Chalk* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Quarre* (Southampton), Farm of the Manor of *Endeford,* with the Rectory of *Endeford* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of St. Swithum* (Southampton), Memorandum (2);

Farm of the Manor of *Sydlyng*, with its members, and of the Rectory of *Sydlyng* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Milton* (Dorset), Farm of the Manor of *Catstoke* (no county stated), late of the *Monastery of Milton* (Dorsetshire), Memorandum (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Catstoke* entry]; Farm of the Scites and Precincts of the late *Houses of the Friars Preachers, Friars Minors, Friars Carmelites,* and *Friars Augustine, Winchester,* the Auditor's Certificate (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Milborne Porte* (Dorset), late of the *Monastery of Cirencester* (Gloucester), Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to Farms mentioned in the foregoing Membranes (6) [on paper]—18 Membranes.

WINDSOR, LORD, [month illegible,] 33 Hen. 8. No request. By Exchange. Lands appointed to the King by the said *Lord Windsor,* viz., Farm of the Manor of *Stanewell* (Middlesex), late of the *Lord Windsor,* and Woods, Farm of Lands in *Eggam* (Surrey), and *Werardisbury* (Buckingham), parcel of the late *Monastery of Ankerwyck* (Buckingham), late of the *Lord Windsor* (3); in exchange for, viz., Farm in *Westminster* (Middlesex), late of the *Monastery of St. Peter, Westminster* (1); Farm of the Manor of *Minchinhampton* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Syon* (Middlesex) (2); Farm of the Scite of the *Hospital of St. Bartholomew,* in the parish of *Rye* (Sussex), with its appurtenances, and of the Manor of *Hedley* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of St. Peter, Westminster* (Middlesex) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Combe* (Sussex), late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford), Memorandum (2) [this entry is gall-stained, and the pen has been drawn through it]; Farm of the Manor of *Cramfford* (Middlesex), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (2); Farm of the Manor of *Hartmere,* late of the *Monastery of Newark* (Surrey) (1); Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Stokepogeis* (Buckingham), and of other Lands in *Buckingham,* late of the *Monastery of St. Mary Overey* (Surrey) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Stokepogeis* entry]; Farm of the Demesne of *Tardebyge* (Worcester), late of the *Monastery of Bordesley* (Worcester), Memorandum (3) [slightly gall-stained]; Valuation of the Rectories of *Hampton* and *Avenyng* (Gloucester), and of a Chantry in *Hampton* (Gloucester) (1) [on paper]; Fragment [on paper] (1); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (2) [on paper]—20 Membranes.

WINGFELDE, ROBERT, 13 June, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Upton, Aylesworth, Ufforde,* and *Etton* (Northampton), late of the *Priory of Stamford* (Northampton), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—4 Membranes.

WINGFELD, THOMAS, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manor of *Hedgessett* (Suffolk), late of the *Abbey of Bury* (Suffolk), Farm of the Manor of *Culpho* (Suffolk), late of the *Abbey of Leyston* (Suffolk), Particulars of Sale (1) [defaced in parts]—1 Membrane.

WINTER, JOHN, 1 September, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Wyke Resingdon* (Gloucester) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Wike,* within the parish of *Abston* (Gloucester), late of the *Bishoprick of Bath and Wells,* Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—4 Membranes.

WISEMAN, JOHN, 24 February, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in *Takeley* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Tytley* (Essex); Farms in the parishes of *St. Laurence* and *Assheldhame* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Beileigh* (Essex), Memorandum; Farm of the Manor of *Sabarhalle* (Essex), and of the Manor of *Burses* (Essex), late of the *Hospital of St. Mary without Bishopsgate, London,* Answer to the Letters of the King's Commissioners, and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Burses* entry]—3 Membranes.

WYTHIPOLLE, PAUL and EDMUND, 27 May, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Highalle* (Essex), late of the *Duke of Somerset,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Walcumstowe* (Essex), late of the *Priory of Christchurch, London,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Marke* (Essex), together with a Farm in the parish of *St. John, Walbrook, London,* both late of the *Priory of St. Helen, London,* Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—7 Membranes.

WITHIPOLLE, PAUL, STEPHEN EIRETON, THOMAS OFFELEY, JOHN SCUTT, RICHARD BUKELAND, ROBERT WILFORD, ROBERT MELYSHE, NICHOLAS WILFORD, RICHARD HOLTE, JOHN CANON, JOHN MILLER, RALPH DAVENELL, HENRY POLSTED, THOMAS BROOKE, HENRY SUKKELEY, RICHARD WADYNGTON, NICHOLAS COFFYN, RALPH FOXEBY, JOHN JAKES, WILLIAM WILFORD the younger, ROBERT HERDES, JOHN JENKYNS, HENRY COOKE, ROBERT DAWBENY, WILLIAM WOLBARDE, WILLIAM HARPER, JOHN FARTHYNG, JOHN MALTE, HENRY BRAYNE, JOHN FOLTBOD?, THOMAS REE, RICHARD MAYE, and RICHARD BATTELL, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Rysingdon Parva* (Gloucester), late of *Thomas Duke of Suffolk,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Wydford* (Gloucester), late of *Thomas Duke of Suffolk,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Castelton* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Launde* (Leicester), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Fulbroke* (Oxford), late of *Lord Cobham,* in the King's hands by exchange, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Oxenhale* (Gloucester), late of the *Earl of Northumberland,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Heyley* (Wiltshire), late of *Sir Thomas Pope, Knight,* Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Netherholme* (Worcester), late of *Sir Thomas Pope, Knight,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2); Farm of the Manor of *Coterige,* otherwise *Cowterige* (Worcester), and of a moiety of the Manor of *Richeforde* (Hereford), late of *Sir Thomas Pope, Knight,* Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Oclegraunson* (Gloucester), late of the *Earl of Northumberland,* and Woods (3)—19 Membranes.

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WODEHALL, FULCON, 7 March, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Molyngton* (Warwick), late of the *Monastery of Kenilworth* (Warwick), Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3)—3 Membranes.

WOLF, MORGAN, 1 March, 32 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Memoranda certifying that Morgan Wolf had paid the King for the Manors of *Beringers* (no county named), *Little Ilford* (no county named; Essex?), and *Rayhouse* (no county named) (3) [on paper]—3 Membranes.

WOLFE, MORGAN, 14 March, 33 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. Rents in the parish of the *Blessed Virgin Mary of Aburgeveny* (Monmouth), late of the *Priory of Aburgeveny* (Monmouth) (1); Parcel of the Manor of *Lacton* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Stratford Langethorne* (Essex); Farm in *Uppehall* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Barking* (Essex); Farms in the parish of *Lacton* (Essex), late of the *Priory of Halliwell* (Middlesex) (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Matthew in Westcheap, London*, late of the *Priory of St. Ellen, London* (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (2) [on paper]—5 Membranes.

WOLF, MORGAN, THOMAS CALTON, NICHOLAS ALWYN, ROGER HORTON, ROBERT SPENDELEY, JOHN HALLE, ROBERT ASHURSTE, ROBERT HARTOPPE, WALTER LAMBERT, NICHOLAS BULL, RAUF LATHOM, JOHN LANGELEY, THOMAS CURTES, THOMAS CLEYTON, and ROBERT TRAPPES, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manors of *Bolton upon Derne* and *Mekisburgh* (York), and of all the Lands and Tenements in *Bolton upon Derne* and *Mekisburgh*, late of the *Monastery of Monkebretton* (York); Farm of the Rectory of *Bolton upon Derne* (York), late of the *Monastery of Monkebretton* (York), and Woods; Farm of the Manor of *Arnolde* (York), with its members, late of the *Monastery of Melsa*, otherwise *Meux* (York), and of all Lands and Tenements in *Arnold, Rowton, Horneseyburton*, and *Benyngholme* (York), late of the same *Monastery*, and Woods (3); Farm in *Eston* (York), late of the *Monastery of Gisburne* (York), Memorandum and Woods (2)—6 Membranes.

WOLFE, [no name or date. Hen. 8?]. No request. Farm in the parish of *All Saints, Brode Street, London*, late of the *Charter House near the City of London;* Farm in the parish of *St. Peter in Wood Street, London*, late of the *New Hospital of St. Mary without Bishopsgate*, (Middlesex) (1)—1 Membrane.

WOLLASCOTT, WILLIAM, 24 Feb., 35 Hen. 8. Request to exchange (1)—Lands appointed to the King by the said *Wollascott*, the following Farms, viz., Farm in the Manor of *Dalehalle*, in the parish of *Lawford* (Essex), Memorandum and Woods (2)—in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Shalford*, in the parish of *Brympton* (Berkshire), Rents in *Padworth* and *Uffton* (Berkshire), Farm of the Manor of *Wolhampton, Miggeham*, and *Thatcham* (Berkshire), all late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Brympton* (Berkshire) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Wolhampton* (Berkshire) (1)—8 Membranes.

WOOD, EDMUND, 4 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Ayleshame* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmund* (Suffolk), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale and Woods (3); Farms in the parishes of *Chelmesford* and *Baddowe* (Essex), late of *Sir Thomas Moore*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2)—6 Membranes.

WOODHOUSE, THOMAS, of *Waxham* (Norfolk), 24 May, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manors of *Bromeholme, Barketon, Witton, Northwalsehame*, and *Knapton*, and of the Rectories of *Casewyke, Backeton*, and *Paston* (Norfolk), all late of the *Monastery of Bromeholme* (Norfolk), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Rowdeham*, with the Rectory of *Rowdeham* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Westacre* (Norfolk), Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—7 Membranes.

WORCESTER, DEAN and CHAPTER of, 20 November, 38 Hen. 8. Request to exchange (1) [much gall-stained]—Valuation of the Rectory of *Hagworthingham* (Lincoln) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Donyngton super Bayne* (Lincoln) (1); Valuation of the Rectories of *Thorneton* (York) and *Mydleton* (Lancaster) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Wharton* (York) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Wymbylton* (York) with the Chapel annexed (1); Farm of the Manor of *Icome* (Worcester) with the Rectories of *Lenchewiche* and *Norton* (Worcester), late of the *Cathedral Church of Worcester* (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Kemsey* (Worcester), late of *Sir Ralph Sadleyr, Knight* (1); Valuation of the Parsonage of *Dean* (Bedford), Valuation of the Old Rectory of *Radnor* (Hereford) (1); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (3)—12 Membranes.

WORSLEY, RAWFF, 12 February, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to purchase (1)—Farms and Rents in *Bydeston* and *Kyrkebye Walley* (Chester), late of the *Priory of Birkenhead*, (Chester), together with the Manor of *Claughton* (Chester), late of the same *Priory*, Memorandum, Woods, and Particulars of Sale (3) [1 Membrane defective and gall-stained]—4 Membranes.

WORSLEY, RALPH, 16 October, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farm in the parish of *St. Mildred, London*, late of *Sir Humphry Savage, Knight*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—2 Membranes.

WOTTON, WILLIAM and JOHN, 2 September, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Engleborne* (Devon), late of the *Monastery of Buckefast* (Devon), Memorandum and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

WRIGHT, EDMUND, 6 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite and Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Grandemonte*, otherwise *Gromonte* (York) (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—3 Membranes.

WRIGHT, GEORGE and EDMUND, 5 February, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Westerdale* (York), parcel of the late Commaundry of the *Holy Trinity of Berverley* (York), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum, Summary, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (4); Farms in *Carstroppe, Maunton*, and *Burton Stather* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Thorneholme* (Lincoln), Farm in *Maunton* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Goykewell* (Lincoln), Farm in *Hertysholme* (Lincoln), late of the *Monastery of Bardeney* (Lincoln), Memorandum and Woods (2); Farms in *Westerdale* (York), late of the *Monastery of Rivaux* (York), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods, also Woods to Farms in *Baynton* (York), late of the *Priory of Helaugh* (York) (2)—9 Membranes.

WRIOTHESLEY, Sir THOMAS, LORD WRIOTHESLEY, LORD CHANCELLOR of ENGLAND, and Sir RICHARD SOUTHWELL, Knight, 15 January, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Westefeld* (Norfolk), late of the *Charter House near London*, Memorandum (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Westfelde* (Norfolk) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Popenhoo* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of Ramesey* (Huntingdon), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—5 Membranes.

WRIOTHESLEY, Sir THOMAS, LORD CHANCELLOR of ENGLAND, 4 September, 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. Request to exchange (1)—Lands appointed by the King to the Lord Chancellor, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Northstonhame*, with its appurtenances (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hide, near the City of Winchester*, Memorandum, Summary and Particulars of Exchange, and Woods (3) Valuation of the Rectory of *Northstonhame* (Southampton) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Saint Andrew in Holborn, London*, and of the Rectory of *Saint Peter in Cheap, London* (1) [on paper]; Valuation of the Chapel of *Whipstrode* [no county mentioned] (1) [the Particulars of the lands appointed by the Lord Chancellor to the King's Majesty are wanting, but they are mentioned in the Summary]—7 Membranes.

WRIOTHESLEY, Sir THOMAS, Knight, LORD CHANCELLOR of ENGLAND, (no month,) 37 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. No request. By exchange. Lands appointed by Sir Thomas Wriothesley, Knight, to the King, viz., Farm of the Rectories of *Tythefelde, Bursley, Sherlyng in Bursley* (Southampton), and *Southmyms* (Middlesex) (2); Farm of the Prebend of *Massham*, within the *Metropolitan Church of York*, Farm of the Rectory of *Shitlington* (Bedford), Farm of the Rectory of *Bowden Magna* (Leicester), Farm of the Rectory and Vicarage of *Myvod* (Asaph), Farm of the Rectory and Vicarage of *Pole* (Asaph), Farm of the Rectory and Vicarage of *Gyllesfeld* (Asaph) (1)—in exchange for, viz., Farm of the Manors of *Dytton, Sifflington*, and *Brampton* (Kent), late of *John Leigh*, Memorandum, Farm of the Manors of *Lynkynholte* (Southampton), and *Lytleton* (Southampton), late of the *Cathedral Church of the Holy Trinity* (Gloucester), and of an Annual Rent paid by the Lord Sands for the Fee-farm of the Manor of *Wallop*, (Southampton,) Memorandum (2); Farms in *Rowner, Crofton*, and *Fareham* (no counties or late possessor mentioned), Farm of the Manor of *Broughton* (Southampton), late of the *Hospital of St. Nicholas in Portesmouth* (Southampton), Farm of the Demesne and Manor of *Pewsey* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Southampton), Farm of the Manor of *Wallop* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Ambresbury* (Wiltshire), Farm of the Manor of *Charleton* (Wiltshire), late of the *Monastery of Malmesbury* (Wiltshire) (3); Farm of the Manor of *Faryngdon* (Southampton), late of the *Bishoprick of Exeter* (1); Farm of the Manors of *Westmeon* and *Haddyngton* (Southampton), late of the *Cathedral Church of the Holy Trinity, Winchester*, Farm of the Manor of *Westburnhaunt*, with the Rectory there (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Southwyke* (Southampton) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Leyton* (Essex), late of the *Priory of Stratforde Langethorne* (Essex), Farm of the Demesne Lands of the late *Priory of Halliwell* (Middlesex), Farms in the parish of *St. Giles in the Fields* (Middlesex), late of the *Charter House near the City of London*, Memorandum (3); Farm of the Manor of *Olveston* (Warwick), late of the *Cathedral Church of Coventry*, Memorandum (2); Farms in the town of *Iseldon* (Middlesex), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1) [the entries on this Membrane are not mentioned in the Particulars of Exchange]; Ecclesiastical Letters (3); Summary and Particulars of Exchange (2)—20 Membranes.

WRIOTHESLEY, Sir THOMAS, 10 June, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 3. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectories of *Great Oxenden, Farnedon*, and *Arthingworth* (Northampton) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Lytlewytnan* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manors of *Milton* and *Sutton* (Berkshire), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Thomas Calton*, of London, Goldsmith, 20 November, 37 Hen. 8.) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Southwik* (Southampton), with all its appurtenances, together with a capital Messuage called *Moralles* in *Porchester* (Southampton), and the Rectory of *Porchester*, late of the *Priory of Southwyk* (Southampton), Farm of the Rectory of *Southwyke* (Southampton), late of the *Priory of Southwyke* (Southampton), Memorandum (5); Farms in *Hordell* (Southampton), late of the *Priory of Bremmer* (Southampton), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Bralbrigye* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. Catherine* (Lincoln), Memorandum (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Bracebrygge* (Lincoln), late of the *Priory of St. Katherine near the walls of Lincoln*, Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor or

Prebend called the *Golden Prebend* (Dorset), late of the *Cathedral Church of Salisbury* (Wiltshire) (4); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—18 Membranes.

WRIOTHESLEY, Sir THOMAS, LORD CHANCELLOR of ENGLAND, 7 September, 38 Hen. 8. Sec. 4. No request. Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of a Close of Land called *Westsetley*, in the parish of *Brokenest* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Letley* (Southampton), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved as well out of the Rectory of *Beaulue*, and the Grange of *Upton* (Southampton), as out of *Ippely*, and Lands of *Aven* and *Bleishford* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Beauley* (Southampton), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Scite of the Rectory of *Micheldever*, and also out of the Grange of *Poppeham* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Southampton), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Beaulue* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Beaulue* (Southampton), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the late *Abbey* and Manor of *Tychefelde*, and out of divers Lands and Tenements in *Southampton*, late of the *Monastery of Tychefeld* (Southampton), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Manor of *Broughton* (Southampton, late of the *Hospital of St. Nicholas of Portesmouth*, Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of divers Manors, Lands, and Tenements, in *Winchester*, late of the *College of St. Elizabeth near the City of Winchester*, Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Manors of *Westmeon*, *Hallepark*, and *Pryvate* (Southampton), late of the *Cathedral of the Holy Trinity, Winchester* (1); Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Manor of *Wallop* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Ambresbury* (Wiltshire), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Free Chapel of *Whipestrode* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Ambresbury* (Wiltshire), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Manor and Hundred of *Micheldever* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Southampton), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Manor of *Northstoneham* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Southampton), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Manor of *Estratton* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Southampton), Farm of several Rents reserved out of the Manor of *Worthie Abbott* (Southampton), late of the *Monastery of Hide* (Southampton), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Manor of *Bekington* (Somerset), late of the *Monastery of Maidenbradley* (Wiltshire), Farm of an Annual Rent reserved out of the Manor of *Farringdon* (Southampton), late of the *Bishoprick of Exeter* (1); Farm of the Annual Tenths reserved out of the Manors of *Dytton*, *Shyfflington*, and *Brampton* (Kent) [late possessor not named] (1); Farm of Annual Rents in the parish of *St. Pancras* (Middlesex), late of the *Monastery of Waltham Holy Cross* (Middlesex) (1); Woods pertaining to the Manor of *St. Leonard's*, to Farms called *Beckelodging*, *Boverey*, *Bergery*, to the Park of *Througham*, to a Farm called *Gynnes*, to the Manor of *Southlee*, to Farms called *Kyppenges*, *Saltornehill*, *Disshern*, and *Looders*, *Newelands*, *Clobbe*, (no counties named), late of *Sir Richard Riche, Knight, Lord Chancellor* (4) [on paper and imperfect], Summary and Particulars of Sale (2)—10 Membranes.

WROTHE, JOHN, 6 August, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farms in the parishes of *St. Leonard Eastcheap*, *St. Andrew Eastcheap*, *St. Martin Owtewiche*, and *St. Sepulchre without Newgate, London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Bartholomew in Westsmithfield, London*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

WROTHE, JOHN, 12 September, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1)—Farms within the Manor and parish of *Tewksbury* (Gloucester), parcel of the King's Lands called *Warwickslands*, the Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2); Farms in the borough of *Tewkisbury* (Gloucester), parcel of the Manor of *Northey* (Gloucester), parcel of the King's Lands called *Warwickslands*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods, (2); Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory of Friars Minors, in New Salisbury* (Wiltshire), the Auditor's Certificate, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm in the parish of *St. Olave, in the Old Jewry, London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Bartholomew, in West Smithfield, London*, Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of the *Holy Sepulchre, London*, late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of the *Holy Sepulchre without Newgate, London*, late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farms in the parish of *St. Sepulchre without Newgate, London*, late of the *Monastery of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum (2); Farms in *Enfeld* (Middlesex), late of the *Priory of Halliwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Endfeld* (Middlesex), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Memorandum (1); Rents in *Welmyngton* (Kent), and in *Broxley* and *Crayford* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Derteforde* (Kent), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm in the parish of *St. Peter Poor* [no county mentioned. London?], late of the *Monastery of St. Alban* (Hertford), Memorandum (1)—17 Membranes.

WROTH? [name and date illegible]. Hen. 8? No request. Farm of the Manor called *Reymondhall*, with its appurtenances (Hertford), late of the *Hospital of St. Mary without Bishopgate, London*; Farm in [illegible], late of the *Monastery of Thorney* (Cambridge); Farms in [illegible], late of the *Monastery of Minorisses without Aldgate, London*, Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

WYATT, Sir THOMAS, Knight, [no month.] 32 Hen. 8. No request. By Exchange. Lands appointed to the King by *Sir Thomas Wyatt*, viz., Farm of the Manor of *Warehorn* (Kent) and Woods; Farm of the Manor of *Blakmanston* (Kent); Farm of the Manor of *Snave* (Kent) and Woods; Farm of the Manor of *Otterpole*, and Woods (no county mentioned); Farm of the Manor of *Kryiallys* (no county mentioned); Farm of the Manor of

Swanton Courte (nō county mentioned, Norfolk?) and Woods; Farm of the Manor of *Frogynhale Valens* (no county mentioned) and Woods; Farm in the parish of *Reynham* (no county mentioned, Essex?); Farm of the Manor of *Twedale*, and other Messuages, Lands, and Tenements, in the parishes of *Gillingham* (no county mentioned), *Cheteham*, (no county mentioned, Lancaster?) and *Remeham* (no county mentioned), and Woods; Farm of divers Lands and Tenements in the parish of *Wytresham* (Kent), late of *Walter Hendle*, gentleman [on paper]—in exchange for, Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Montacute* (Somerset), with its possessions; Farm of the late *Priory of Henton* (Somerset), with its possessions; Farm of the late *Monastery of Tarraunte* (Somerset), with its possessions; Farm of the Scite of the late *Priory or House of White Friars of Aylesford* (Kent) (2); Farm in *Cranbroke* (Kent), late of the *Earl of Essex* (2) [on paper]; Farm of *Newington Marsh* otherwise *Slayekill*, in the parishes of *Halstowe* and *Uppechirche* (no county mentioned, Kent?), late of the *Monastery of St. Mary Graces, near the Tower of London* (1) [on paper]; Farm of the Manor of *Meytham* (Kent), late of *Sir Nicholas Carewe, Knight* (2) [on paper]; Woods pertaining to the Scite of the late *Monastery of Montacute* (Somerset); to the Manor of *Hampton*, with the Farms of *Pymbury*, *Lessemere*, and *Avenning* (Gloucester), late of the *Monastery of Syon* (Middlesex); to the Manor of *Mote* in *Cranford* (no county mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Thame* (Oxford); to certain Lands in *Staunwell* (no county mentioned, Middlesex?) late of the *Priory of Kylburne* (Middlesex); to the Manor of *Craneforde* (no county mentioned), late of the *Priory of St. John of Jerusalem in England* (2) [on paper; these are fragments]; Summary and Particulars of Exchange (1)—23 Membranes.

WYBARN, WILLIAM, and JOHN, of Begham, Sussex, 20 November, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Vicarage of *Pepingbery* (Kent) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Pepingburie magna* and *Pepingburye parva* (Kent), late of the *Earl of Essex*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) [one membrane is slightly defective, and the pen has been drawn through part of it]; Farm of the Rectory and Demesnes of *Pepingburie magna* (Kent), late of *Cardinal Wulcey*, Memorandum (1); Farm of the Manor of *Tyllyngdown* (Surrey), late of *Edward Duke of Buckingham*, Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm in the parish of *St. Sepulchre without Newgate, London*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1); Farm in the Borough of *Denbigh*, late of *Jenner ap Tuddur*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—10 Membranes.

WYLBARD, JOHN, 30 May, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in *Trinitemershe* (county not mentioned), late of the *Monastery of Stratford Langthorne* (Essex); Farms in the parish of *St. Mary Matfelon without Aldgate, London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Mary without Bishopsgate, London*, Particulars of Sale (1)—1 Membrane.

WYLCOCKS, HENRY, WILLIAM BURNYNGHILL, and JOHN BROOKE, 1 March, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Manors of *Est Newhall* and *Le Ray*, in the parish of *Ramsey* (Essex), Memorandum and Woods (now in the tenure of the said *Henry Wylcocks, William Burnynghill, and John Brooke* (2)—2 Membranes.

WYLDE, JOHN, and STEPHEN MOTTE, 24 October, 36 Hen 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Demesne or Manor of *Lydencourte* otherwise *Lyecourte* (Kent), late of the *Priory of Christchurch, Canterbury*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm near *Baynard's Castle, London*, late of the *Monastery of Woburn* (Bedfordshire), Memorandum (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Mary Wolchurch, in the Ward of Bread Street, London*, late of the *Monastery of St. Augustine, Canterbury*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—3 Membranes.

WYLFORDE, WILLIAM, the Elder, JOHN BENETT, GEORGE BRYKS, RICHARD POLYN, WILLIAM BARLOWE, WALTER YONG, EMANUELL LUCAR, WILLIAM JAMES, WILLIAM RYDGELEY, NICHOLAS WOOLBARDE, WILLIAM SADOCK, THOMAS RYCHARDES, THOMAS WALKER, THOMAS KYNG, REYNOLDE CONGRAVE, JOHN WHYTPAYNE, RICHARD TONG, JOHN ARMYN, FRAUNCIS POPE, HENRY CLYDEROWE, ROBERT BROKE, JOHN DOCKYTT, JOHN HOSKYNS, ROBERT HOLSON, JOHN MORFYN, SYMON LOWE, GEORGE HETON, WILLIAM CAMPION, EDWARD LEE, JOHN WYTHERS, THOMAS EMERY, THOMAS CROSBY, JOHN TRAVES, THOMAS DALE, STEPHEN MASON, DAVID GYTTONS, RICHARD EDDS, JOHN HETHE, THOMAS LOWE, JOHN STYCKLEY, 28 December, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manors of *Offame, Snodbeame*, and *Pypyngstrawe* (Kent), late of *John Leigh, Esquire*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Caldhame* (Kent), late of *Sir Anthony Hamer, Knight*, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2); Farm of *Comnor Woods* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Abendon* (Berkshire) (1)—6 Membranes.

WYNDEHAM, Sir EDMUND, Knight, and GILES SEFOWL, Esquire, 9 August, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Scite, Lands, and Possessions of the late *Monastery of Beeston* (Norfolk), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

WYNTHORPE, ADAM, 24 May, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Groton* (Suffolk), late of the *Monastery of Bury St. Edmund's* (Suffolk), Particulars of Sale and Woods (3); Valuation of the Rectory of *Groton* (Suffolk) (1)—5 Membranes.

Appendix II.

2. Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.

ALDERMEN'S BUNDLE.

ALEYN, Sir JOHN and Sir JOHN CHAMPENEYS, Knights, and RAUF ALEN; Aldermen, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of certain Lands in the parishes of *Hendon* and *Finchley* (Middlesex), and of the Manor of *Baldoke* (Hertfordshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farms in the parishes of *Wryteshame* (Kent), and *St. Andrew in Holborn* (London), late of *Sir Thomas Wyatt, Knight*, and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through part of the first of these Membranes]; Farm of the Rectory of *Northlee* (Oxford), late of the *Monastery of Hayles* (Gloucester), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Wapping* (London), late of the *College of Acon* (London), and Woods (2)—9 Membranes.

BLANKE, THOMAS, Thomas Huntelowe, Stephen Cobbe, William Hobson, John Sympson, Richard Crimes, Antony Marler, Thomas Marberye, William Garrarde, William Taylor, Henry Becher, William Bower, Thomas Wilkes, Nicholas Spakeman, Bathne Averell, Richard Aleyn, Richard Bukland, David Wodrof, and John Usshe, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—1 Membrane.

BUTLER, WILLIAM, William Merye, Ambrose Wolley, Thomas Lodye, John Dawes, Thomas Anslow, William Beckyngham, William Reste, James A. Potte, John Lane, William Toker, John Core, Henry Barnes, John Lyon, Ed * * Morton, Thomas Bowyer, William Rawlyngs, Willus Mathewe, William Bodnam, Phillip Yorke, Thomas Asshe, John Pryeste, Thomas Constable, William Lane, John White, Michel Foxe, Henry Mylls, and Anthony Totehill, Grocers; Sir William Danham, Knight, and Robert Downes, Ironmongers; Nicholas Barker and John Rychemond, Armerars, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1) [much gall-stained and illegible in parts]—1 Membrane.

CHESEYE, ROBERT, Christopher Aleyn, William Broune, Humphrey Pakington, Thomas Lee, Roger Starkey, Roland Shakesley, Barthne Barnes, John Maynarde, Vincent Randall, John Broune, John Hare, George Ellyott, William Lambt, Robert Meredith, Robert Longe, William Robyns, John Garaway, John Blundell, and Thomas Burnell, Mercers, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manors of *Sutton, Thuscropp*, and *Beisbye* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Abbey of Hagnabye* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3); Farm of the Grange of *Howton*, with the *Rectories of Harmiston* and *Newton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of St. Katherine, near Lincoln*, and Woods (3); Farm of the Manors in *Abbes Rothinge* and *Ledinge Rothinge* (Essex), late of the *Monastery of Barking* (Essex), and Woods (2)—9 Membranes.

DORMER, MICHAEL, Knight, Andrew Judde, Thomas Lewen, Henry Amcottes, John Wilford, and George Barnes, Aldermen, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase, with three Seals (1)—Farm of the Manor of Barkesden (Hertfordshire), late of *Sir Thomas Seymour, Knight*, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Langnoke*, and of the *Rectory of Weston* (Hertfordshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, and Woods (2)—5 Membranes.

FOREMAN, Sir WILLIAM, Sir William Roche, and Sir John Cotes, Knights, and William Ferneley, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Tullesworthe* (Surrey), late of the *Priory of Marton* (Surrey), Memorandum, and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Paddington* (Surrey) (late possessor not mentioned) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Westlond* (Surrey) (late possessor not mentioned) (2); Woods pertaining to the three foregoing Membranes (1); Farms in the parish of *Postelinge* (Kent), late of Sir Thomas Poynyngs, Knight, in the King's hands by exchange, and Woods (2); Farm of a Mansion called the *Spittel* (Surrey), late of the *Priory of Merton* (Surrey) (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—11 Membranes.

GOODYNG, WILLIAM, otherwise GOODWYN, 29 September, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Puryton* (Somerset), late of *Henry Marquis of Exeter*, Answer to the Articles contained in the Letters of the King's Commissioners (1); Farm of the Manor of *Sabrychesworthe*, otherwise called *Sabrythforde*, otherwise *Sabrysford*, otherwise *Sabbesford*, otherwise *Sabrysforth* (Hertfordshire), late of the *Monastery of Reading* (Berkshire), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Cholsey* (Berkshire), late of the *Monastery of Reading* (Berkshire), the Auditor's Certificate (1); Farms within the Hamlet of *Lottesham* (Somersetshire), late of the *Monastery of Glastonbury* (Somersetshire), the Auditor's Certificate (2); Woods pertaining to the farms mentioned in the last five foregoing membranes (1); Farms in the parishes of *Cherryng* and *Borefeld* (Kent), *Priory of Leeds* (Kent), and also the Farm of a Mill in the Town of *Leeds* (Kent), late of the same *Priory*, Memorandum, and Woods (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Cherryng* and *Borefeld* entries]; Rent in the parish of *St. Dennis Backchurch, London*, late of the *Priory of Chrischurch, London*, Memorandum (1); Farms within the Close of the late *Priory of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum (2); Farms in the parish of *Harnehill* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Faversham* (Kent), Memorandum, and Woods; also Woods of the Parsonage of *Stoke* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Boxley* (Kent) (2); Farm within the precincts of the late *Priory of Clerkenwell* (Middlesex), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2); Rents in the parish of *St. Botolph, Norwich*, late of the *Priory of Horsham St. Faith, Norwich*, Particulars of Sale (rated for *Nicholas Mynne*, 16 September, 36 Hen. 8) (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Bartholomew, London*, late of *Thomas Crumwell Earl of Essex*, Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (rated for *Walter Ferre*, 26 September, 36 Hen. 8) (1); Farms within the precincts of the late

Priory of Clerkenwell (Middlesex), Memorandum (1); Valuation of the *Chapel of St. Katherine in Frome* (Somersetshire) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Allerpeverell* (Devonshire), late of *Henry Duke of Richmond and Somerset*, the Auditor's Certificate, and Woods, Summary and Particulars of Sale (2); Farm of the Manor of *Estlencham* (Kent), and of Lands and Tenements in *Marden* and *Staplehurst* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Boxley* (Kent), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (2) [the pen has been drawn through the *Marden* and *Staplehurst* entries]; Farms in *Graveney* (Kent), and in *Faversham, Oare,* and *Luddenham* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Faversham* (Kent), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (rated for *William Payne,* 27 August, 36 Hen. 8), and Woods (2); Farms in *Estbermelyng* and *Estfarlegh* (Kent), late of the *Prioress of St. Helen* (London), and in *Oldrumeney* and *Farlegh* (Kent) (late possessor not mentioned) (1); Farm of the Rectory of *Stoke* (Kent), late of the *Monastery of Boxley* (Kent), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (rated for * * * *Marshe,* Mercer, of the City of London, [no day] September, 36 Hen. 8) (1); Valuation of the Vicarage of *Stoke* (Kent) (1); Farm in the parish of *St. Giles without Cripplegate* (London), late of the *Priory of Christchurch* (London), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (rated for *George Mylles,* 30 August, 36 Hen. 8) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Townelande* (Kent), late of the *Earl of Essex,* Memorandum, Particulars of Exchange (rated for *William Austen,* of London, Clothworker, 3 October, 36 Hen. 8), and Woods (2)—32 Membranes.

Gostwick, Robert, 14 July, 36 Hen. 8. No request. Farm of the Scite of the late *Monastery of Wardon,* with its demesnes (Bedfordshire), Memorandum (1)—1 Membrane.

Hales, Sir Christopher, 16 June, 32 Hen. 8. No request. Particulars of Exchange between the King and *Sir Christopher Hales, Knight,* in which the following Farms are mentioned, viz., Manor of *Swalclyff* (Kent), the Advowson of the *Church of Swalclyf* (Kent), Lands in the parish of *Canterbury,* and Lands in the parish of *Northgate* (Kent) (1)—1 Membrane.

Hales, John, 4 June, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the *Hospital of St. John the Baptist in Coventry* (1); Farm of the Grange of *Stoneley* (Warwickshire), late of the *Priory of Stoneley* (Warwickshire), Memorandum, and Woods, Farm in the parish of *Folxhull, Coventry,* late of the *Priory of Coventry,* Memorandum, and Woods, Farm of Rectory of *Offechurch* (Warwickshire), late of the *Priory of Coventry,* Memorandum, and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—5 Membranes.

Halile, John, 28 June, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parish of *St. Michael, Cornhill, London,* late of the *College of Acon, London* (1) [on paper]; Farms in the parishes of *St. James, Garlick Hithe,* and *St. Michael, Queen Hithe, London,* late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (1); Summaries and Particulars of Sale (2)—4 Membranes.

Halyle, John, and Robert, 11 May, 37 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farms in the parish of *St. Margaret, Lothbury, London,* late of the *Monastery of Graces, London,* Memorandum (1); Farm of the Demesne of *Gilmanby, Richmond,* late of the *Monastery of St. Mary near the Walls of the City of York,* Memorandum and Particulars of Sale, and Woods (3)—5 Membranes.

Hall, John, of Ripple, Worcester, Yeoman, and Henry Sheldon, of Abberton, Worcester, 20 May, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Stoke Archer* with its appurtenances (Gloucestershire), and of a Messuage in the parish of *Grafton* (Worcestershire), parcel of the Lands called *Warwick's Lands* and *Spencer's Lands,* Memorandum (1); Farm of Tenths reserved to the King out of the following Farms, viz., Manor and Rectory of *Aslaby* (Lincolnshire) and Lands in *Laughton, Lobthorp,* and *Northwitham* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Preceptory of Temple Brwer* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England;* the House and Scite of the late Cell of *Briggend* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Semperingham* (Lincolnshire), Lands in *Keysbye, Estlawton,* and *Westlawton* (Lincolnshire), with the Rectory and *Church of Semperingham* (Lincolnshire), and *Chapel of Poynton* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Semperingham* (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—4 Membranes.

Hall, Thomas, of Huntingdon, 3 July, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Valuation of the Rectory of *Little Eversdon* (Cambridgeshire) (1); Valuation of the Rectory of *Okesfordeshilling* (Dorsetshire) (1); Rents and Farms within the Town and Fields of *Huntingdon,* late of the *Monastery of Ramsey* (Huntingdonshire), Memoranda and Particulars of Sale (2); Farms in *Carleton Morelande,* with perquisites and view of Frank Pledge at *Colbye* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Priory of St. Katherine near the City of Lincoln,* Memorandum (1); Farms in *Colbye* (Lincolnshire), parcel of the late *Preceptory of Temple Brwer* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England,* Memorandum (1); Woods pertaining to the Farms mentioned in the two last foregoing Membranes (1); Farm of the Grange of *Braunceton* (Lincolnshire), and of Lands in *Carleton in Morelande* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Kyrkested* (Lincolnshire), Memorandum; Farms and Rents in *Upton* and *Kexbye* (Lincolnshire), late of the *Monastery of Barlyngs* (Lincolnshire); Memorandum and Particulars of Sale and Woods (2)—10 Membranes.

Harden, Robert, 31 March, 35 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1); Farm of the *Hospitals of St. John the Baptist,* called the *Over Hospital* and the *Nether Hospital* (Hertfordshire), with lands in *Northchurch* and *Berkhampstead* (Hertfordshire), Memorandum,

Appendix II.

2. Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.

Summary, and Particulars of Sale (2) [the pen has been drawn through part of this entry]—3 Membranes.

HARE, NICHOLAS and JOHN, 20 May, 38 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the late *Monastery of Marrehame* (Norfolk), Memorandum and Woods (2); Valuation of the Rectories of *Saxmoundham* (Suffolk), *St. Peters, Rockland*, and *Fowrehowe Carleton* (Norfolk) (1); Farm of the Manor of *Hurtes* in *Saxmondham* (Suffolk), late of the *Duke of Suffolk*, Answer to the Articles contained in the Letters of the Commissioners and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor of *Seymors* (Norfolk), late of *Charles Duke of Suffolk*, the answer to the Articles contained in the Letters of the Commissioners, and Woods (2); Farms in *Brigham* and *Rodham* (Norfolk), *Okeholt* and *Bedyngham* (Suffolk), and *Great Wychyngham, Bodney*, and *Thetford* (Norfolk) (late possessor not stated), and Woods (2); Farm of the Rectory of *Witlinghame* (Norfolk), late of the *Monastery of St. Olave of Heringflete* (Suffolk), and Woods (2); Farm in the parish of *Baschurch*, (Shrewsbury), late of the *Monastery of Shrewsbury*, Memorandum and Woods (2); Summary and Particulars of Sale (3)—17 Membranes.

HARRIS, ROBERT, 6 June, 35 Hen. 8. No request. Farms in the parish of *St. Dunstan, Fleet Street, London*, late of the *Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England*, Particulars of Sale (1); copy of the Letters Patent of the King's granting the above Farms (4) [on paper]—5 Membranes.

HORSEY, Sir JOHN, Knight, [no date]. No request. Farm of the Scite and Demesnes of the late *Monastery of Shyrborne* (Dorsetshire), and of the Manors of *Bradford* and *Wike* (no county mentioned, Dorsetshire and Wiltshire?), and Rents in *Tryll* and *Est Myll* (no county mentioned, Dorsetshire?), late of the same Monastery; Farm of the Grange of *Creche* (no county mentioned, Dorsetshire?), late of the *Monastery of Byndon* (Dorsetshire); Farm in *Longlete* (Wiltshire), late of the *Priory of Henton* (Somersetshire); Farms in *Bradford* (no county mentioned, Somersetshire?), late of the *Monastery of Chanyngton* (Somersetshire) (1) [the pen has been drawn through the *Byndon* entry]—1 Membrane.

HYND, AUSTIN, William Hewet, Christopher Chibborne, John Crymes, John Machell, John Hawse, Edward Altham, Richard Fauxe, John Rogers, Humphry Lucye, John Davye, Henry Goodyour, Robert Fermor, Nicholas Beyghton, and Edward Taylor, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1); Farm of the Manor of *Gildon Sutton* [Cheshire], late of the *Monastery of Norton* (Cheshire), and Woods (2); Farm of Lands in *Knottysford, Newbold*, and *Alderligh* (Cheshire), and of the Manor of *Sandbage* and *Hulm* (Cheshire), late of the *Monastery of Dieulacres* (Cheshire), and Woods (4); Farm of the Manor of *Betley* (Staffordshire), late of *John Tuchett Knight, Lord Awdley*, Memorandum, and Woods (2)—9 Membranes.

LAXTON, WILLIAM, HENRY HUBERTHORNE, and THOMAS WHITE 19 July, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 1. No request. Farm of the Manor and Rectory of *Sheperethe* (Cambridgeshire), late of the *Priory of Chateras* (Cambridgeshire), Memorandum (1); Farms in *Snave* and *Ivechurche* (Kent), late of the *Earl of Essex*, Particulars of Sale, and Woods (2) —3 Membranes.

LAXTON, WILLIAM, HENRY HUBERTHORNE, and THOMAS WHITE, Aldermen, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Sec. 2. Request to purchase (1), and request to purchase (1) for Clerk John, Richard Tull, John Kidermister, John Lowen, Thomas Blower, William Brothers, John Calthroppe, William Bery, William Burngill, John Lambert, John Askew, William Chester, and Edmund Askue, Drapers; Thomas Bartelett, Stationer; and William Ibgrave, Brodrer, 1 August, 36 Hen. 8. Farm of the Manor of *Aspesden* (Hertfordshire), late of *Sir Thomas Seymour, Knight*, Memorandum and Woods (2)—4 Membranes.

MAWDE, JOHN, HENRY FRIAR, and ROBERT GIBBES, 29 June, 37 Hen. 8. Requests to purchase (2)—Farm in the parish of *St. Martin in Thames Street, London* (late possessor not mentioned), Memorandum and Particulars of Sale (1)—3 Membranes.

MORYSON, RICHARD, and JOHN HALES, 1 December, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1) —Farms in the parishes of the *Holy Trinity* and *St. Michael, Coventry*, late of the *Priory of Coventry*, Memoranda (7); Farms in the parishes of the *Holy Trinity* and *St. Michael, Coventry*, late of the *Monastery of Kenilworth* (Warwickshire), Memorandum (1); Summary and Particulars of Sale (1)—10 Membranes.

MYRRYDYELL, PHILIP, William Woodelfe, John Royse, Roger Challonor, Richard Etton, William Hardinge, William Crompton, John Baker, senior, William Luddyngton, Fulke Skydmore, Lennard Barker, Clement Newce, Edmund Alysaunder, Thomas Godman, Thomas Stacye, John Cosworthe, Stephen Tygo, Rowland Dye, William Maynarde, Nicholas Fuller, Thomas Bonde, Christopher Campyon, George Conyeres, Henry Brynckelowe, Thomas Bradleye, John Tysson, Richard Mallore, Nicholas Backon, William Chelsham, Selvester Edelyn, Richard Wigmore, Thomas Etton, Anthony Hickeman, Thomas Gresham, John Mersche, junior, Henry Crede, William Garrarde, Edward Barber, John Slaminge, William Carkete, and Walter Sawkeynes, 6 October, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Bosyate* (Northamptonshire), late of the *Monastery of St. James, near Southampton*, Memorandum and Woods (2)—3 Membranes.

RAYNOLD, ROBERT, William Berde, Walter Millet, Percival Skern, Nicholas Woodwarde, Thomas Jennyns, William Turke, Thomas Pawley, Robert Levers, John Sikilmore, Robert Yonge, Nicholas Harrys, Thomas Turnebull, Citizens and Fishmongers of

London; Thomas Sponer, Roger Taylor, Thomas Stephens, William Chambre, Simon Palmer, William Tilsworthe, George Webbe, John Cooke, John Harrison, John Hilles, Citizens and Goldsmiths of London; George Aleyn, Thomas Middleton, William Clerke, Raynebover Banks, Ralph Preston, William Fletcher, Citizens and Skinners of London; Thomas Mason, William Blanke, Robert Raven, Mathew Dale, John Sturgeon, Edward Bover, Nicolas Rosse, William Cottingham, John Beston, Thomas Holland, Henry Austin, John Launce, Christopher Harebotell, John Essex, Thomas Butler, John Davie, William Rowley, Richard Cade, James Browne, William Johnson, Thomas Blanke, Thomas Holbecke, Robert Whetston, William Wood, Laurence Tailor, Henry Holland, Citizens and Haberdashers of London; William Cocks, Robert Colwell, John Garrate, Richard Wallis, William Gunne, John Holande, Robert Cocks, and Nicolas Warren, Citizens and Salters of London, 20 September, 36 Hen. 8. Request to purchase (1)—Farm of the Manor of *Clayton*, in the parish of *Skipsay* (Yorkshire), late of *Sir Anthony Brown, Knight*, Particulars of Sale and Woods (2); Farm of the Manor and Parsonage of *Rattebye*, with its appurtenances (Leicestershire), late of the *Monastery of Nuneton* (Warwickshire), and Woods (2) [1 Membrane slightly defaced]; Farm in the parish of *Charing* (Kent), late of the *Priory of Leedes* (Kent), and Woods (2)—7 Membranes.

Rylsford, Robert, [no date. Hen. 8.?] No request. Farm of the *Manor of Byggynge in Mycham* (Surrey), with Lands there called Mershe Lands and Amery Lands, with the Manor of *Tamworth* (Surrey), late of the *Monastery of Merton* (Surrey), and Woods (2)—2 Membranes.

The preceding Inventory has been compiled and examined under my directions by Mr. Percy Hunt and Mr. Peter Turner.

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TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY:—

PURSUANT to the Statute made and passed in the Session of Parliament held in the first and second year of Your Majesty's reign, entitled "An Act for Keeping Safely the Public Records," I, the undersigned Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, do hereby most humbly make my Eleventh Report to Your Majesty, for the year beginning 1st of January, 1849, and ending 31st of December, 1849, including, however, certain particular transactions, hereinafter quoted as being subsequent to the said 31st December, 1849. And, pursuing the plan adopted in my former Reports, I have arranged the matters hereby submitted to Your Majesty under three general heads; the tabular statements from which further details are to be collected, being inserted in the Appendix hereto annexed.

I. Proceedings relating to the taking possession of Records, and also to Records not yet in the custody of the Master of the Rolls.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the regulations of the Statute.

III. General matters connected with the care and management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

But in pursuance of the correspondence with Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department, set forth in my Tenth Report (III. § 1, and App. I., Nos. 2, 3, 4, and 5), the Calendars and Inventories of Records have not been appended hereto. Moreover, in order to meet the opinions expressed as to the expediency of diminishing the bulk of the Report, and the consequent expense of printing, the practice of appending the Reports of the Assistant Keepers, official correspondence and official Papers, or extracts therefrom, has also been discontinued; and matters are stated in this Report more succinctly than heretofore, though no fact or figure has been excluded which can afford any needful official statistical or financial information.

I. PROCEEDINGS RELATING TO THE TAKING POSSESSION OF RECORDS, AND ALSO TO RECORDS NOT YET IN THE CUSTODY OF THE MASTER OF THE ROLLS.

1. *Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law, &c., for* 1828.—The several Accruing Records for which the Transfer Warrants were signed on 11th January, 1849, and more particularly described in my Tenth Report (I., §§ 1, 2), have been duly received into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, as after mentioned (II., § 17).

2. *Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law, &c., for* 1829.—Five Warrants, all dated 23rd February, 1850, have been duly signed and countersigned by the Master of the Rolls and the Lord Chancellor, for the transfer into the custody of the Master of the Rolls of all such Records of Your Majesty's Courts of Queen's Bench, Common Pleas, and the Revenue Side of the Exchequer, as have accrued since the last transmission thereof, viz., the Records of the year 1829, as the same are particularized and described in the several schedules annexed to such Warrants. The Records included in such Warrants are all of the same classes as have been usually transmitted, and as the same classes are particularized in my Tenth Report (I., § 1); save and except as to the Records

of Your Majesty's Remembrancer in the Exchequer, in which certain other classes are included, the said schedule being as follows:—

The Queen's Remembrancer's Office, Duke-street, Westminster.

In Revenue Prosecutions' Department.

Affidavits, from Michaelmas Term, 1828, to Trinity Term, 1829	2 Bundles.
Anglia Accounts, 1st and 2nd Geo. IV.; Declarations, and Tax Accounts	3 Rolls.
Informations, Excise, Geo. IV., from No. 4051 to No. 4200	1 Bundle.
Memoranda Rolls, from Hilary Term, 1829, to Michaelmas Term, 1829	2 Rolls.
Notice of Trial Book, from sittings after Michaelmas Term, 1815, to sittings after Michaelmas Term, 1829	1 Book.
Order Book, from Trinity Term, 1827, to Hilary Term, 1829	1 „
Orders (Original), from Hilary Term, 1829, to Michaelmas Term, 1829	4 Bundles.
Pleas, Geo. IV.	1 Bundle.
Writs and Posteas, Geo. IV., from No. 5215 to No. 5390	2 Bundles.
Writs and Posteas, and Informations against Hawkers and Pedlars, Geo. IV.	1 Bundle.
3 Certificates of Queen's Counsel having taken the Sacrament	1 Parcel.
	19 Parcels.

In Sheriffs' and Estreats' Department.

Estreats, 1829	1 Bag.
Foreign Apposer's Documents, 1829	1 „
Originalia Roll, 10 and 11 Geo. IV.	1 Roll.
Pipe Roll, 10 Geo. IV.	1 „
Post Fine Rolls, from Hilary Term, 9 and 10 Geo. IV., to Michaelmas Term, 1829	4 Rolls.
	8 Parcels.

With respect to the Records of the First Fruits and Tenths, no Warrant has been issued, as those which have accrued since the last transmission are so inconsiderable in bulk that it has not been deemed expedient to issue such Warrant.

3. *Accruing Records of the Chancery and Parliament.*—These, according to ancient usage, have been delivered into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and deposited in the Rolls Chapel, as after mentioned (II., § 10).

4. *Admiralty Records: Log Books.*—The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Board of Admiralty having, by their letter of the 5th July, 1849, requested that a large number of Ships' Logs, dating from about 1803, might be received into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, the same were surveyed by Mr. Hardy, the Assistant Keeper at the Tower.

In consequence of such survey, a communication, dated 11th July, 1849, was made by the Master of the Rolls to the Admiralty, stating that room could be found for Log Books in various parts of the Tower, so that they might be accessible for reference, though not so desirably placed as could be wished; but inasmuch as the Books were greatly in the way at the Admiralty, he, the Master of the Rolls, had authorized Mr. Hardy to receive and take charge of them, and had also directed the said Mr. Hardy, before he received the Books, to request the proper officer of the Admiralty to make out a correct list or schedule of them, to be signed by the officer on delivery of the Records, and by Mr. Hardy on receipt thereof; and that his Lordship had further desired the lists to be made in duplicate, one copy to be left at the Admiralty, and the other to be kept at the Record Office. Lists have been made, and the Logs have been received in such manner as after mentioned (II., § 2).

5. *Potato Crop Returns of* 1848.—The answers to the circular queries concerning the deficiency of the Potato Crop of Great Britain and Ireland in the year 1848, relating, as they do, to a most momentous period of the history of Your Majesty's dominions, it was considered by the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury that they could not be placed in any repository with so much propriety as amongst the National Records; and pursuant to this opinion, Dr. Lindley, Secretary to the Commission, has, by the directions of the

Treasury, deposited the papers in the charge of the Master of the Rolls, and they have been received into the Rolls House as after mentioned (II., § 44).

6. *Records of the Marshalsea, Palace, and Peveril Courts.*—By the statute 12 and 13 of Your Majesty's reign, c. 101, entitled "An Act to amend the Act "for the more easy recovery of Small Debts and Demands in England, and to "abolish certain inferior Courts of Record," such Courts, viz., the Court of the Marshalsea of Household of the Kings of England, Your Majesty's Court of the Palace of the Queen at Westminster, and Your Majesty's Court of Record for the Honour of Peveril and additional limits of the same, are abolished; and it is further enacted, that the Records, Muniments, and Writings of the several Courts so abolished shall, as soon as conveniently may be after the 31st December, 1849, be placed under the charge and superintendence of the Master of the Rolls for the time being, to be deposited and kept in such place or places as the Master of the Rolls shall direct; and it is further enacted, that such Records, Muniments, and Writings shall thenceforth be deemed to be in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, under the authority of the Act for keeping safely the Public Records; and until such Records, Muniments, and Writings shall be so placed under the charge and superintendence of the Master of the Rolls, the same shall be respectively kept by the same persons, and in the same places, as before the passing of the Act.

The Records of the Marshalsea Court are included amongst the Records originally placed under the custody of the Master of the Rolls by the Record Act; but upon inquiries being made when the Record Act was brought into operation, it was stated by Mr. J. C. Hewlitt, the Deputy Prothonotary of the Marshalsea and Palace Courts (First Report, App. No. 24), that the Marshalsea Court existed only in name. "Since the establishment of the Palace Court, by the Letters Patent of "King Charles II., dated 4th October, in the sixteenth year of his reign, the "Marshalsea Court has fallen into complete disuetude. I have been an officer" (continues Mr. Hewlitt) "of both Courts for 40 years, and during this time "there has been no instance of any business done in the Marshalsea Court; "neither are there any Records or Documents respecting it in existence to my "knowledge; and I must, from the length of time I have held office in that "Court, have known if any such existed or exist."

The Records of the Palace Court are at present deposited in the Court-House in Scotland Yard. They have been examined by the Deputy Keeper and Mr. Cole, assisted by Mr. Hewlitt, who held the office of Deputy Prothonotary when the Abolition Act was passed, and it appears as follows:—The Records are kept in various closets in the Prothonotary's room adjoining the Court-room, they are not extensive in bulk, and, except as to the more recent, appear to have been much neglected. They commence about 1698, but, within Mr. Hewlitt's memory, only one reference to the older Records has ever occurred, when it was necessary to make inquiries arising out of an Inquest taken before the Coroner of the Verge; but Mr. Hewlitt, who made the search, did not find any record which had any reference to the question. Previously to the abolition of the Court, no reference after trial, or issue joined, or judgment signed, was ever made to the Palace Court Records, except in certain very rare cases, and which cases the various amendments for the administration of the Law rendered still more rare in the period more immediately preceding the abolition of the Court; so that during the last year previous to such abolition, Mr. Hewlitt was only once called upon to produce a Record; and it is apprehended that the practical utility of the Records of the Palace Court for legal purposes will in all probability cease within the current year. Mr. Hewlitt has the key of the Court-House, and continues in possession of the Records, and ready access can be had to them if needed; and he has offered to attend to any business that may arise before removal. When removed to the Carlton Ride, they will be kept by the officers of the Public Record Office like any other Common Law Records, and it is expected that such removal will soon take place, the Palace Court Building having been required by Your Majesty's Board of Works for another department of the public service.

With respect to the Peveril Court Records, the Master of the Rolls has not been called upon to remove them from the place where they now are, and, on the whole, it will probably be more expedient to postpone the receipt of them into his custody until the erection of the new General Repository (III., § 1).

7. *Irish Records.*—In continuation of the proceedings noticed in my Tenth Report (I., § 10), Mr. Black, having made an additional Report on the same subject, dated 24 April, 1849, subsequently went to Ireland, viz., in the month of June

last, continuing about five weeks on the journey and in residence in Dublin. A plan for the future organization of the Public Records in Ireland has been submitted to the consideration of the Master of the Rolls, who, by his letters of the 11th August and 23rd October, 1849, has stated his opinions upon the subject to the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, but no further proceedings have taken place.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the Regulations of the Statute.

Tower of London.

Records of the Chancery, Admiralty, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Hardy and Mr. Roberts.)

1. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division (besides the use of the Documents by the Admiralty and other Public Departments) appears from the following monthly Summary:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	—
1849.						£. s. d.
January	1	16	11	..	..	2 9 0
February	2	7	2	1	..	1 10 0
March	2	8	36	8	..	16 17 6
April	2	7	3	2	..	1 1 0
May	2	35	6	..	..	3 6 6
June	5	18	8	2	..	2 4 0
July	2	10	19	6	..	5 2 6
August	3	15	5	..	6	18 2 0
September	4	34	6	..	..	4 11 6
October	..	25	7	..	..	2 5 6
November	1	14	..	..	..	0 15 0
December	4	20	2	1	..	1 16 6
Total	28	209	105	20	6	60 1 0

2. *Admiralty Records.*—Pursuant to the Correspondence with the Admiralty, noticed in a preceding Section (I., § 4), and to the Order of the Master of the Rolls, dated 11th July, 1849, 1579 "Ships' Log Books" have been removed from the Admiralty, Whitehall, and placed in the White Tower. This series of Log Books commences in 1800, and terminates in 1846; and Mr. Hardy has obtained from the Admiralty the schedule of Logs, made in duplicate, according to Lord Langdale's directions, one copy of which Schedule remains at the Tower and the other at the Admiralty. The Ship's Log, the original Record, and consequently the best evidence of facts relating to occurrences on board, has been fully described in Mr. Hardy's letter to the Master of the Rolls, dated 11th October, 1847 (Ninth Report, App. I., No. 13). In making arrangements for the reception and accommodation of these Books, it was found necessary to alter the location of certain other Admiralty Documents in the White Tower; among which was the removal of the Original Letters, Dispatches, Surveys, and Warrants, belonging to the Old Navy Board, from the North-east or Round Turret in the White Tower, and to transfer the same to the rooms employed for official business and adjoining the Wakefield Tower.

These last-mentioned Documents were sent from Deptford to the Tower in March, 1841, and were temporarily placed in that Turret. On removing these Documents into the Office-rooms, occasion was taken to make an inventory of them, and each bundle was examined to ascertain that it contained only such Documents as properly belonged to it, and then tied up in brown paper and entitled. They have been arranged in the various Office-rooms, and are perfectly accessible. This Correspondence abounds with information relating to the history of the English Navy, particularly during the Commonwealth, and would amply reward any diligent inquirer.

3. *Inquisitions post mortem.*—The new arrangement of the Inquisitions post mortem has been continued to the 14th year of the reign of King Richard the Second. (Fourth Report, II., § 44; Fifth Report, II., § 25; Sixth Report, II., § 70; Seventh Report, II., § 14; Eighth Report, II., § 105; Ninth Report, II., § 17; Tenth Report, II., § 5.)

4. *Bills and Answers in Chancery, and other Equity Proceedings.*—The new Calendar of the Chancery Proceedings has been also continued. (Sixth Report, II., § 69; Seventh Report, II., § 12; Eighth Report, II., § 104; Ninth Report, II., § 20; Tenth Report, II., § 6). 11,260 suits, amounting to 23,257 pieces, have been calendared, entitled, and placed in portfolios.

5. *Privy Seals.*—The operations on the Privy Seal Bills, fully described in preceding Reports (Fifth Report, II., § 20; Ninth Report, II., § 21; Tenth Report, II., § 7), have progressed, and since the last Report 720 Instruments of the reigns of Edward I. and Edward II.; 14,758 of Edward III.; 13,878 of Richard II.; and 6,761 of Edward IV., have been repaired; 31,785 have been stamped; 32,727 entitled; and 27,579 bound up in boards. It has been considered advisable by Mr. Hardy to operate on the bundles of the reign of Edward IV. before those of Henry IV., Henry V., and Henry VI., as several Documents of the time of Edward IV. were found intermixed with those of the first three Edwards, and it was conjectured that many instruments of those Reigns might have been tied up in mistake with those of Edward IV. This proved to be the case; and numerous instruments belonging to the times of Edward I., Edward II., and Edward III. were discovered in the bundles of Edward IV. These will have to be inserted in the respective bundles to which they belong.

6. *Royal Letters.*—The Calendar of the Royal Letters and State Papers has also been continued; 200 Documents have been fully calendared.

7. *Workmen's Work, Summary, &c.*—The following is a Summary of the work performed during the year 1849:—

Admiralty Books arranged	1,579	Books.
Admiralty Letters, &c., checked, dusted, tied up in brown paper, entitled, inventoried, and arranged in the Office-rooms . . .	3,318	Bundles.
Chancery Proceedings calendared . . .	23,257	Instruments.
Royal Letters cleaned	292	,,
Royal Letters calendared	200	,,
Inquisitions cleaned and repaired . . .	1,738	,,
Inquisitions, parcels sewed together . .	450	Parcels.
Privy Seals cleaned	35,973	Instruments.
Privy Seals repaired	36,117	,,
Privy Seals stamped with Office Seal . .	31,785	,,
Privy Seals entitled	32,727	,,
Privy Seals bound in boards	27,579	,,

8. *Calendars of the Ancient Patent Rolls.*—Mr. Roberts has continued, and in a very diligent and satisfactory manner, the Calendaring of the Patent Rolls transmitted from the Rolls Chapel, according to the arrangement mentioned in the Ninth Report (II., §§ 6, 24). The proportion prepared by him, or under his directions, is stated in a subsequent section of this Report (II., § 12).

Rolls Chapel Office.

Records of the Chancery, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Palmer and Mr. Holden.)

9. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division has continued according to the accustomed routine, with the exception that the business has diminished considerably in consequence of the cessation of the Enrolment of Specifications in this Office. The following is the amount of the Business of this Division during the year:—

908 Searches.
1566 Inspections.
210 Copies, containing . . . 5184 Chancery Folios.
113 Authentications, containing 2768 ,,
1 Enrolment, containing . 12 ,,
9 Attendances.
Amount of Fees, 275*l.* 8*s.* 6*d.*

Of the above Business, 4 Searches, 7 Inspections, and 6 Copies, containing 219 Chancery Folios, have been made for various Departments of Your Majesty's Government, for which no Fees were received.

10. *Transmissions of Records.*—According to the usual course of the Chancery, the following Records have been brought into the Rolls Chapel during the year, and deposited in their proper places:—

The Parliament Rolls of the 11th and 12th of Your Majesty's reign, consisting of 55 parts, made up in 57 Rolls; from the House of Lords.

The two Rolls of Recognizances, belonging to the Close Rolls of 4 Will. IV., and not brought in from the Enrolment Office with the Close Rolls of that year (Tenth Report, II., § 12).

The Close Rolls of 5 Will. IV., consisting of 204 parts, but wanting the two Rolls of Recognizances; from the Enrolment Office.

The Memorials of Annuity Deeds of 5 Will. IV., consisting of 24 Bundles; from the Enrolment Office.

The Patent Rolls of 3 Will. IV., consisting of 14 parts and 14 bundles of Warrants; from the Petty Bag Office.

24 Enrolments of Decrees, which have been made up in two Rolls, and two bundles of Docquets thereof; from the Office of the Clerks of Records and Writs.

11. *Arrangements, Repairs, Indexes, &c.*—688 membranes of various Rolls and Inquisitions have been damped and smoothed, 660 membranes have been mended, and 793 membranes have been re-sewed. The numbering of the Close Rolls of 1833 has been completed, and those of 1834 begun. The Index to the Close Rolls from 6 to 10 Geo. IV. is in progress, and other Indexes have been continued, particulars of which appear in the Tabular Summary (App. No. 1).

12. *Calendars of the Ancient Patent Rolls.*—This very important work has been continued in the manner and according to the plan and scheme described in previous Reports (Ninth Report, II., § 6, 24; Tenth Report, II., § 9, 14), and Mr. Roberts and Mr. Lascelles have continued intelligently and strenuously engaged upon the employment, which, however, has been partially impeded at the Tower, by reason of absences and illnesses of Clerks. An endeavour will be made to carry on the fair copying *pari passu* with the drafting, a process rendered the more necessary in consequence of the discontinuance of the practice of appending Calendars to the Deputy Keeper's Report. As far as the 9 Hen. VIII. is completed in draft, but the task is very laborious, arising, as Mr. Roberts states, from the irregularity of the Enrolments of Inspeximuses and the like, and the consequent difficulty of verification. As soon as the Calendars are fair copied, it is intended to deposit them in the Rolls Chapel for the use of the public.

Carlton Ride and Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.

Records of the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas, and the Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer; Equity Records of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Revenue Side of the Court of Exchequer, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, the Rev. Joseph Hunter, and Mr. Henry Cole.)

Mr. Hunter's Division.

13. *Business of the Division.*—In the following Summary, the Business transacted for the several months of the year is set forth; but Mr. Hunter has also had his time employed by his having been required to give a considerable amount of help in Mr. Cole's Division:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	—		
1849.					£.	s.	d.
January . .	..	10	7	..	1	3	6
February . .	1	103	6	..	4	14	0
March . .	1	27	1	..	0	13	6
April . . .	..	124	7	2	2	7	6
May . . .	1	146	4	..	3	1	0
June . . .	..	22	3	1	3	14	0
July . . .	..	72	22	..	15	14	6
August . .	..	5	1	1	9	7	0
September .	1	18	2	..	0	17	0
October . .	1	26	10	..	1	5	6
November .	..	24	4	..	1	16	6
December .	..	2	2	2	0	8	0
Total .	5	579	69	6	45	2	0

14. *Queen's Remembrancer's Miscellaneous Records.*—Mr. Hunter's indefatigable labours upon this vast assemblage of valuable Records, during which he has had

to contend with the greatest difficulties, have been noticed in the preceding Reports (First Report, II., § 4; Second Report, II., § 22; Third Report, II., § 2; Fourth Report, II., §§ 2, 5, 8; Fifth Report, II., § 4; Sixth Report, II., § 2; Seventh Report, II., § 69; Eighth Report, II., § 78; Ninth Report, II., § 27; Tenth Report, II., § 22), and after so many years' unintermitting labour, devoting his mind and talent entirely to the work, the Records are approximating to that state which will enable him to make a final arrangement. He is now keeping steadily in view the operations which will be needed for the removal into the General Repository, which Your Majesty's Treasury now contemplate erecting (III., § 1). The mass which he has been mainly employed upon during the present year is that which has been considered as "residuary matter," and he has instituted a very searching examination into the masses of Documents, of which the examination had been postponed. It was desirable on account of the fragmentary condition of the Documents, and their very miscellaneous nature, in the first place, to reduce into order all those which properly constituted the main distinctive classes, into which the residuary portion would fall. These examinations have been very successful in the recovery of important matter, amongst which may be distinguished many Documents connected with the Escheators' Records. Like other fragmentary matter, the Records in question were found extremely torn, mangled, and disjointed, and they have been repaired and pieced wherever there was an opportunity, and some imperfect Records have by this means been rendered less imperfect; yet in many cases there seems to be no expectation of ever completing the Records by this laborious operation. They must be kept as fragments, and arranged in the best manner which their nature will admit of; but no portion, however small, is thrown away. Amongst the Chapter House Records are many which Mr. Hunter considers as members of the series which compose so large a portion of the Remembrancer's Miscellanea. These he has carefully examined, for the purpose of selecting such as may require to be described in the way he has practised with those already operated upon.

The whole number of Documents which have undergone this preliminary examination, have been described and prepared for their ultimate destination, and for the present deposited in the boxes, during the present year, is 4,640, which, added to the number before reported, makes the grand total 76,539; but, as before mentioned, this figure only represents the Documents which are fastened together, not unfrequently five or more, so that if enumerated separately, the number would be very much larger. The Records arranged and entitled during the present year belong to the following reigns:—

Henry III.	20	Philip and Mary	35
Edward I.	105	Elizabeth	362
Edward II.	79	James I.	153
Edward III.	648	Charles I.	64
Richard II.	437	Interregnum	12
Henry IV.	363	Charles II.	26
Henry V.	259	James II.	1
Henry VI.	857	William and Mary	2
Edward IV.	275	Anne	1
Richard III.	24	George III.	5
Henry VII.	120	Undetermined	39
Henry VIII.	584		
Edward VI.	169		4,640

15. *Calendars.*—Mr. Hunter has proceeded with the Calendar of the Escheators' matter for the second period (Richard II. to Richard III.), and the following Escheatries are completed:—

Bedford and Buckingham.
Cambridge and Huntingdon.
Devon and Cornwall.
Ebor., as far as Henry V.

Mr. Cole's Division.

16. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division, and the amount of Fees received, will appear from the following statement:—

FEES received from 1st January to 31st December, 1849.

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Net Amount of Fees.	Total.
					£. s. d.	£. s. d.
Common Pleas . .	623	..	..	..	31 3 0	
	..	86	..	..	4 6 0	
	..	..	384	..	47 1 0	
	..	..	..	364	40 11 6	
						123 1 6
Queen's Bench . .	57	..	..	..	2 17 0	
	..	44	..	..	2 4 0	
	..	..	22	..	7 8 0	
	..	..	..	13	5 0 6	
						17 9 6
Exchequer . . .	130	..	..	..	6 10 0	
	..	445	..	..	22 5 0	
	..	..	213	..	68 12 6	
	..	..	...	103	34 1 0	
						131 8 6
Total . .	810	575	619	480		271 19 6

17. *Receipts and Removals of Accruing Records.*—Pursuant to the Warrants noticed in my Tenth Report (I., § 1), the Accruing Records of Your Majesty's Courts of Queen's Bench—Plea Side and Crown Side—and Common Pleas, and also the Records in the custody of Your Majesty's Remembrancer in the Exchequer, together with those of the First Fruits, for the year 1828, have been transferred into this Branch Office.

18. *Arrangements, Repairs, Inventories, &c.*—The following is a statement of Inventories, &c., made or in progress. Under this heading, all Lists, Inventories, Calendars, and Indexes, and all work of minute arrangement preparatory to the formation of the same, are reported. Particulars of repairs of various classes will be found in the Tabular Summary (App. No. 1).

19. *Judgment and Recovery Rolls, Geo. III. and IV.*—An Inventory has been made, for the information of the members of the Registration and Conveyancing Commission, of all the Plans or Maps, with descriptions of property, enrolled on the Judgment Rolls of all the Courts of Common Law, from 1760 to 1828.

Queen's Bench—Plea Side.

20. *Pleas, Declarations, &c.*—These have been arranged according to Plaintiffs' name, in alternate letters, and packed between cedar boards, viz.:—

A., C., E., G., &c., 1760—1823 . . 280 Bundles.
B., D., F., H., &c., 1760—1824 . . 281 „

And 1246 Bundles have been dusted, sorted, and ticketed.

21. *Transcripts of Records in Error.*—The following have been inventoried:—

1750—1797 . . 24 Bags.
1750—1796 . . 1 Bag.
1750—1803 . . 1 „
1798—1799 . . 1 Parcel.

And 1485 Rolls have deen dusted, sorted, ticketed, and placed between canvassed boards.

Common Pleas.

22. *Feet of Fines.*—The operations described in previous Reports (Ninth Report, II., § 43; Tenth Report, II., § 31) have been continued. The Feet of Fines for the reigns from Hen. III. to Ric. III., for the counties from Bedford to Hereford inclusive, have been arranged and put in covers in numbers of 25 to each book, preparatory to being examined and calendared, or checked with the old Calendar: in the counties of Dorset, Essex, and Hereford, the Fines have been examined and arranged chronologically, and re-numbered. For the county of Gloucester, part of Edw. I., and from Edw. II. to Ric. III., have been examined with the Index, and the Index revised; and the following operations have been performed upon the Fines and Documents connected therewith:—

		Membranes or Leaves.
(Early date.)—	Flattened	13,873
	Mended	289
	Guarded	11,666
	Tied parcels at head in 459 covers.	
	Tickets cut and pasted on 573 covers.	
	761 pairs of covers made.	
	Printed stamp on back . . .	12,955
	Examined with index, wrote temporary tickets, cut fly-leaves, and arranged; sorted covers to make cases, &c.	
(Modern date.)—	54 bundles tied in cover and bag.	
	42 tickets sewed upon counties.	
	Stamp printed on back . . .	7,848
	Numbers printed on back . . .	2,203
	Mended	20
	Examined and sorted, 29 bundles.	
	Examined bundles with entries in King's Silver Books and with index, and re-sewed tickets on counties.	
King's Silver Books.—	Mended	4,715
	Guarded (or a mended guard) . .	972
	Guarded and mended . . .	2,906
	65 volumes or parcels (116 Terms), completed for binding during the year.	
	221 volumes or parcels yet remaining to be bound.	

23. *Judgment and Recovery Rolls.* Geo. III. and Geo. IV.—An inventory of all the Maps or Plans annexed to these Rolls has been made, with a description of the property as before mentioned (II., § 19).

24. *Interlocutory and other Miscellaneous Records.*—The particulars of the repairs, &c., performed upon the Bills against Attorneys, Common Rolls, Posteas, and Writs of Inquiry, will be found in the Tabular Summary (App. No. 1).

25. *Assize Rolls, Quo Warranto Rolls, Curia Regis Rolls.*—The Rolls for the reigns from Hen. III. to Hen. VIII. have been arranged chronologically and put in cases, identified with the Index, and ticketed; 2,262 Rolls and 57,823 membranes have been flattened, 176 membranes mended and guarded, with various sewings.

Exchequer, Queen's Remembrancer.

26. *Barons' Depositions.*—49 Portfolios (Tenth Report, II., § 33) have been arranged alphabetically, "La" to "Tr." Loose membranes have been examined and corrected, &c., and Miscellaneous Depositions added, each one in its proper order, and slight repairs performed where needed.

27. *Bills and Answers, &c., generally from Elizabeth to Geo. III.*—The arrangement has been continued in the same manner as stated in the Tenth Report (II., § 34); 142 membranes have been mended. To facilitate arrangement, &c., copies have been made on slips of the names of plaintiffs and defendants from the Office Bill-books for the purpose of compiling an Alphabetical Index for the reign of James I., for Essex, Lancaster, Leicester, and part of Lincoln, and from Chester to Kent. Lists have also been made of the number of suits in the Bill-books, the number of membranes in each suit, and description of each membrane: Charles I., 6,735 suits, 23,491 membranes; miscellaneous, 346 membranes. Each suit has been numbered in the Commission Books, and extracts on slips made from the Commission Books of the names of Plaintiff and Defendant, the Reign, Term, County, and Number—from Charles II. to Geo. I.

28. *Depositions by Commission.*—The operations on these Documents have been continued (Tenth Report, II., § 35), 162 bundles have been dusted, 217 bundles folded to size and ticketed, most of the membranes having been flattened, and placed in 76 portfolios. The suits have been numbered, and the names of Plaintiffs and Defendants copied on slips, to facilitate examination and arrangement.

29. *Miscellaneous Documents in the charge of Mr. Hunter.*—The following operations, in continuation of those mentioned in the Tenth Report (II., § 37), have been performed in the current year:—21,200 leaves of paper documents, excluding the enumeration of fragments, have been flattened; of these a portion

has been folded and roughly sorted into classes and reigns: they consist chiefly of Pix Accounts, Subsidies, Household Accounts, Bonds of Obligations, &c. Of the Documents on parchment, 3,653 membranes have been flattened, and 2,921 mended; 1,496 sewings to Books and Rolls; 322 paper, and 278 parchment covers; 49 labels pasted; 292 strings; besides a general sortation and matching of fragments for the purpose of making perfect membranes, which, when completed, have been annexed to their respective Rolls, making many Rolls complete.

30. *Other Repairs of Exchequer Documents.*—In the Tabular Summary (App. No. 1), will be found a further specification of the operations performed upon various other classes of Exchequer Records, consisting principally of Decrees and Orders, Escheators' Accounts, Excise Extents and Informations, Memoranda Rolls, Special Commissions, &c.

31. *Particulars for Grants.*—The operations upon these important Documents have proceeded (Tenth Report, II., § 39). Those for the reign of Edw. VI., letters C and F to P, have been described and ticketed, consisting of 249 bundles, containing 2,339 membranes. An Index of the names of places has been completed from S to Z. The whole of the Index has been cut up into slips, sorted, arranged in alphabetical order, and, A to C inclusive, arranged under the modern name of place, and pasted on sheets of cartridge paper preparatory to binding.

32. *Miscellaneous Books of the Augmentation Office.*—75 volumes have been minutely examined, calendared, and ticketed.

33. *Pipe and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Records.*—The following operations have been performed in continuation of those mentioned in the Tenth Report (II., § 40):—

Series I., as per list in the said Report, alphabetically arranged, and packed in canvass covers between boards—158 packages.

Tax Accounts, Series I., arranged in counties, and packed as above, 1621 to 1821—24 packages.

Escheators' Accounts, packed as above, 33 Edw. I. to 21 Jac. I.—20 packages.

Leases, packed as above, 1604 to 1822—12 packages.

Particulars for Leases, packed as above, 1566 to 1803—5 packages.

Chancellors' Rolls, packed in canvass covers between boards, 2 Hen. V. to 3 and 4 Will. IV.—57 packages.

Estreats, (Clerk of the Peace, Clerk of Sewers, Assizes,) packed as above, 5 Edw. VI. to 5 Will. IV.—21 packages.

Sheriffs' Accounts, packed as above, 33 Hen. VI. to 1660—24 packages.

Files and Bundles, Constats, &c., &c., &c., packed as above, 35 Car. II. to 1833—14 packages.

King's Bench Rolls of Fines and Amerciaments, packed as above, 32 Eliz. 1 Will. IV.—4 packages.

Petitions of Allowance or Bills of Cravings, also Claims of Liberties, &c., packed as above, 8 Ric. II. to 2 and 3 Will. IV.—25 packages.

Series II., being Inrolment of Series I., packed as above, alphabetically arranged—19 packages.

Tax Accounts' Inrolments, Series II., packed as above, 11 Edw. I. to 1821—19 packages.

34. *Miscellaneous Work.*—Other details of Workmen's Work upon various classes of Records in Mr. Cole's Division will be found in the Tabular Summary (App. No. 1); and the work performed upon the Chapter House Records is stated with reference to that Repository (II., § 37).

35. *Change of Assistant Keeper.*—Pursuant to a Treasury Minute dated 12 March, 1850, Mr. Cole has, on the request of the Commissioners appointed by Your Majesty for Promoting the Exhibition of the Works of Industry of all Nations in the Year 1851, been exonerated from his duties in the Public Record Department, during such period (commencing from the first day of April instant), as may be necessary for discharging the duties of the said Commission. During the period of such his absence, he is not to receive any salary from the Record Department. When his services are no longer required for the Industrial Commission, he will be permitted to return to the Record Service, recommencing with the seniority, rank, and salary previously attained or received by him whilst in actual service.

Chapter House.

Common Law, Exchequer, and Miscellaneous Records.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. Frederick Devon.)

36. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of the Division will appear from the Tabular Summary (App. No. 1).

37. *Arrangements, Calendars, &c.*—The indexing and arrangement of the Post Mortem Inquisitions amongst the Records of the Court of Wards has been continued. About 1000 have been so treated in the course of the year, making the whole number thus operated upon, 6,276. The principal work performed in this Branch Office has been the selection of Legal and Historical Documents from the great mass hitherto unexamined, amongst which the diligence of Mr. Devon and Mr. Burtt has discovered a very large number of great importance. Mr. Devon has furnished a curious abstract or list of some of the more important, sufficient to give a very adequate notion of their value. They are principally from the reign of Henry VIII. to that of Charles I.; and had it not been from the alteration of plan adopted in pursuance of the Correspondence with the Home Department, before mentioned, such descriptions would have been appended to the present Report. It must therefore suffice to observe that they afford information of no ordinary interest.

As preparatory to more extensive and methodical operations upon the Chapter House Documents, large numbers have been cleaned, flattened, and mended by workmen from the Carlton Ride, viz., 91 membranes of the Foundation Indentures of Henry VII.'s Chapel have been flattened and mended, making in all, 384, the old covers have been fastened, and brass ornaments fixed; and of other Documents, 1024 membranes have been flattened, 1085 mended, 196 sewed, and 68,126 dusted, stamped, laid flat, and packed in canvass and boards.

Many of the Documents deposited in the porch were found to be decayed, in consequence of the overflowing of a drain, and have been saved from destruction by the work now performing. It is proposed, as speedily as possible, to employ an additional force for the purpose of flattening. The Bundles of Common Law Writs and Posteas are considered as those to which the labours of the workmen should be directed in the first instance.

Rolls House.

Pell Records, and other Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer, late in the custody of the Comptroller-General, &c.; Treasury Records; Slave Compensation Records; Welsh Records; &c.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. William Henry Black.)

38. *Business of the Division.*—The amount of the Business transacted in this Division appears in the Tabular Summary (App. No. 1). Mr. Black's numerous absences, partly occasioned by his journey to Ireland (I. § 7), and partly by illness and other causes, have considerably retarded his operations.

39. *Exchequer Records.*—The Receipts and Orders for Payment of Pensions have been classified and arranged in boxes: these numerous Documents now only require to be finally labelled and put away. The original Tellers' Bills have been arranged under Tellers' names and in periods, and put away in deal boxes, to the extent of about 30,000 documents. Various lots of miscellaneous documents, on parchment, and on paper, which came from the vault at Somerset House, have been examined and sorted, and among them Mr. Black has found a small fragment of a Roll of Privy Council Proceedings of the time of Henry IV., or thereabouts; important, as throwing light on the source of the Records of the Privy Council now in the Cottonian Library, which may with the utmost probability be deemed to have been taken from the Treasuries of the Receipt of the Exchequer, of which the Auditor of the Receipt (among whose Records the fragment was found) was one of the Keepers.

40. *Treasury Records.*—The contents of Sack No. 87, labelled "Colonies," have been classified, for the purpose of consultation; and all papers relative to Lands, Woods, Forests, and Parks, that could be found, among both the arranged and the unarranged papers, have been selected and roughly classified, for the purpose of reference upon various requirements of the Government. This latter work is yet in progress. Many parchment documents have been found, and incorporated with their respective classes, in bundles and packets, and all the Plans and other Rolls, on paper and parchment, have been collected and cleansed. The

papers relative to the Mint have been flattened and arranged in portfolios. Thus no inconsiderable progress has been made toward rendering this portion of the contents of this Division accessible and useful.

41. *American Claims.*—The original Papers were contained in four large boxes, two of which have been saturated with sewer-water in the vault of the Treasury. Their contents have been all taken out; those which are spoiled have been laid aside, the others have been cleansed.

42. *Customs' Establishments.*—68 volumes have been indorsed and arranged in the past year, in continuation of those formerly reported (Tenth Report, II., § 16).

43. *French Claims Papers.*—All the original Correspondence, consisting of 426 bundles, from 1814 to 1828, has been arranged in seven boxes. The original Awards of Rejection have been reduced into numerical order, by which it appears that some are wanting; five Awards of Liquidation were found misplaced among them, and some of the latter class are now re-arranged.

44. *Potato Crop Returns of* 1848.—These, before mentioned (I. § 5), consist of 110 packets, arranged alphabetically according to counties, &c., under the general divisions of England, Wales, Scotland, Ireland, and the Islands.

45. *Calendars.*—The Calendar of the Contents of the Auditor's Patent Books (Eighth Report, II., § 93; Ninth Report, II., § 14; Tenth Report, II., § 20) has proceeded to the end of the reign of James I., and to the 80th entry of the third Roll of that reign, marked "C." A Calendar has been made of the contents of Volumes I. and II. of Awards of Liquidation by the Commissioners on French Claims, whose books are not furnished with Indexes.

III. General Matters connected with the Care and Management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

1. *New Record Repository.*—The various propositions for the erection of a General Record Repository, and the extreme detriment which has resulted from the want of such Repository, have been repeatedly submitted to Your Majesty in all previous Reports (First Report, I., § 9; Second Report, III., § 181; Third Report, III., § 2; Fourth Report, III., § 1; Fifth Report, III., § 2; Sixth Report, III., § 3; Seventh Report, III., § 1; Eighth Report, III., § 3; Ninth Report, III., § 1; Tenth Report, III., § 3). For want of such a Repository the Records have been and are, for the greater part, constantly exposed to damage from fire, guarded against in some degree, though very inadequately and very expensively, by the Police Force, the watchmen, and other precautions which have been from time to time reported. The separation of the several classes of Public Records, and not only the separation, but the division of classes (as is most signally the case with the Enrolments and other Chancery Records), by their location in distant Repositories, is a constant impediment to the use and consultation of the Records by the public, occasioning and increasing trouble, expense, and loss of time. The establishment, dispersed in several places of business, the Public Office and Rolls House, the Rolls Chapel Office, the Carlton Ride, the Chapter House, and the Tower, has yet only received an imperfect organization. It has been impracticable to establish any systematic appropriation of executive duties, and many officers have been employed in each department to perform the duties which, if the establishment were concentrated, could be accomplished with a smaller number. At this moment, all the Assistant Keepers are employing their valuable time in various departments of business which, when the Records are united, may be far more satisfactorily and adequately executed by each Assistant Keeper having a distinct duty, to which he can devote his undisturbed attention and energies.

It is, therefore, with extreme satisfaction that the undersigned Deputy Keeper is enabled to acknowledge the receipt of communications made to Lord Langdale from the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury intimating that their Lordships propose to commence the building of the Repository so emphatically urged by his Lordship the Master of the Rolls, and so long desired; the site thereof to be the Rolls Estate and the Building to be comprehended within the boundaries of such Estate, the said site being in all respects the best and most convenient which the Metropolis affords.

The Rolls House, Rolls Court, and present public buildings upon the Rolls Estate, are intended to be preserved in the first instance for the transaction of

business, the Rolls House being adequate, not only for the accommodation of the Court, but for a considerable number of Record Officers.

Pursuant to the order of the Board of Works, Mr. Pennethorne has accordingly prepared plans for the immediate erection of a block of building capable of receiving all the Records now in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and all such as are likely to accrue for the term of twenty years from the present year, or possibly for a longer period, and this on such a scheme and plan as will render every portion of the Building lightsome and fire-proof, at the smallest expense consistent with strength and security; and Mr. Pennethorne has also prepared plans for the lateral and longitudinal extension of the Building, so that new blocks may be erected when and as required, and the whole Estate ultimately covered with buildings fitted to receive the Public Records and Archives.

2. *Records to be removed into the New Building.*—The Records actually in the custody and superintendence of the Master of the Rolls, and of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, as Chief Keeper of the Public Records under the Master of the Rolls, and in charge of the Assistant Keepers, pursuant to the Record Act, 1 & 2 Vict., c. 94, on the 31st December, 1849, and which will have to be brought into the new Building, may be considered as constituting four principal Divisions, each containing several classes.

I. Records transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, by virtue of General Warrants signed pursuant to the Record Act, in the course of the year 1840, when the Act was put into force, and contained in Repositories which, thus suppressed, were re-constituted as Branch Record Offices, the Officers being either superseded and compensated, or appointed Officers of the new Record Establishment.

II. Records also transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, by virtue of General or Special Warrants, &c., or other means, during the years 1840, 1841, 1842, and 1843, from Repositories of a mixed nature; that is to say, Repositories where the Records were legally in the keeping of Officers performing other duties, to which the charge of the Records was incidental, the Record Act only affecting such Officers by the removal of the Records from their custody; all such Records, excepting a few special cases, being of the age of 20 years and upwards at the times of the transfers thereof:—and also a few Welsh Records.

III. Records of the age of 20 years and upwards (excepting a few special cases), which, as they have accrued since 1840 and 1841, have been periodically transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, being Common Law and Exchequer Records (including the First Fruits and Tenths) brought in under Warrants pursuant to the Record Act; and also Parliamentary and Chancery Records under the age of 20 years, transmitted according to ancient usage:—all in continuation of classes of Records included in the preceding Divisions.

IV. Records not originally within the provisions of the Record Act, but which have been placed in the custody of the Master of the Rolls by Government Departments, viz., the Treasury and Admiralty.

The particulars of these Four Divisions, and the dates when the several Repositories or Records were actually placed under the custody of the Master of the Rolls, appear from the tabular statement, divided as before stated, herewith submitted to Your Majesty (Appendix No. 2).

It is needful to observe, that the Records having been so brought into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, as appears by the preceding synopsis, various transfers and interchanges have been made for the purposes of uniting dispersed portions of classes, affording more conveniences for repairs, better access, or greater security.

The most important amongst them are the transfers made to the Carlton Ride, by which the whole of the Common Law Records are, with very slight exceptions, consolidated in that Repository.

The Tables (App. No. 2) notice (in the subsidiary column of "Observations") the several Repositories whereunto the Records have been removed:—Division I., Nos. 1 and 3; Division II., Nos. 1, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 24-27, 30-37; Division III., Nos. 6-12; Division IV., Nos. 1-12; but as it is very important that the subject should be clearly understood, another Table (App. No. 3) is herewith submitted to Your Majesty, which completes the general view of the present disposition of the Records in the subsisting Repositories, viz., the Tower, Rolls Chapel, Chapter House, Rolls House, Carlton Ride, and Stone Tower, West-

minster Hall (the two last reckoned as one). Some few Records (Nos. 19 and 20) have been delivered out by the Master of the Rolls to the proper Officers of the Court of Chancery, pursuant to the Statute 5 Vict., c. 5, by which the jurisdiction of the Equity Side of the Exchequer was transferred to the Court of Chancery, such Records being required for the transaction of the current business of the Chancery, in suits depending, &c.

All which is humbly submitted to Your Majesty.

Dated this third day of April, in the year of Our Lord, 1850, in the thirteenth year of the reign of Your Majesty.

(Signed) FRANCIS PALGRAVE,
The Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

I most humbly certify to Your Majesty, that this Report is made by the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records under my direction, pursuant to the Statute.

(Signed) LANGDALE, M. R.

APPENDIX.

No. 1.—Summary of Proceedings in the Public Record

OFFICES.	ARRANGEMENT, REPAIRS, &c.	REMOVALS.
ROLLS HOUSE.	Exchequer of Receipt:— Tellers' Vouchers (Receipts for Pensions)—1782 to 1834, about 30,000 classified and arranged in boxes. Tellers' Bills—Cleaned and arranged in boxes; about 30,000. Treasury Records:— Cleaning, arranging, and classifying various. African Company's Books—Classes separated. American Claims—Some cleaned. Customs' Establishments—68 Volumes indorsed and arranged; in continuation. French Claims' Commission—Correspondence, 1814 to 1828, 426 bundles arranged in boxes.	21, Regent-street, to Rolls House:—Potato Crop Returns of 1848 (110 packets). Sent by Mr. John Lindley, 25 May, 1849.
ROLLS CHAPEL.	Damped. Mended. Sewed. Various Membranes . . . 688 660 793 Close Rolls—1833 numbered, 1834 began.	House of Lords to Rolls Chapel:—Parliament Rolls, 11 and 12 Vict. Enrolment Office to Rolls Chapel:—2 Rolls of Recognizances, 4 Wm. IV.; Close Rolls and Memorials of Annuity Deeds, 5 Wm. IV. Records and Writs' Clerks' Office to Rolls Chapel:—24 Decrees, and the Dockets. Petty Bag Office to Rolls Chapel:—Patent Rolls, 3 Wm. IV.
TOWER.	Admiralty—1579 Books arranged; 3318 bundles of Letters dusted, tied up in paper, entitled, and arranged. State Papers and Royal Letters—292 cleaned. Inquisitions—Arranged in Books to 14 Ric. II.; 1738 cleaned and mended; 450 parcels sewed together. Chancery Proceedings—23,257 pieces placed in portfolios. Privy Seals—35,973 cleaned; 36,117 mended; 31,785 stamped; 32,727 entitled; 27,579 arranged between boards.	Admiralty (Whitehall) to the Tower:—1579 Ships' Logs, from 1800 to 1846, pursuant to the Order of the Master of the Rolls dated 11 July, 1849, on request of the Admiralty.
CHAPTER HOUSE.	Miscellaneous—Sorting, indorsing, &c. See Carlton Ride.	. . . .
CARLTON RIDE. *Mr. Hunter's Division.*	. . . . .	. . . .
Mr. Cole's Division.	Queen's Bench:—*Crown Side.* Baga de Secretis, bagging, ticketing, and arranging. *Plea Side.* Country Ejectments' Index, 2 vols. bound. Declarations of Pleas, called Paper Books, 1246 bundles dusted, sorted, and ticketed; 561 bundles tied between boards, and arranged alphabetically according to plaintiffs' names. Plea or Judgment Rolls, 4214 membranes flattened, and 1073 mended, sewed, &c. Transcripts of Records in Error, 1485 Rolls dusted; Books ticketed and numbered; 27 bags, &c., arranged alphabetically. Warrants of Attorney, 329 bundles covered, and placed between boards. Common Pleas:— Bills against Attorneys, arranged, folded to size; 81 suits sewed, dusted, &c. Common Rolls, 206 membranes mended, &c., and arranged. Feet of Fines, 13,173 membranes flattened, 309 mended, 11,666 guarded. 615 tickets, 20,803 stamped, and 2203 numbered; arranging in counties, &c. King's Silver Books, 7621 leaves mended, 3878 guarded; 65 vols. completed for binding. Posseas and Writs of Inquiry, 2144 membranes folded, 826 Suits sewed. Assize, Quo Warranto, and Curia Regis Rolls:—2262 Rolls flattened, 90 membranes mended and guarded; arranged with temporary tickets, &c. Exchequer:—*Queen's Remembrancer.* Bills and Answers, 142 membranes mended. Commission Books, Suits numbered, &c. Decrees and Orders, 10 bundles dusted, 4 bundles damped and flattened. Depositions, 217 bundles dusted, folded to size, ticketed, &c., and placed in portfolios. Escheators' Accounts, 154 membranes mended, 85 sewings, 225 covers to Rolls, 230 strings. Excise and other Extents and Informations, 15 bundles dusted, folded, and placed in portfolios. Excise and other Informations, 31 bundles dusted, folded, and placed in portfolios. Memoranda Rolls, 3 Rolls mended, &c. Miscellaneous, 28 bundles dusted and folded, 3653 membranes flattened, 2921 mended, 1496 sewings, 322 paper and 278 parchment covers, 292 strings; sorting and matching fragments, of which 21,200 flattened. Special Commissions, 892 placed straight in portfolios and ticketed, 9 mended. Special Pleas, 21 bundles dusted, folded, and placed in portfolios. *Augmentation.* Particulars for Grants, ticketing, &c. *Pipe and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer.* Miscellaneous, sorting, folding, flattening, packing, arranging alphabetically, &c. *First Fruits.* Bishops' Certificates, 83 membranes dusted, 10 sewings, folding, &c. *Pleas.* Declarations, 5 bundles placed in paper and between boards. *Treasury of the Receipt (Chapter House).* Indentures of Hen. VII., 91 membranes flattened and mended, making in all 304. Miscellaneous, 1024 membranes flattened, 1085 mended, 196 sewed, 68,126 dusted, stamped, and laid straight.	Accruing Records to Carlton Ride:—From the different Courts and Departments (pursuant to Warrants, dated 11 January, 1849), for 1828.

OFFICE, for the Year ended 31st December, 1849.

INVENTORIES.	CALENDARS.	INDEXES.	FEES. Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Enrolment.	Amount of Fees. £	s.	d.
. . . .	CHANCERY:— PATENT ROLLS—Hen. VII., completed, except 1 Roll. EXCHEQUER OF RECEIPT:— Auditor's Patents proceeded as far as Roll C., 80th Entry; Jac. I. FRENCH CLAIMS' COMMISSION:— Awards of Liquidation, Vols. I. and II.	. . . . .									
		Exchequer .	10	77	52	35	..	..	34	6	6
. . . .	. . . . .	CLOSE ROLLS—6 to 10 Geo. IV., in progress. MEMORIALS—1832, 1833, done; 1834, in progress. SPECIFICATIONS—3 & 4 Wm. IV., done; 5 Wm. IV., in progress. PATENT ROLLS — Geo. III., done; Geo. IV. and Will. IV., in progress.	908	1566	210	113	9	1	275	8	6
ADMIRALTY— 3318 bundles of Letters.	STATE PAPERS and ROYAL LETTERS—200 more done. PATENT ROLLS—4 to 8 Hen. VIII. done. Fair copy from 15 Hen. VII. to 8 Hen. VIII., nearly completed.	CHANCERY PROCEEDINGS (Equity Side)—Continued; 23,257 Instruments done.	28	209	105	20	6	..	60	1	0
CONTENTS OF PRESSES—Continued.	MISCELLANEOUS — 205 more done, making in all 4167 of this series. Also, 400 of another series.	COURT OF WARDS: INQUISITIONS—1000 more done; making in all 6276.	77	155	51	29	..	..	22	6	0
. . . .	EXCHEQUER: — MISCELLANEOUS of the QUEEN'S REMEMBRANCER—4,640 more done, making in all 76,539. INQUISITIONS AND ACCOUNTS OF ESCHEATORS, continued — First Part annexed to 10th Report, App. II., No. 1.	. . . . .	5	579	69	6	..	..	45	2	0
COMMON LAW COURTS:— Inventory of Maps, Plans, &c., on the Judgment Rolls, &c., from 1760 to 1828. EXCHEQUER:—*Augmentation.* Particulars for Grants—Edw. VI., continued.	EXCHEQUER:— *Augmentation.* 75 Miscellaneous Volumes calendared.	COMMON PLEAS:— Feet of Fines, continued. EXCHEQUER:— *Queen's Remembrancer.* Bills and Answers, in progress. *Augmentation.* Particulars for Grants—Draft Index done.									
		Q. Bench	57	44	22	13	..	..	17	9	6
		C. Pleas	623	86	384	364	..	..	123	1	6
		Exchequer	130	445	213	103	..	..	131	8	6
		Totals . .	1838	3161	1106	683	15	1	709	3	6

No. 2.—Table of the Records in the charge of the Master of the Rolls, on 31st December, 1849, and the dates when the Repositories or Records were actually placed in his Lordship's custody.

Division I.

Locality of Office.	Nature of Records.	Date of Authority by which the Records were brought within the Record Act.	Dates of Execution of Warrants, &c.	Observations.
1. Record Office, Tower of London.	Records of the High Court of Chancery and various other Records; early proceedings of the Courts of Common Law, Admiralty proceedings, &c.	1840. July 10 .	1840. July 18 .	Warrant postponed until 10th July, 1840, the previous time since the passing of the Record Act (14th August, 1838) having been employed in the appointment of officers, preliminary inquiries, framing regulations for the course of business, &c. The Common Law Records in the Tower of London have been removed to the Carlton Ride, except some writs.
2. Record Office, Rolls Chapel.	Records of the High Court of Chancery, principally in continuation of Records of the same nature in the Tower of London.	,, ,,	1840. July 14 .	Warrant postponed until 10th July, 1840, for reasons above stated.
3. Record Office, Chapter House, Westminster.	Records in the late Treasury of the Exchequer, including a large portion of the early Records of the Courts of King's Bench and Common Pleas, Assize Rolls, Crown Rolls, &c., as well as various Pell Records and other Records of the Exchequer.	,, ,,	1840. July 10 .	Warrant postponed until 10th July, 1840, for reasons above stated. The Common Law Records in the Chapter House have been removed to the Carlton Ride, except some writs. Various Pell Records, Papal Bulls, &c., have been removed to the Rolls House, as well as a few documents temporarily placed in the Carlton Ride. Two Treaty Rolls, Eliz., have been removed to the Rolls Chapel.

Division II.

1. Rolls House, on the first and second floors, in the roofs and vaults.	Rolls and Records of the Crown and Plea Sides of the Court of King's Bench.	1840. July 10 .	1840. July 17 .	Warrant postponed until 10th July, 1840, for reasons stated under Division I. The portions of the Rolls House in which the King's Bench Records were contained, have been given up to the Record Service, and now constitute the Public Office, and the Branch Office containing the Pell Records, &c. The King's Bench Records have been removed to the Carlton Ride, and subsequently (in part) to the Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.
2. Certain rooms above the King's Bench Court, adjoining Westminster Hall.	Miscellaneous Records of the Court of King's Bench.	,, ,,	1843. August and September.	
3. Judgment Office, Temple	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	1840. July 20, 21 1843. July 26.	
4. Writ Office, Temple . .	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,,	
5. Masters' Office, Temple .	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,,	
6. Filazer's Office, Temple .	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	1847. April 29. 1843. July 26.	
7. Outlawry Office, Temple .	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,,	
8. Appearance Office, Temple	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,,	
9. Rule Office, Temple . .	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,,	
10. Declaration Office, Temple	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,,	
11. Affidavit Office, Temple .	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,,	
12. Examiners' and Deputy Coroner's Office, Temple.	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	1845. April 4. 1843. July 26.	
13. Warrant of Attorney and Cognovit Office, Temple.	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,,	
14. Howard's Robing Room, and rooms adjacent to, and roof above, Augmentation Office, Westminster.	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,, 1845. April. 1848. March 29.	
15. Chambers, No. 4, Symond's Inn (in cellars).	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	1848. Nov. 28.	
16. Crown Office, Temple. .	,, ,, ,,	1843. Feb. 17 .	1843. Feb. 23, 24, 25. 1844. August 2.	
17. Common Pleas Treasury, part of the building of the Carlton Ride.	Rolls and Records of the Court of Common Pleas.	1840. July 10 .	1840. July 21 .	Warrant postponed until 10th July, 1840, for reasons stated under Division I. The Carlton Ride being given up to the Record Service, has become a Branch Record Office. Part of these Records were subsequently removed to the Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.

DIVISION II.—*continued.*

Locality of Office.	Nature of Records.	Date of Authority by which the Records were brought within the Record Act.	Dates of Execution of Warrants, &c.	Observations.
18. Apartments in the House, No. 3, Whitehall Yard.	Miscellaneous Records of the Court of Common Pleas.	1840. July 10 .	1840. July 21 .	The apartments were temporarily employed by the Record Service; but, the Records having been removed to the Carlton Ride in November and December, 1841, were surrendered, 24th January, 1842, to the Office of Woods, &c.
19. Repositories in the basement of the Office of the Masters of the Common Pleas, Serjeants' Inn.	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	1841. March 12, 13. 1841. May 13. 1845. April.	
20. Office of the Registrars of the Common Pleas, Serjeants' Inn.	,, ,, ,,	1842. March 14	1842. April 6, 7	In the custody of the Registrars of the Common Pleas.
21. Alienation Office, Temple.	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,,	Deposited in the Carlton Ride, except the Notes of Fines, Geo. III. and IV., which have been transmitted to the Chapter House.
22. House, No. 3, Whitehall-yard.	A portion of the Rolls and Records of the Plea or Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer.	1840. July 10 .	1840. July 21 .	Warrant postponed until 10th July, 1840, for reasons stated under Division I. These Records, though in the legal custody of the Masters of the Plea or Common Law Side of the Exchequer, were actually in charge of an officer employed under the direction of the Master of the Rolls; who, afterwards appointed an Assistant Keeper of Records, continued the operation upon the Records until the Masters were divested of their custody. The House was temporarily employed by the Record Service; but, the Records having been removed to the Carlton Ride in November and December, 1841, was surrendered, 24th January, 1842, to the Office of Woods, &c.
23. Office of the Masters of the Plea or Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer, Old-square, Lincoln's Inn.	Remainder of the Rolls and Records of the Plea or Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer.	,, ,,	1840. Nov. 5. 1841. May 1. 1845. November. 1847. Dec. 8.	
24. Exchequer Treasury, part of the Carlton Ride.	Rolls and Records of the Equity and Revenue Sides of the Court of Exchequer, and Miscellaneous Exchequer Records, in the custody of the Queen's Remembrancer in the Exchequer.	1841. Nov. 1 .	1841. Nov. 2 .	The Carlton Ride has been surrendered to the Record Service, as before-mentioned. Certain portions of the Equity Records have been transferred to the officers of the Chancery, and other portions to the end of Henry VII. have been removed to the Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.
25. Augmentation Office, New Palace Yard, Westminster.	Augmentation Office Records, belonging to the Queen's Remembrancer in the Exchequer, the Keeper of the Augmentation Office being the officer of the Queen's Remembrancer;—also a part of the Miscellanea of the Exchequer.	,, ,,	,, ,,	These Records were in the charge of an officer nominated by the late Record Commission, but authorized to act as a substitute Keeper, until 2nd November, 1841, when the Augmentation Office became a Branch Record Office, the officer having been previously appointed, in April, 1840, an Assistant Keeper of Records. The building having been afterwards surrendered to the Office of Woods, &c., the Assistant Keeper and Records in his charge were removed to the Carlton Ride.
26. Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.	Records belonging to the Queen's Remembrancer in the Exchequer.	,, ,,	,, ,,	The Stone Tower, Westminster Hall, was given up to the Record Service, and is still used as a Record Repository. Most of the Exchequer Records have been removed to, and others brought in from, the Carlton Ride.
27. The late Pipe Office, and vaults and rooms at Somerset House.	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,,	The Premises at Somerset House were retained as a Record Repository until 7th June, 1843, when, the Records having been removed to the Carlton Ride, they were surrendered to the Office of Woods, &c. Some of the early Pipe Records have since been removed from the Carlton Ride to the Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.
28. Room adjoining the Court of Exchequer, Westminster Hall.	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,, 1844. June 20.	
29. Exchequer Office, Temple	,, ,, ,,	,, ,,	1841. Nov. 2. 1843. March 17.	
30. Office of the Governors of Queen Anne's Bounty, Dean's-yard, Westminster.	Records of the First Fruits and Tenths.	1842. Dec. 29 .	1843. Feb. 8 .	Deposited in the Carlton Ride.

DIVISION II.—*continued.*

Locality of Office.	Nature of Records.	Date of Authority by which the Records were brought within the Record Act.	Dates of Execution of Warrants, &c.	Observations.
31. Office of the Comptroller-General of the Exchequer, No. 1, Whitehall-yard.	Pell Records, and other Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer.	Treasury Letters, 1841. May 26. 1841. June 1. And Comptroller-General's Letter, 1841. May 27.	1841. June 2–14. 1841. Aug. 12, 13 1842. June 3. 1842. Sept. 29. 1842. Nov. 4. 1842. Dec. 8. 1847. Jan. 25.	Operations upon the Records were carried on at No. 1, Whitehall-yard, previously to their transfer into the legal custody of the Master of the Rolls, from 1st June, 1840, to June, 1841, when they were deposited in the Rolls House.
32. Office of the Clerks of Records and Writs, Chancery-lane.	Chest containing documents and papers belonging to the late Six Clerks of the Court of Chancery.	1842. Dec. 8 .	1842. Dec. 12 .	Deposited in the Tower of London.
Welsh Records.				
33. No. 12, Clement's Inn, London, removed from Shire-Hall, Brecknock.	Proceedings on the Equity Side of the late Court of Great Sessions for the Counties of Glamorgan, Brecon, and Radnor.	1845. April 28 .	1845. May 2 .	These Records were immediately transferred to the Clerks of Records and Writs in Chancery.
34. No. 15, Bedford-square, London.	Chester Circuit:—Duplicates of Fines and Concords, 1788–1829: from the representative of the late Chief Justice Warren.	1845. July 1 .	1845. July 9 .	Deposited in the Rolls House.
35. No. 62, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London.	Records of the Marshal and Registrar of the late Chester Circuit.	1845. July 16 .	1845. July 18 .	Ditto.
36. Welsh-Pool, Montgomeryshire.	Records of the late Chancery of the Counties of Montgomery, Denbigh, and Flint.	1845. July 26 .	1845. Aug. 1 .	Ditto.
37. No. 15, Bedford-square, London.	Practice Book of the late Chester Circuit: from the representative of the late Chief Justice Warren.	Voluntary Gift .	1847. Aug. 3 .	Ditto.

DIVISION III.

Accruing Parliamentary Records.				
1. House of Lords	Parliament Rolls:—			
	3 and 4 Vict.	Ancient custom.	1841. Feb. 27 .	Brought into the Rolls Chapel.
	4 and 5 Vict.	,, ,,	1842. Jan. 26 .	Ditto.
	5 Vict.	,, ,,	,, ,,	Ditto.
	5 and 6 Vict.	,, ,,	1843. Feb. 8 .	Ditto.
	6 and 7 Vict.	,, ,,	1844. March 6 .	Ditto.
	7 and 8 Vict.	,, ,,	1845. May 7 .	Ditto.
	8 and 9 Vict.	,, ,,	1846. May 12 .	Ditto.
	9 and 10 Vict.	,, ,,	1847. March 4 .	Ditto.
	10 and 11 Vict.	,, ,,	1848. May 6 .	Ditto.
	11 and 12 Vict.	,, ,,	1849. April 28 .	Ditto.
Accruing Chancery Records.				
2. Petty Bag Office . . .	Patent Rolls and Privy Seal Bundles:—			
	7 Geo. IV.	Ancient custom .	1841. Sept. 25 .	Brought into the Rolls Chapel.
	8 Geo. IV.	,, ,,	1842. March 9 .	Ditto.
	9 Geo. IV.	,, ,,	1842. July 11 .	Ditto.
	10 Geo. IV.	,, ,,	1842. Nov. 11 .	Ditto.
	11 Geo. IV.	,, ,,	1843. Dec. 5 .	Ditto.
	1 Will. IV.	,, ,,	1845. Feb. 5 .	Ditto.
	2 Will. IV.	,, ,,	1846. May 2 .	Ditto. Wanting one bundle of Warrants.
	3 Will. IV.	,, ,,	1849. Oct. 10 .	Ditto.
3. Enrolment Office . . .	Close Rolls, Memorials of Annuities, and Bundles of Deeds, Recognizances, &c.:—			
	1825	Ancient custom.	1840. Nov. 2 .	Brought into the Rolls Chapel.
	1826	,, ,,	1841. Nov. 1 .	Ditto.
	1827	,, ,,	1842. Oct. 18 .	Ditto.
	1828	,, ,,	1843. Oct. 28 .	Ditto.
			,, Nov. 30 .	Ditto.
	1829	,, ,,	1844. Oct. 28 .	Ditto.
	1830	,, ,,	1845. Sept. 8 .	Ditto.
		,, ,,	,, Dec. 15 .	Ditto.
	1831	,, ,,	1846. Nov. 10 .	Ditto.
	1832	,, ,,	1847. Oct. 30 .	Ditto.
	1833	,, ,,	1848. July 14 .	Ditto.
			1849. May 2 .	Ditto.
	1834	,, ,,	,, May 3 .	Ditto. Wanting the two Rolls of Recognizances.
4. Six Clerks' Office, afterwards Office of Clerks of Records and Writs.	Enrolments of Decrees, and their Dockets:—Victoria	Ancient custom.	1842. Oct. 27 .	Brought into the Rolls Chapel.
	,, ...	,, ,,	1843. 7 deliveries	Ditto.
	,, ...	,, ,,	1844. 13 ,,	Ditto.
	,, ...	,, ,,	1845. 17 ,,	Ditto.
	,, ...	,, ,,	1846. 13 ,,	Ditto.
	,, ...	,, ,,	1847. 13 ,,	Ditto.
	,, ...	,, ,,	1848. 14 ,,	Ditto.
	,, ...	,, ,,	1849. 17 ,,	Ditto.

DIVISION III.—*continued.*

Locality of Office.	Nature of Records.	Date of Authority by which the Records were brought within the Record Act.	Dates of Execution of Warrants, &c.	Observations.
Accruing Chancery Records—continued.				
5. Crown Office, Chancery .	1 Commission; 2 Sign Manuals; and 3 Proclamations.	Ancient custom.	1845. Dec. .	Brought into Rolls Chapel.
Accruing Queen's Bench Records.				
6. Masters' Office, Temple. .	Plea Side:—			
	For 1822	1842. Nov. 30 .	1842. Dec. 20 . 1843. March 30, 31.	Removed to Rolls House, and afterwards transferred to Carlton Ride.
	1823	1844. March 4 .	1844. May 14 .	Removed to Carlton Ride.
	1824	1845. March 4 .	1845. Oct. 14 .	Ditto.
	1825, 1826, and 1827.	1848. Jan. 7 .	1848. June . ,, Sept.	Ditto.
	1828	1849. Jan. 11 .	1849. Oct. 29, 30	Ditto.
7. Crown Office, Temple . .	Crown Side:—			
	For 1823	1844. March 4 .	1844. Aug. 2 .	Removed to Carlton Ride.
	1824	1845. March 4 .	1845. Oct. 23 .	Ditto.
	1825, 1826, and 1827.	1848. Jan. 7 .	1848. June . ,, Sept.	Ditto.
	1828	1849. Jan. 11 .	1849. Oct. 29, 30	Ditto.
Accruing Common Pleas Records.				
8. Masters' Office, Serjeants' Inn.	Court of Common Pleas Records:—			
	For 1822	1842. Nov. 30 .	1842. Nov. 5 . ,, Dec. 20.	Removed to Carlton Ride.
	1823	1844. Mar. 4 .	1844. Mar. 28 . ,, Sept. 13 .	Ditto.
	1824	1845. March 4 .	1845. Oct. 14 .	Ditto.
	1825, 1826, and 1827.	1848. Jan. 7 .	1848. June . ,, Sept.	Ditto.
	1828	1849. Jan. 11 .	1849. Oct. 29, 30	Ditto.
9. Registrars' Office, Serjeants' Inn.	Notes of Fines, &c.:—			
	For 1823	1844. March 4 .	1844. March 28 ,, Sept. 13.	Removed to Carlton Ride, except the Notes of Fines to the Chapter House—many missing.
	1824	1845. March 4 .	1845. Oct. 14 .	Ditto; and further irregularities.
	1825, 1826, and 1827 .	1848. Jan. 8 .	1848. June . . ,, Sept.	Ditto.
	1828	1849. Jan. 11 .	1849. Oct. 29, 30	Ditto.
Accruing Records of the Plea or Common Law Side of the Exchequer.				
10. Masters' Office, Lincoln's Inn.	For 1822, and others to 1841. .	1842. Nov. 30 .	1842. Dec. 20 .	Removed to Carlton Ride. The Records, not 20 years old, were received on the request of the Lord Chief Baron, dated 11th November, 1842.
	1823, and others	1844. March 4 .	1844. July 24 .	Ditto, on request, dated 22nd February, 1844.
	1824, and others to 1842. .	1845. March 4 .	1845. Oct. 14 .	Ditto, on request, dated 27th February, 1845. All Records have been transferred to the end of Trinity Vacation, 1830, as well as some of more recent date.
Accruing Records of the Queen's Remembrancer in the Exchequer.				
11. Queen's Remembrancer's Office, Duke-street, Westminster.	For 1822, 1823, and 1824, with some of previous dates.	1845. March 4 .	1845. Oct. 17 .	Removed to Carlton Ride.
	1825, 1826, and 1827 . .	1848. Jan. 7 .	1848. June . . ,, Sept.	Ditto.
	1828	1849. Jan. 11 .	1849. Oct. 29 .	Ditto.
Accruing Records of the First Fruits and Tenths.				
12. Office of the Governors of Queen Anne's Bounty, Dean's-yard, Westminster.	For 1823 and 1824	1845. March 4 .	1845. Oct. 17 .	Removed to Carlton Ride.
	1825, 1826, and 1827 . .	1848. Jan. 7 .	1848. June . . ,, Sept.	Ditto.
	1828	1849. Jan. 11 .	1849. Oct. 29 .	Ditto.

DIVISION IV.

1. The "Pavilion" in Deptford Dockyard.	Admiralty and Navy Board Records, Log Books, Muster Books, Pay Books, and other Books, Correspondence, Miscellaneous Papers, &c.	Admiralty Letters. 1841. Feb. 22, 26. 1841. March 1 . 1848. Aug. 8.	1841. March . 1846. April 24 to Sept. 21. 1847. April to December. 1848. Aug. 11, &c.	Deposited in the Tower of London.
2. Admiralty Office, Whitehall	Log Books.	Admiralty Letter. 1849. July 5	1849. August .	Ditto.
3. Office of the late Charities' Commissioners, Great George-street, Westminster.	Documents, Reports, &c., belonging to the Commissioners for inquiring into Public Charities, under 58 Geo. III., c. 91, and subsequent statutes.	Treasury Letter. 1841. Aug. 3. Home Office Letter. 1841. Aug. 5.	1841. August 9 and 10.	Deposited in the Rolls Chapel.

DIVISION IV.—*continued.*

Locality of Office.	Nature of Records.	Date of Authority by which the Records were brought within the Record Act.	Dates of Execution of Warrants, &c.	Observations.
4. Office of the late French Claims Commissioners, No. 5, Whitehall-place.	Documents and Proceedings of the Commissioners for inquiring into the Claims of British subjects against France, under 59 Geo. III. c. 31.	Treasury Letter. 1843. Oct. 27.	1843. Nov. 21 .	Deposited in the Rolls House. A portion of these Documents remains in the possession of the late Officers, pending certain litigated Claims.
5 and 6. Office of the late Arbitrator of Slave Compensations, No. 45, Parliament-street; and, Her Majesty's Stationery Office.	Books, Papers, and Documents of the Commissioners for inquiring into and deciding upon the Claims to Compensation of persons entitled to Manumitted Slaves, under 3 and 4 William IV., c. 73, and 4 Vict. c. 18.	Treasury Letters. 1846. Mar. 18. ,, Apr. 14.	1846. March 30. ,, April 16. ,, April 28. ,, Sept. 21.	Deposited in the Rolls House.
7. Treasury Chambers (including the cellars), and Office of Paymaster of Civil Services, Whitehall.	Books, Papers, and Documents of the Treasury, late African Company, &c.; also, Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer.	Treasury Letters. 1846. June 18. ,, July 8. ,, Dec. 19. 1847. June 8.	1846. Aug. 11 to Sept. Nov. 5 to Dec. 31. 1847. July 1. ,, July 22. ,, Aug. 17. 1848. Dec. 29. 1849. Nov. 7.	Ditto.
8. National Debt Office, Old Jewry.	Books, Rolls, and Documents of the late Auditor of the Receipt of the Exchequer, with subsequent Papers, relating to Exchequer Annuities.	Treasury Letter. 1847. July 14.	1847. July 21 & 22.	Ditto.
9. Custom House, Thames-street	438 volumes of Customs' Establishments.	Treasury Letter. 1848. April 19.	1848. May 30 .	Ditto.
10. Tithe Office, Somerset House.	Documents, Maps, Plans, &c., of the Commissioners for inquiring into the Municipal and Parliamentary Boundaries.	Treasury Letters. 1848. Nov. 9. ,, Dec. 7.	1848. Dec. 13 .	Ditto. There are other Papers to be transferred, at present in the possession of Mr. Parkes, late Secretary to the Commissioners.
11. Treasury Chambers, Whitehall.	Commissariat Papers relating to the abandoned military station at Forts Garry, in the Hudson's Bay territory.	Treasury Letter. 1848. Dec. 15.	1848. Dec. 29 .	Deposited in the Rolls House.
12. No. 21, Regent-street, London.	Returns relating to the Potato Crop in 1848.	1849. May 25.	1849. May 25 .	Ditto.

No. 3.—Table of the various Transfers and Interchanges of Records, after having been brought into the Custody of the Master of the Rolls, previously to 1st January, 1850.

Nature of Records.	'Repository' from which Transferred.	Repository to which Transferred.	Date of Authority for Transfer.	Dates of Execution of Warrants, &c.	Observations.
Records of the Court of Chancery.					
1. Two Treaty Rolls (Eliz.).	Chapter House .	Rolls Chapel .	. .	1848. Jan. . .	Transferred to be inserted in the regular series in the Rolls Chapel.
Records of the Exchequer.					
2. Various Pell Rolls, Papal Bulls, and Miscellaneous Books and Documents.	Chapter House .	Rolls House . .	1842. Dec. 10 .	1843. Jan. to March.	Removed to be incorporated with the regular series of Pell Rolls, &c.
3. Barons' Letter to Pope Boniface VIII. Foundation Books of Hen. VII., relating to Westminster Abbey. Two Patents of Edward the BlackPrince. Ancient Letters Missive.	,, ,,	,, ,,	. .	1848. Jan. 7 .	Temporarily placed in the Carlton Ride, and repaired there before transmission to the Rolls House.
Records of the Court of Queen's Bench, &c.					
4. Rolls of the Curia Regis and King's Bench, of the Justices in Eyre, Assize Rolls, Gaol Delivery Rolls, Coroners' Rolls, Quo Warranto Rolls, &c.; and Indexes.	Chapter House .	Carlton Ride .	1843. June 30 .	1843. July 26 . 1846. May. 1847. May 19.	Removed to consolidate the Common Law Records under one management; but the Stone Tower, Westminster Hall, having been subsequently fitted up so as to be fire-proof, some of the more ancient of these Records (see No. 15) have been removed into that Repository for greater security.
5. Rolls and Records of the Court of Queen's Bench, from 1422 to Michaelmas Term, 1822, including the "Baga de Secretis."	Rolls House . .	,, ,,	1843. June 30 .	1843. July and August. 1844. March 29.	Ditto; the Baga de Secretis having been transferred previously to the Stone Tower. Some indexes and reference books were temporarily placed (during the continuance of the Records in the Rolls House) in the Rolls Chapel for the convenience of searchers, &c.
Records of the Court of Common Pleas.					
6. Records formerly in the custody of the Custos Brevium.	3. Whitehall-yard	Carlton Ride .	1841. Nov. 25 .	1841. Nov. and Dec.	On the removal of the Records to Carlton Ride, the house, No. 3, Whitehall-yard, ceased to be a Record Repository, and was surrendered to the Office of Woods, &c., on 24th January, 1842.
7. Plea Rolls, 1 Edw. I. to 24 Hen. VII. Feet of Fines, Hen. II. to Jac. II. Concords of Fines, Eliz. to Jac. II., and Indexes.	Chapter House .	,, ,,	1842. Jan. 11 .	1842. Feb.–June. 1846. May. 1847. May 19.	Removed for the same reason as the Records of the King's Bench, &c. (Nos. 4, 5, 6, 8–14.)
8. Plea Rolls, Hen. III. to Edw. II., &c. Essoign Rolls, Hen. III. to Edw. III.	Tower . . .	,, ,,	1842. Feb. 14 .	1842. Mar. 5, 8.	Ditto. The Warrant also authorizes the removal of the Common Pleas Writs, &c., which has not yet taken place.
Records of the Exchequer.					
9. Plea Rolls of the Court of Exchequer, &c.	3, Whitehall-yard	Carlton Ride .	1841. Nov. 25 .	1841. Nov. and Dec.	On the removal of the Records to Carlton Ride, the house, No. 3, Whitehall-yard, ceased to be a Record Repository, and was surrendered to the Office of Woods, &c., on 24th January, 1842.
10. Proceedings of the Equity Side of the Court of Exchequer.	Stone Tower. .	,, ,,	1841. Nov. 4 .	1841. Nov. 11, 12, 13.	Removed for the same reason as the Records of the King's Bench, &c. (Nos. 4–9, 11–14.)
11. Memoranda Rolls, Hen. III. to Ph. and Mary (except Edw. I.). Plea Rolls.	,, ,, Augmentation Office.	,, ,,	,, ,,	1841. Nov. 11, 12, 13. 1842. Jan. 8, &c.	Ditto.
12. Records of the Court of Augmentations, and other Records in the Augmentation Office.	,, ,,	,, ,,	1843. Feb. 8 .	1843. Mar. 3–11.	In consequence of the removal of the whole of the Records in the Augmentation Office to the Carlton Ride, the Augmentation Office ceased to be a Record Repository, and was surrendered to the Office of Woods, &c.
13. Miscellaneous Records of the Queen's Remembrancer.	,, ,,	,, ,,	1843. April 28 .	1843. May 17–20.	
14. Pipe and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Records, &c.	Somerset House .	,, ,,	1843. May 30 .	1843. June 2–7.	In consequence of the removal of the whole of the Records in the vaults and rooms of the late Pipe Office, &c., Somerset House, to the Carlton Ride, the Pipe Office, &c., ceased to be a Record Repository, and was surrendered to the Office of Woods, &c.
Records of the Court of Queen's Bench, &c.					
15. Coram Rege Rolls, Assize Rolls, Controlment Rolls, } To the end of Hen. VII.	Carlton Ride .	Stone Tower. .	1847. Oct. 2 .	1847. Oct. 2 .	Removed to the Stone Tower in consequence of the greater security against fire afforded by the alterations made in the roof, &c.

Nature of Records.	Repository from which Transferred.	Repository to which Transferred.	Date of Authority for Transfer.	Date of Execution of Warrants, &c.	Observations.
Records of the Court of Common Pleas.					
16. Placita de Banco Rolls, Essoign Rolls, . . } To the end of Hen. VII.	Carlton Ride .	Stone Tower. .	1847. Oct. 2 .	1847. Oct. 2 .	Removed to the Stone Tower in consequence of the greater security against fire afforded by the alterations made in the roof, &c.
Records of the Exchequer.					
17. Originalia Rolls, Memoranda Rolls, Pipe Rolls, Memoranda, ... } To the end of Hen. VII. Placita Judæorum, Hen. III. and Edw. I.	Carlton Ride .	,, ,,	,, ,,	,, ,,	Ditto.
18. Fifty-four sacks of Miscellaneous Records of the Queen's Remembrancer.	,, ,,	Stone Tower and Augmentation Office.	1841. Nov. 4 .	1841. Nov. . . 1842. Feb. 8.	Removed for the purpose of calendaring, repairing, &c. On the removal of the Records, &c., from the Augmentation Office (Nos. 12 and 13), these Records were again removed to the Carlton Ride with the general series.
Transfers from the Custody of the Master of the Rolls to the Officers of Chancery.					
19. Ledger and other Account Books.	Office of Clerk of Reports in the Exchequer.	Master of the Reports in Chancery.	1841. Nov. 4 .	1841. Nov. 4 .	These transfers were occasioned by the abolition of the Equity Side of the Court of Exchequer, by statute 5 Vict., c. 5.
Decrees and Orders, 1831 to 1841, and Calendars.	Carlton Ride .			1841. Nov. 24 .	
Reports and Certificates, 1834 to 1841, and Calendars.	,, ,,		,, ,,	,, Dec. 3 and 11. 1842. Jan. 31 .	
Minutes of Decrees and Orders in Equity, 1820 to 1841.	,, ,,	Registrars in Chancery.	,, ,,	1842. Jan. 20 .	
Bills, Answers, Depositions, and other Proceedings.	,, ,,	Six Clerks in Chancery.	,, ,,	As requested .	
20. Welsh Records: certain Records of the late Court of Great Sessions for the Counties of Glamorgan, Brecon, and Radnor.	,, ,,	Clerks of Records and Writs in Chancery.	1845. April 28 .	1845. May 2 .	Ditto; these Records having been received only for the purpose of immediate transfer.

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THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY:—

PURSUANT to the Statute made and passed in the Session of Parliament held in the first and second year of Your Majesty's reign, entitled "An Act for Keeping Safely the Public Records," I, the undersigned Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, do hereby most humbly make my Twelfth Report to Your Majesty, for the year beginning 1st of January, 1850, and ending 31st of December, 1850, including, however, certain particular transactions, hereinafter quoted as being subsequent to the said 31st of December, 1850. And, pursuing the plan adopted in my former Reports, I have arranged the matters hereby submitted to Your Majesty under three general heads; the tabular statement from which further details are to be collected being hereto annexed.

I. Proceedings relating to the taking possession of Records, and also to Records not yet in the custody of the Master of the Rolls.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the regulations of the Statute.

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I. PROCEEDINGS RELATING TO THE TAKING POSSESSION OF RECORDS, AND ALSO TO RECORDS NOT YET IN THE CUSTODY OF THE MASTER OF THE ROLLS.

1. *Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law, &c.*—Various circumstances delayed the transmission of the Accruing Records of the year 1829, pursuant to the Warrants of 23rd February, 1850 (Eleventh Report, I. § 2). The removal of these Records began on the 30th May, 1850, and the arrangements were not completed until November, 1850.

In consequence of the crowded state of the Repository at the Carlton Ride, it is very difficult to find any place for the Accruing Records, or to arrange them in such a manner as to place them in sequence with the classes to which they belong. It has, therefore, been considered expedient to postpone the issuing of Warrants for the transmission of Accruing Records until the new Repository (III. § 1) shall be ready for their reception; and by a Circular letter, dated 14th January, 1851, addressed to the Senior Master of the Court of Queen's Bench (Plea Side); to the Master of the Crown Office, Queen's Bench; to the Senior Master of the Court of Common Pleas; to the Registrar of Acknowledgments of the Court of Common Pleas; and to Your Majesty's Remembrancer in the Exchequer; they were informed of the suspension of the Warrants. From the Plea Side of Your Majesty's Court of Exchequer no Records will be due until after Trinity Vacation, 1851 (Ninth Report, I. § 1).

2. *Accruing Records of the Chancery and Parliament.*—These, according to ancient usage, have been transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and deposited in the Rolls Chapel as after mentioned (II. § 35).

3. *Records of the Marshalsea and Palace Courts.*—The Documents appertaining to these Courts, abolished by the Statute 12 & 13 of Your Majesty's reign, c. 101, continued in the Court House in Scotland Yard, as stated in a previous Report (Eleventh Report, I. § 6), until 2nd May, 1850, when, pursuant to the requests of Your Majesty's Commissioners of Woods and Forests, dated 27th March and 8th April, 1850, the same were removed into the Branch Office, Carlton Ride. The

Records were, in the first instance, inspected by the Deputy Keeper, assisted by Mr. Cole and Mr. Hewlitt, the late Deputy Prothonotary of the Palace Court, and afterwards by Mr. Hunter, who describes them by his Report of 18th April, 1850. And his Lordship the Master of the Rolls, by his Warrant, dated 25th April, 1850, was pleased to order and direct that Mr. Hewlitt should deliver up the said Records to Mr. Hunter and Mr. Roberts, the Assistant Keepers then having charge of the Records in the Carlton Ride, and that they should be removed and transferred to the Carlton Ride, and be there received by Mr. Hunter and Mr. Roberts, and remain in their charge until further or other order. Further proceedings with respect to these Records are stated in a subsequent portion of this Report (II. § 18). The Records so received into the custody of the Master of the Rolls are the following:—

Two Patents, constituting the Palace Court, kept in leather cases, dated, one at Canterbury 13th July, 6 Charles I., and the other at Westminster 4th October, 16 Charles II.

A Series of Plaint Books, commencing in 1698, and continuing to 1849.

A Series of Docket Books, through the same period.

A Series of Execution Books, Long Books and Papers, Bond Books, and Bail Books, through the same period.

Rule Books, commencing in 1691 and continuing to about 1818, when the practice of the Court appears to have changed, and the entries were made on loose papers, now tied in bundles, extending to 1849.

Pleas and Replications.
Writs of Execution.
Affidavits to hold to Bail.
Affidavits of Service.
Special Affidavits.
Writs of Capias ad respondendum.
Warrants to prosecute and defend.
Common Bails.
Special Bails.
Declarations.
Venires.
} From about 1698 to 1849.

Records:

Custody Papers.	Bills of Costs.
Cause Papers.	Bills of Costs on Execution.
Venue Papers.	Court Memorandum Papers.
Rule Papers.	Proceedings on Writs of Error.

A Set of Books called Profit Books, the earliest of which now to be found is of the year 1644, and continuing up to the year 1847.

Requests for Summonses, Affidavits of Service of Summons, Consents to pay by Instalments, and Weekly List of Summons and Memorandums, and also Office Copies of Judgments. These originated in a new practice introduced in the Court in consequence of the Small Debts Act passed about 1845, and are continued to 1849.

A Box containing Oaths of Office, and Appointments and Surrenders of the several Officers of the Court, including the Lord Steward of Her Majesty's Household, the Knight Marshal, the Stewards, the Deputy Steward, the Crier, and the other Officers of the Court.

A more particular account of such of these Records as have been arranged upon the shelves in the Carlton Ride will be found in a subsequent section of this Report (II. § 18).

4. *Peveril Court Records.*—These Records, which, together with the Records of the Marshalsea and Palace Courts, are placed under the charge of the Master of the Rolls by the before-quoted Act, are deposited at Nottingham, in the custody of Abraham Cann, Esq., late Deputy Steward of the Peveril Court. The Court is traditionally supposed to have been established by William the Conqueror, and to have had a jurisdiction then given to it over certain parts of Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire. By subsequent grants made by letters patent, dated respectively the 14th Charles I. and 25th Charles II., that jurisdiction was greatly extended, comprising the entire County of Nottingham, and the several parishes of Sheffield, Handsworth, Treeton, Rotherham, Ecclesfield, and Whiston, in the County of York. The causes of action to be entertained by the Court were also specified, with the forms of proceeding, and the several offices in the Court were named likewise in the same grants. By a grant by letters patent by Queen Anne, bearing date the fifth year of her reign, Sir Thomas Willoughby, Bart., and his heirs, were appointed the High Stewards, and the present Lord Middleton, as the heir of such person, was the High Steward when the Court was abolished. The Court was held at Lenton, about two miles from Nottingham; John Barker, Esq., barrister-at-law, was the Judge. The pleadings were filed in Court with the Deputy

Steward, and copies thereof were delivered by him to the Attorneys requiring such: and the substance of each pleading, &c., was entered in a large folio volume, called the Precipe Book, of which there are about twenty in number.

The removal of the said Records into any of the Repositories of the Public Record Office not being convenient at present, an application was made to Mr. Cann for the purpose of ascertaining whether he was willing to continue to take charge of such Records, doing whatever may be needful for their safe custody until they can be received into the Public Record Office; and Mr. Cann having signified that he would continue the custody thereof as long as might be deemed necessary, his Lordship the Master of the Rolls, by letter dated 27th November, 1850, accepted the offer made by Mr. Cann. If possible, a place for their deposit will be found in the Rolls House in the course of the current year.

5. *Admiralty Records: Log Books.*—A proposition has been received from the Admiralty, 17th August, 1850, suggesting the transmission into the custody of the Master of the Rolls of a duplicate set of Log Books, commencing 1818. The subject is under consideration.

6. *Audit Office Documents.*—In the Tenth Report (I. § 6) are set forth certain proceedings relating to the Audit Office Papers, arising out of a letter addressed by the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, dated 13th November, 1848, whereby their Lordships requested that Lord Langdale would cause the said Documents to be inspected, and furnish the Board with his opinion whether any objection existed to their being destroyed; to which Lord Langdale, by his letter of the 21st November, 1848, replied by stating that he had come to the conclusion that he had no authority to determine what, if any, papers belonging to any Public Office ought to be, or might not improperly be, destroyed; at the same time his Lordship communicated his opinion in detail as to the expediency of obtaining future powers to destroy useless Documents, and the principles upon which the process ought to be effected. Mr. Black was employed to inspect and examine the papers in question, and he has made a full Report thereon, dated 5th December, 1850, specifying the classes which he considers as fit for preservation on account of their historical, biographical, and topographical value. A correspondence has further taken place between Lord Langdale and the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, but the course ultimately to be adopted has not yet been decided.

7. *Slave Registration Documents.*—The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, by their letter of 22nd January, 1851, communicated to Lord Langdale that it appeared desirable to their Lordships that the Registers and any other Records belonging to the late Department of Slave Registration appointed by the Act 59 Geo. III. c. 120, intitled "An Act for establishing a Registry of Colonial Slaves "in Great Britain," &c.,—should be deposited in the Public Record Office; and their Lordships also stated that they had desired that the Representative of the late Registrar of Slaves should cause the said Documents to be delivered to Lord Langdale; and accordingly, William Henry Amyot, one of the Executors of Thomas Amyot, Esq., the late Registrar, has delivered the same, and they are now deposited in the Rolls House, as after mentioned (II. § 39).

8. *Welsh Records: Caermarthen.*—A Memorial of the Magistrates in Quarter Sessions assembled at Caermarthen, 11th April, 1850, has been transmitted to Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department, and, by his letter of the 20th April, 1850, remitted to the Master of the Rolls. In this Memorial, the Magistrates express an opinion concerning what they consider the insecure state with regard to Fire of the place wherein the Fines of the Caermarthen Circuit, during the continuance of the Great Sessions in Wales, are deposited, and represent the necessity of the removal of the Documents in question to some place of greater safety. The matter having been thus brought before the notice of the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, a letter, dated 25th April, 1850, was, by his instructions, addressed to Charles Bishop, Esq., Clerk of the Peace for Caermarthen, informing the Magistrates that, in all analogous cases, all expenses relating to the Buildings or Repositories in which the Welsh Records are contained had been defrayed (with the approbation of Lord Langdale as to the measures adopted) by the Counties, or by individuals interested in the County Records, of which conduct the late Lord Powis afforded a remarkable instance (Seventh Report, I. § 7), and in no case had the expenses been defrayed by the Treasury. The Magistrates, therefore, were required to state what plan they would wish to adopt for the safety of the Records, upon the understanding that they are to find the means of defraying the consequent expense; but they were informed that it may

be important for them to advert to the speedy erection of the new General Fire-proof Repository upon the Rolls Estate for the reception of the Records under the charge or in the custody of the Master of the Rolls; and that in such Building there would be space for the reception of the Caermarthen Records, should it be considered expedient to deposit them there.

Welsh Pool.—It appears from the Deputy Keeper's First Report (Appendix, No. 31), that the Records of the Great Sessions for the County of Montgomery, deposited at Welsh Pool, were then in the custody of Mr. Thomas Morgan, late Prothonotary for the Counties of Denbigh and Montgomery. Mr. Morgan resided at Berriew, a distance of five miles from Welsh Pool, and the said Records were in the actual custody of Mr. Robert Jones, Mr. Morgan's clerk, and who acted as his Deputy for some years, until the abolition of the Welsh Judicature, and who subsequently continued such custody under Mr. Morgan's directions. Mr. Morgan having died on the 14th of January, 1851, a letter dated 28th January, 1851, has by Lord Langdale's instructions been addressed to Mr. Jones to continue to take care of the Records in question until further order, and subject to such orders as may from time to time be made by the Master of the Rolls for the time being. Mr. Jones is, until such further orders, to perform the same duties as have hitherto devolved upon him; but it is clearly understood that, should the Documents be removed or his appointment be determined, he is not to claim any compensation for the same.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the Regulations of the Statute.

Tower of London.

Records of the Chancery, Admiralty, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Hardy and Mr. Sharpe.)

1. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division (besides the use of the Documents by the Admiralty and other Public Departments, and for the Oxford and Cambridge Universities' and other Commissions) appears from the following monthly summary:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	— £.	s.	d.
1850.								
January . . .	4	17	19	4	..	6	10	0
February . .	1	11	39	17	..	16	1	6
March . . .	1	22	42	32	..	30	6	0
April . . .	4	27	2	..	..	1	15	0
May . . .	3	24	2	2	..	2	11	0
June . . .	1	36	15	1	..	5	15	6
July	..	15	41	6	..	10	1	0
August . . .	1	12	3	..	..	1	1	6
September . .	1	8	9	2	6	15	17	0
October . . .	..	35	7	..	..	8	11	6
November . .	..	12	14	..	..	5	7	6
December . .	1	10	20	1	..	21	11	0
Total . .	17	229	213	65	6	125	8	6

The officers of this department have been enabled to save much time and trouble to Your Majesty's Board of Admiralty by conducting and making the extensive searches required for that department of Your Majesty's service.

2. *Inquisitions post mortem.*—The arrangement of the Inquisitions post mortem in large and convenient Books, noticed in preceding Reports, has been continued upon the same plan to 17 Ric. II. During the year, 1797 instruments have been cleaned, 2004 repaired, and 331 parcels sewn together. Hitherto the progress made upon this class of Records has been comparatively slow, only one workman having been employed thereon; but when the workmen who are now engaged upon other business can be placed upon the Inquisitions, it is confidently expected that the whole of this class of Records will be put into thorough repair and arranged for removal. The later Inquisitions are in much worse condition than the earlier, requiring much minute labour and attention. No class of Documents has suffered more from the manner they have formerly been dealt with, having been rolled up in bundles, whereby the parchment is broken and frayed; besides the irreparable damage occasioned in times past by the injudicious application of

tincture of galls, whereby the writing may have been temporarily refreshed, but is always obscured, and in not a few cases permanently damaged to the extent of complete obliteration.

3. *Bills and Answers in Chancery, and other Equity Proceedings.*—The new Calendar of the Chancery Proceedings has been continued, and 7730 Suits, containing 16,937 Instruments, have been calendared, entitled, and placed in portfolios. Only one person is employed upon this work, viz., Mr. Sharpe, with occasional help from a clerk; and it is hoped that the Division entitled "Mitford," according to the ancient mode of arrangement (Second Report, III. §§ 61, 174; Sixth Report, II. § 69), will be completed before the new Repository (III. § 1), will be fit for their reception.

4. *Privy Seals.*—The operations upon the Privy Seals, fully described in preceding Reports, have been actively continued by Mr. Hardy; and since the last or Eleventh Report (II. § 5), 8557 of the reign of Henry IV. have been cleaned, and 7059 repaired; 2400 of the reign of Henry V. have been cleaned, and 1666 repaired; 9762 of the reign of Henry VI. have been cleaned, and 12,778 repaired; and 881 of the reign of Richard III. have been cleaned, and 1020 repaired. It is hoped that the whole will be completed in the course of the present season. A Press Inventory has been made to 1333 bundles of these Documents bound up between boards, of the reigns of Edward I., Edward II., Edward III., Richard II., and Edward IV. The other operations have also been continued, and 1658 parcels have been sewed together preparatory to placing them between boards, 29,129 have been bound up between boards, 24,264 have been entitled, and 20,612 impressed with the Office Stamp.

The present mode of arrangement has been found to be exceedingly convenient, especially to those who search for literary, historical, or archæological purposes. Formerly the bundles of Privy Seals, though abounding with the most valuable information, were never consulted at all; they now can be used with as much ease as a book, and that with perfect safety to the Documents; and whilst they contain in substance the most important matter of the corresponding Rolls, they may be used with very much less trouble and very much greater convenience.

5. *Royal Letters, &c.*—During the year, 1250 of these Documents have been arranged and calendared. About 2000 of these Documents remain to be dealt with, and Mr. Hardy expects, if no interruption takes place, that the whole of this mass, so extremely important for historical inquiry, will be rendered satisfactorily accessible in the course of the current year. His Calendar would, if printed (which could be done at a very moderate cost), form a highly interesting and useful volume.

Some minor repairs have been executed, which are noticed in the Tabular Summary.

Chapter House.

Common Law, Exchequer, and Miscellaneous Records.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. Frederick Devon.)

6. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division will appear from the Tabular Summary.

7. *Inquisitions post mortem.*—Mr. Devon has been engaged for a considerable time upon a chronological and alphabetical Index of these Documents in such manner as is noticed in various preceding Reports (Ninth Report, II. § 2; Tenth Report, II. § 2; Eleventh Report, II. § 37). He has thus operated upon 1408 of them in the course of the present year; 7684 in all. 7170 are contained in 30 bound volumes, and the remainder are temporarily tied up in bundles until they can be arranged either in books or portfolios; but whether in books or bundles, each Document can be readily searched for and found. Taken in connexion with the other Records of the same class returned into Chancery or Exchequer, these Documents are of much value by supplying deficiencies or lacunæ (Fourth Report, II. § 4; Sixth Report, II. § 3; Seventh Report, II. § 69; Ninth Report, II. § 2; Tenth Report, II. § 2); but, for the present, Mr. Devon has been compelled to suspend the Indexing in order to attend to matters which have become more pressing in consequence of the necessity of making every effort for facilitating the removal of the Documents in this Office to the new General Repository (III. § 1).

8. *Miscellanea: Proceedings of the Court of Wards and Liveries, Court of Requests, &c.*—Previously to the commencement of the operations now carrying on with great diligence and judgment by Mr. Devon, assisted by Mr. Burtt, the

senior officer of the Third Class in the Public Record Department, the Documents in question were partly placed on open shelves against the sides of the original entrance into the Chapter House from the cloisters, and labelled "Miscellanea;" others were labelled "Courts of Wards and Requests." The nature of these two collections (as Mr. Devon states in his Report) seems to have been essentially the same; but though the bulk of the Miscellanea consisted of proceedings in the two Courts above-named, yet a large number of Miscellaneous Documents has been found among the collection supposed to consist only of those proceedings. "These Documents (as Mr. Devon continues) constitute a large proportion of the mass transmitted and removed by the authority of an Order in Council, under the Sign Manual, dated 1st September, 1732, into the Chapter House, then the Treasury of the Exchequer; and it seems, from the very confused character which the mass exhibits, that the persons employed swept up all the old papers which they found, treating them almost as rubbish, and sent them away. The Court of Wards and Liveries, and the Court of Requests, had, up to the time of their abolition in the seventeenth century as after stated, been held in certain halls of the Royal Palace of Westminster. After the abolition of these Courts, their Records, then practically useless and neglected, underwent various changes of locality, which may be traced in the Journals and Reports of various Committees of the Houses of Lords and Commons which were appointed between the years 1645 and 1731 to consider how those documents could be better preserved and rendered accessible to the public. The termination of those deliberations, brought to a definite result by the ravages and proximity of the unfortunate fire at the Cottonian Library on the 23rd October, 1731, was the Order above referred to. It is most probable that, during the course of the various changes of locality to which these documents were subjected previous to their deposit in the Chapter House, they received additions from the documents of an entirely distinct character which are now found among them."

"The Official Calendar of the contents of the Chapter House, made in 1807–8, describes the documents packed on the sides of the 'Grand Entrance from the Cloisters' as being 'covered with dirt and in great confusion.' Of these the 'Miscellanea' were the larger, but not the more varied portion."

Partial attempts have since been made to select and separate documents from this mass, but no operations could be effectually pursued which did not commence with the careful cleaning of the documents, and these operations commenced in the month of June, 1849, by means of workmen from the Carlton Ride, and were in progress for about five months in each of the years 1849 and 1850. During 1849 they were confined to those documents placed on open shelves at the sides of the original grand entrance from the Cloisters, and labelled "Miscellanea." In the course of 1850, the remainder of those so described have been completed, and the operations have been extended to others labelled "Court of Wards and Liveries, Court of Requests." Till then, the "Miscellanea" preserved their condition officially described in 1808, and the other Documents operated upon equally deserved such a description. From the time when the workmen supplied from the Carlton Ride began to work upon the Miscellanea, examinations were made of them by Mr. Devon and Mr. Burtt, of which the results have been reported to Your Majesty (Tenth Report, II. § 2; Eleventh Report, II. § 37). But these examinations have now continued with more system, with the assistance of Mr. May, the only other clerk in this office, upon the plan which Mr. Devon thought most advisable. Mr. Devon therefore, in his Annual Report of Proceedings for the year 1850, states that he had directed Mr. Burtt to draw out a full statement thereof, and which (Mr. Devon proceeds) "he has done with so much credit to himself and satisfaction to me, that I cannot "do better than embody it in this Report; and although bearing my signature, it "is to be understood that from this point it is, after much study and research, his "composition."

The Report so made by these Gentlemen proceeds further to state in substance as follows:—

"The present occasion of presenting some account of these Records having called for or suggested an examination of the history and proceedings of the Courts to which they mainly belong, such examination has afforded the opportunity of giving some particulars respecting them, collected from original sources and hitherto unnoticed."

"Extending, as these Records do, over a period of more than 150 years from the latter part of the 15th century, they will be found to contain much curious matter

relating to the domestic and personal events of the period, if not to more important affairs. And the Court of Wards and Liveries, representing, as it did, the practical working of the system of Tenures in capite, embraces upon various occasions the titles and descents of the larger portion of the landed property of England."

"Established by Statute 32 Henry VIII., cap. 46, the 'Court of Wards' was constituted for the purpose of 'better serving' the King with those profits arising from the accidents and incidents of the tenures in chief which had so long formed an important branch of the Royal Revenue. The immediate reasons for the establishment of the Court are not now apparent, supposing any to have existed beyond the complaints which had long been made to the Exchequer against the injustice and impartiality of escheators."

"By Statute 33 Hen. VIII., cap. 22, the management of the Liveries of lands was united to the Court of Wards, which was then known by the joint name."

"Very early in the reign of James I. an important alteration was made in its practice. On the 9th of February, in the first year of James I., a special commission declared that the King, in acknowledgment of the affection and loyalty shown at his accession to the throne, had considered what extraordinary favour he could grant to his deserving subjects in return, and, "considering what a comfort it would be if tenants in capite could have assurance that they might during their lifetime compound for the wardship and marriage of their heirs," he directed the Master and other officers of the Court of Wards and the Chief Justice of the King's Bench to proclaim the royal intention to make such composition with them. By one of the clauses in the Commission it is evident that the probable effects of this proceeding were not overlooked:"—

"And albeit it is manifest unto us that by such extraordinary grant beforehand our annual profit growing by compositions for wards' marriages will for divers years much decay, yet for this time we had rather dispense with such diminution in future than to omit this present opportunity to bind and comfort the hearts of those that have so cheerfully received and dutifully obeyed us in the time of greatest trial."

"The following preamble to the instructions given to Robert Earl of Salisbury, on his appointment as Master, in the eighth year, affords a view of the working of the Court:"—

"Whereas it doth appear by common experience, in the course that hath been held since the first erection of our Court of Wards and Liveries, that, partly by the slackness of the friends of the wards upon the decease of the parents or ancestors (who have forborne to offer timely composition, sometime with opinion that no title could be found for us, and sometime with purpose to suppress the same), and partly by the suit of other men, the custody of the bodies and lands of our wards has been committed to such persons, some for one respect, some for another, as (notwithstanding the care and providence of you, the Master and Council of our Court, to bind them in great bonds and covenants for the well educating of the children and preservation of their inheritance) have been careless of their education, married some in mean places, committed wastes and spoils upon their lands, and in the end have exacted greater sums of money for the marriages of such wards than they ought to have done in reason or equity, notwithstanding any their disbursements whatsoever for passing or procuring the same: And whereas we have been also informed by you, the Master of our said Court, that by reason of the great difficulty that hath been found by the Court, upon sight of offices and surveys only, to set down compositions for wardships and leases of wards' lands with such equality and moderation between us and our subjects as were just and reasonable; and that through want of due information in that behalf much of the profit that you would have raised for us hath been diverted to divers suitors and committees, who, by obscuring the truth of the ward's estate and by misinforming of the Court therein, have reaped greater profit than was intended if you could by ordinary means have come by the knowledge of their values; so as both we have received less than otherwise we should have done, and the ward found little ease in many cases. Wherefore, for the preventing of these and the like inconveniences, and to the end that our loving subjects may stand assured that we desire nothing more than that their children and their lands that shall fall unto us by reason of wardship might, after their decease, be committed to their nearest and trustiest friends, or to such as they by will or otherwise shall commit the charge unto; upon such valuable considerations as are just and reasonable; and to the intent that the parents and ancestors may depart in greater peace in hope of this our gracious favour, and their friends may see their children brought up in piety and learning, and may take such care as is fit for the preservation of their inheritance (if they will seek the same in time and by such means as are fit and convenient); we have thought good hereby to require you."

"In the 12th year of the same reign special instructions were issued to the Chancellor to direct that particular care should be used in the finding of the Office or

'Inquisition post mortem,' a most important document, upon which all future proceedings were grounded, and, when once settled, no question could be raised against a tenure found for the King. The Writ directing the finding of the Inquisition was to be publicly posted in Court, entered in the book of the County Clerk of the shire or place where it was to be executed, and publicly read by him a fortnight before it was used.

"In the 16th and 17th years directions were issued for the management of the business of the Court on the appointment of new Masters.

"In the 17th year a special agreement was entered into between the Officers of the Court and the Officers of the Prince of Wales and Duke of Cornwall relative to Wards who might hold lands both of the King and the Duke. This document is in the Chapter House.

"In the 20th year another and a more full Commission of instructions was issued. Both this and the Commission of the 8th year concluded with full powers to the Master and Council of the Court to regulate the settled annual payments according to their discretion, and strictly enjoined them to reform 'all fraudulent 'devices and practices devised or to be devised and put in use to deceive and 'defeat as of our Wardships,' &c.

"In this reign the Court was established in Ireland, and a seal assigned for it. From the 35th year of Henry VIII. Commissions had been issued for leasing the lands of Wards, &c., there for periods of 21 years. These had been renewed at various intervals, and in that issued in the 14th year of James I. full directions were given for the education of the Wards 'in the College near Dublin.' Power was given to the Commissioners to hear and take evidence in disputed cases, and to certify thereon into the Courts of Chancery or Exchequer.

"The Court of Wards and Liveries continued in operation during the reign of Charles I., but not uninterruptedly; and its total extinction must, under the state of the realm, have been considered as not far distant when, in the 2nd year of that King's reign, a Commission was issued to Sir John Savile, Sir Ferdinand Fairfax, and others, authorizing them to compound with the tenants in chief in the West Riding of the County of York; the incidents of such tenure being alleged in the Royal Commission to be 'of such great charge and trouble to 'the owners, and so little profit to us beyond the Charges of Feodaries and 'Escheators,' that the Commissioners were to agree for the conversion thereof into those of common socage.

"Although the Statutes for its establishment were not formally repealed, the Court of Wards and Liveries may be said to have been abolished by a vote of both Houses of Parliament of the 24th February, 1645, which resolved that the tenures to which Wards, &c., were incident should be converted into free and common socage. And by an order of Parliament, dated 20th September, 1647, the accounts due at the date of the last-mentioned Order were directed to be finally settled in the Exchequer.

"The history of the Court of Wards and Liveries closes with the first Parliament after the Restoration. The previous vote was rendered complete by Statute 12 Car. II., cap. 24, intituled 'An Act taking away the Court of Wards and Liveries and Tenures in Capite and by Knights' Service and Purveyance, and settling a Revenue upon his Majesty in lieu thereof.' It recites that the said Court and tenures 'have been more burthensome, grievous, and prejudicial to 'the kingdom than beneficial to the King,' and enacts the conversion of those tenures as above mentioned. And by this Act certain duties were imposed upon beer, spirits, coffee, &c., as a recompence for the loss occasioned to the Royal revenue by such change of tenure.

"A valuable work by Sir James Ley, Attorney-General to the Court of Wards, treats fully of the descriptions of tenure, &c., by reason of which rights of Wardship, &c., accrued to the King. It also contains a Copy of Instructions to the Master of the Wards in or after the 20th year of James I. The work is now scarce, but the original MS. exists in the Library of the Honourable Society of the Inner Temple.

"As regards the Court of Requests, there seems to be no reason to make any material alteration in the definition given by Cowell on the authority of Sir Julius Cæsar, that 'it was a Court of Equity of the same nature with the 'Chancery, but inferior to it; principally instituted for the relief of such peti-'tioners as in conscionable cases addressed themselves by supplication to His 'Majesty.' A search has been unsuccessfully made for the case referred to by

Coke (4th Inst., cap. 9), in which the Court of Common Pleas decided (Mich. 40, 41 Eliz.) that the Court of Requests was not 'a Court of Judicature.'

"Among the Lansdowne MSS. (No. 125) is the original 'Tractate' of Sir Julius Cæsar referred to by Cowell. It is a collection of arguments, precedents, facts, and opinions made by Sir Julius, as he relates in a letter to Lord Burleigh, on the occasion of a 'great controversy' which arose between the Court of Requests and the Court of Common Pleas shortly after Sir Julius was appointed Master of Requests in 1590;—'which great controversy,' Sir Julius says, 'had 'it not been quenched in time by the Masters of Requests, great inconvenience 'would have arisen to Her Majesty's poor subjects.' In this Treatise the Court of Requests is shown to possess the entire and supreme authority exercised from a very early period by the King's most Honourable Council. It is silent, however, upon any remodelling of the Court which may have taken place in the 8th or 9th year of Henry VII., as generally understood. The remarks made upon the forms used, and the very important nature of many suits, are borne out by the Records now under consideration.

"On the 9th March, 6 Edward VI., John Earl of Bedford, and others, were appointed Commissioners to hear, examine, and order all the suits and requests which should thenceforth be made to the King and Council, because, 'through 'the great number of suits and requests which be daily exhibited unto us, and 'the importune calling on of the suitors of all sorts, the Councillors of the Privy 'Council have heretofore and yet be oftentimes so encumbered and overcharged 'as they cannot so well attend the great and weighty causes of our Estate Royal 'as were requisite.'

"Perhaps the question may be fairly raised whether, in the case cited by Coke, the authority of the Court of Requests was not improperly dealt with as arising from this or some other Commission. If it was the same case as that alluded to by Sir Julius Cæsar—and there is every reason to assume that it was—the exertions of Sir Julius, as shown in this Treatise, may have been the means of restoring the jurisdiction of the Court. It is quite certain that it continued to be very extensively used. It is generally supposed and reported to have been abolished by Stat. 16 Chas. I., cap. 10, in the 'regulations' enacted therein for the Privy Council; but there is in the Chapter House a volume of Decrees extending to the 18th year of that reign."

It is not needful in this place to make any additions to Mr. Burtt's very satisfactory historical summary. Full descriptions and calendars of the books, enrolments, and proceedings, with remarks upon their nature and utility, will be found in preceding Reports (Fourth Report, II. § 28, and App. II., No. 3; Eighth Report, II. § 84, and App. II., Nos. 5, 6, and 7). All the Documents contained in the bound volumes can be consulted with entire facility.

9. *Description of the Documents called "Miscellanea,"—Proceedings of the Court of Wards; &c.*—The documents thus denominated may be treated under three heads:—

1st. Proceedings, properly so called, in the Court of Wards and Liveries and the Court of Requests.

2nd. Documents having connection with proceedings in those Courts.

3rd. Documents having no apparent connection therewith.

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The greater portion of these belong to the latter Court, and consist of the ordinary documentary processes. They are not bundled up in Terms, like the greatest part of the proceedings in the Court of Wards and Liveries, but, although no regular system of making up the documents for the convenience of future reference appears to have been practised, except that most of the proceedings in a suit are put together, they were generally carefully folded and endorsed. Among them are many small packets still closely sealed and fastened up. The contents of these packets appear to consist of depositions or answers of parties or witnesses which have been taken by Commission, and upon which publication never passed, the suits having abated or been abandoned.

The proceedings belonging to the Court of Wards and Liveries consist chiefly of the drafts, originals, and vouchers, from which the Inrolments of Accounts and Decrees were made, together with a few of the usual documentary proceedings in suits.

The series of Inrolments being imperfect, the value of these Documents, when arranged and compared, is very great, for they will be found to supply important or interesting details omitted in the Inrolments. Much information respecting the working of the Court will be recovered from them, of which several examples have presented themselves during the limited examination to which they have been subjected.

2nd. Documents having connection with proceedings in those Courts:—being such as were probably used as evidence in suits; or, though apparently of a private character, bearing upon such proceedings; and Accounts of Officers of those Courts which are portions of regular series, viz.—

Deeds of grant, lease, release, &c.—Richard I. to Charles I. They are very numerous. Ministers' Accounts, Court Rolls, Rentals—Henry III. to Charles I. Among these may be remarked—

Several documents relating to the House of St. Mary de Pratis, Herts, enclosed in the original leathern pouch.

A collection of 58 Ministers' Accounts and Court Rolls for Hodington, in the County of Southampton, 35 Edw. III.—6 James I. A collection of 22 Rolls and Accounts relating to Rayton, Salop, 31 Edw. I.—4 James I. And the following Memorandum (tempore Hen. VIII.) is endorsed upon one of these rolls, 37–38 Edw. III.:—

"This Rolle was shewed the xxij^{d} daye of March at a Commyssion executed oute of the "Kings Maties Courte of Wards and Liveries before us,

"Nic. Edwardes, John Payne,
"Samuel Bowdler, Tho. Bromhall."

A Court Roll for Nasing and other places in Essex, belonging to the Abbey of Waltham Holy Cross, 54-55 Henry III. The first date on this Roll is earlier by two years than any Court Roll previously known to be in the Chapter House. That some of these Documents might have been transmitted into the Court of Requests is not improbable, as in Sir Julius Cæsar's Treatise, quoted above, are references under the title "sometimes Letters sent to Stewards of Court to send up their Rolls."

Letters from private individuals who were parties to suits in these Courts or interested in them, and from persons of influence to officials of those Courts, requesting their "favourable consideration" of cases before them. The names of the principal writers of these letters are noticed at another part of this Report. But letters of business, relating exclusively to causes in progress, have not been separated from the ordinary proceedings. So strangely have these Documents been jumbled, that amongst them are letters from continental parts, tempore Edw. II.

Accounts of Officers of the Court of Wards and Liveries. Many of these are detached portions only.

Inquisitions post mortem:—Henry VIII. to Charles I. These are only detached transcripts, but among them have been discovered several original Inquisitions, having the Escheators' or Commissioners' and Jurors' seals still attached to them. Two have only the Escheators' seal. In Sir James Ley's Treatise on the Court of Wards before referred to, it is said to have been usual for the Escheator to make out and seal a Copy of the Inquisition, and deliver the same to the Jurors, to be kept as a check upon the original transmitted by him to the Chancery. In the two cases under notice, a necessity may have occurred for the exercise of this check.

Miscellaneous Papers. Many of these would be more properly considered under the third division. They are very numerous, and of too varied a character to be accurately described; many of them have been separately calendared in such a summary as the present. Among them are numerous Drafts of State Papers relating to the affairs of Ireland and the United Provinces, Letters under the Privy Seal, Proclamations, Warrants, and Statutes; also a letter from the Archbishop of Canterbury (Whitgift) to the King, requesting his Majesty not to compel the Universities to let their Benefices impropriate to Vicars or Curates, only until he had shown the "inconveniences" of such a restriction. Croydon, 9th July, 1603. Objections to the said scheme, headed, "That impropriations "belonging to the Universities and other Ecclesiastical places and persons cannot "be altered without great inconveniences, it appeareth by the reasons following." Signed by the Archbishop.

10. *Further descriptions of Miscellaneous Documents, Correspondence, &c.*—3rd. Documents not having any apparent connection with the Courts above named. These must have arrived at their present locality by accidental means, principally by having been deposited either in the old Palace of Whitehall, or in some part of the buildings belonging to the ancient Court of the Receipt of the Exchequer, to which department many belong, constituting portions of regular series in this or other Departments, and will, therefore, be important in filling up *lacunæ* therein. Their character may in some degree be understood from the following specimens:—

Accounts of various descriptions relating to the collection or expenditure o different branches of the Public Revenue, and Documents subsidiary thereto. They consist chiefly of "Pell" Rolls, Butlerage, and Prisage Accounts, Accounts of Officers of Calais.

"Placita," of various kinds.

Signet Bills for Privy Seals: Henry VIII. to Charles I.

Signed Bills and Letters under the Privy Seal and Signet for grants, payments, and execution of particular matters.

Documents which do not appear to fall under any of the preceding titles Among these may be noticed a curious little volume of the 13th century, consisting chiefly of Treatises of various kinds; an original letter from a Doge of Venice, notifying the appointment of an Ambassador; Licence by the Papal Prothonotary (with seal broken) to Edith Husse and others, to appoint a Confessor for themselves, 1499; Enrolments of Deeds before the Chamberlain of North Wales, 31-32 Henry VI.; Musters; Appointment of a Captain to a Company of Infantry for the defence of Flanders in 1583; Household Accounts of Individuals.

Notices of the operations upon these Documents will be found in preceding Reports (Ninth Report, II. § 2; Tenth Report, II. § 2; Eleventh Report, II. § 37). About 550 have been described and arranged by Mr. Devon's Index, and covered. The Correspondence is particularly valuable, as will appear from the following list of the writers:—

Lord Arundell to Cardinal Wolsey.
A letter, signed "M. B," to her son Sir Thomas Boleyn.
Richard Fox, Bishop of Winchester, to Cardinal Wolsey.
Thomas Bilson, Bishop of Winchester.
Robert Horne, Bishop of Winchester.
Edward Duke of Somerset, Lord Protector.
Sir Thomas Gresham to Lord Burghley.
Robert Dudley, Earl of Leicester.
Lady Arabella Stuart.
From the University of Oxford, 15 Eliz.
William Earl of Worcester.
The Earl of Hertford.
Lord Chief Justice Popham.
Lord Chancellor Hatton.
Lords of the Council, with their signatures.
Robert Earl of Essex.
Lord Chancellor Egerton—Copy of a letter of advice to the Earl of Essex in his troubles, and his Lordship's answer thereto.
John Whitgift, Archbishop of Canterbury.
Richard Bancroft, Archbishop of Canterbury.
Francis Earl of Bedford (several letters).
Lord Burghley.—(*N.B.* A Copy of one of his letters has lately been required in an important toll cause.)
Lord Hunsdon.
Ambrose Dudley, Earl of Warwick.
Ann Countess of Warwick.
Myles Coverdale.
Lord Buckhurst, Earl of Dorset.
Sir Nicholas Bacon.
Sir Thomas Lucy, of Charlecote.
John Jewell, Bishop of Salisbury.
Thomas Dove, Bishop of Peterborough.
William Barlow, Bishop of Rochester.
Francis Godwin, Bishop of Llandaff.
Edmund Freake, Bishop of Norwich.
Richard Vaughan, Bishop of Bangor. Oath on election in 1595, with his signature.
Thomas Morton, Bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.
Charles Howard, Earl of Nottingham, Lord High Admiral.
Earl of Northumberland.
Sir Walter Raleigh.
Sir Thomas Chaloner.
Sir Thomas Knollis.
Sir Thomas Wharton.
Sir Thomas Smith.
Sir Thomas Savage.
Lord Viscount Cranbourne.
Sir William Godolphin.
Sir Julius Cæsar.
Sir William Sterrell.
Sir Francis Walsingham.
From Henry IV. of France—Copy of letter (with answer thereto) announcing the birth of the Duke of Orleans.
Lord Arundell and Surrey, 20 Jas. I.
Earl of Suffolk, 2 Jas. I.
Earl of Devonshire, 1 Jas. I.
Earl of Huntingdon, 4 Jas. I.
Sir Arthur Chichester, Lord Deputy of Ireland.
Sir Edward Coke, Lord Chie Justice.
Sir Robert Cecyll.
Richard Bancroft, Bishop of London, with the Oath taken on election, bearing his signature.
Richard Vaughan, Bishop of London.
Gilbert Earl of Shrewsbury.
Murray Earl of Annandale.
Earl of Salisbury.
Earl of Northampton.
Lord Edward Bruce.
Earl of Worcester.
Earl of Newcastle.
Duke of Buckingham.
O. Cromwell (13 Chas. I.) relative to the titles of Wiston parsonage in Huntingdonshire.
Lord Bayning.
Lady Anne Dorchester, &c.
Several letters to the States-General and Count Maurice, time of Elizabeth.
Rough draft for proclamation to banish out of the Realm all "Jesuits, Seminaries Friars, or any other Priests whatsoever, regular or secular, being made by the authority of the Church of Rome." Also, a petition of the Catholics of England to the King, for toleration to exercise their religion, "if not in public churches, at least in private houses," &c. Both time of James I.

This shows that, although many of the letters refer to proceedings in the Court of Requests, there are a great variety of other letters and deeds of historical importance quite unconnected therewith.

11. *Other Operations.*—During the current year, 3924 bundles of Common Law Proceedings, from Edward III. to Charles I., have been cleaned and partly described. Many of these are Declarations in the Court of King's Bench, in the reigns from Hen. VIII. to James I.; and Feet, Notes, and Concords of Fines, of which 79 bundles and a great many detached Fines were found, of dates from Edw. II. to Geo. II. The total number of stamps impressed upon the Documents which have been cleaned is 202,632. There are difficulties attending an estimate of the number of distinct Documents represented by these figures.

On the whole, the proceedings in this Branch Office are very important and satisfactory; and when the Documents shall be arranged in the new Repository (III. § 1), they will furnish the most important materials for archæological, historical, and genealogical research and inquiry.

The works performed upon the Chapter House Documents at the Carlton Ride are stated in another portion of this Report (II. § 33).

Carlton Ride, and Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.

Records of the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas, and of the Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer; Equity Records of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Revenue Side of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Palace Court; &c.—(Assistant Keepers, the Rev. Joseph Hunter and Mr. Roberts.)

Mr. Hunter's Division.

12. *Business of the Division.*—Mr. Hunter, having previously given a considerable amount of help in Mr. Cole's Division, managed the whole business thereof during the period between Mr. Cole's exoneration from his duties as an Assistant Keeper of the Public Records (Eleventh Report, II. § 35) and the appointment of Mr. Roberts, as after mentioned (II. § 16). In the following summary, the Business transacted for the several months of the year is set forth:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	—		
1850.					£.	s.	d.
January . .	. .	18	5	1	1	18	0
February . .	. .	144	4	1	3	13	6
March . . .	. .	237	1	1	0	13	0
April . . .	. .	15	. .	. .	0	6	0
May . . .	. .	18	3	. .	1	7	6
June . . .	. .	74	8	1	2	12	0
July . . .	1	8	11	5	2	16	0
August . . .	. .	733	8	1	3	4	0
September . .	. .	20	1	. .	0	7	0
October . .	. .	5	. .	. .	0	5	0
November . .	. .	17	. .	. .	0	8	0
December . .	. .	7	5	. .	1	15	6
Total . .	1	1296	46	10	19	5	6

13. *Queen's Remembrancer's Miscellaneous Records.*—The progress which Mr. Hunter has gradually made in reducing this vast mass into manageable and consultable order, a work which could only have been accomplished by indefatigable perseverance and sound judgment, has been stated in all the previous Reports submitted to Your Majesty (First Report, II. § 4; Second Report, II. § 22; Third Report, II. § 2; Fourth Report, II. §§ 2, 5, 8; Fifth Report, II. § 4; Sixth Report, II. § 2; Seventh Report, II. § 69; Eighth Report, II. § 78; Ninth Report, II. § 27; Tenth Report, II. § 22; Eleventh Report, II. § 14). Mr. Hunter has now arrived at the stage in which the main portion of his labours, and those of the gentlemen in his office, is devoted to the fragmentary and imperfect Records. These consist of detached membranes and parts of membranes, some sound, some partially damaged, and some almost irretrievably injured by violence, neglect, or decay. Amongst these fragments there is a large proportion which, though all Records must be treated with equal care, is nevertheless of comparatively small value; but other portions are quite

as valuable as the sound and most complete documents in the Repository, either because they fill up blanks or chasms in the series, or on account of the information which they contain. In many cases, also, fragments have been found which unite with portions of the Records previously restored. Whatever fragments, whether larger or smaller, have been recovered, Mr. Hunter takes care that they shall be carefully described, as far as they can be ascertained, though in some cases the fragments are so minute that the utmost which can be effected is to ascertain the class to which they belong. Mr. Hunter, in the course of these processes, has not omitted to examine the matter which, though preserved, had been put aside on account of extreme decay, and he has executed this examination without grudging the trouble, though the profit has been inconsiderable.

14. *Subsidy Rolls.*—Mr. Hunter had not proposed in the first instance to extend the calendaring of these Documents beyond the reign of James I.; but frequent applications having been made by the public for Documents of this class of later date, Mr. Hunter has made search amongst the Miscellanea, and selected the Subsidy Rolls of the reigns of Charles I. and Charles II., when the ancient mode of collecting the public revenue terminated. A considerable number of these Documents has been recovered. They have been treated in the same manner as the earlier Rolls of the same class; that is to say, they have been covered, entitled, and described, and the descriptions arranged in sequence to the descriptions of the Rolls of the same class of the earlier periods. They are now all in a uniform state of ready preparation for the statistical or genealogical inquirer. When pursuing this search, other Documents were discovered, which, notwithstanding the great changes which took place towards the end of the later Tudor reigns in the collection of the revenue, are so clearly allied in subject-matter and form to earlier classes, that Mr. Hunter has thought it expedient to place the descriptions in sequence to those of the earlier class.

Amongst the masses thus inspected, the most prominent portion consists of Civil War Accounts. Many also relate to the collection of the Hearth Tax, and a still larger portion of Documents relate to the Customs, "Port Books," and other Documents of the like nature. Of these latter, particularly the "Port Books," a very large quantity arose out of transactions so wholly transitory as to be of very small utility (if any), and it may be questioned whether at some future period it may not be expedient to obtain the power of destroying them. Amongst other advantages resulting from these searches may be mentioned that whatever stray Documents were concealed amongst them belonging to classes already put into order, have been put into their proper places, so that the arrangement of the completed classes may be considered as final. The whole number of Documents which have undergone the examinations before mentioned, and which have been described and prepared for their transmission into the new Record Repository, and are for the present deposited in the boxes, is 4025, which, added to the number before reported, makes the grand total 80,564; but this figure only represents the Documents which are fastened together, not unfrequently five or more, so that if enumerated separately the number would be very much larger. The Records arranged and entitled during the present year belong to the following reigns:—

Henry III.	5	Elizabeth	353
Edward I.	44	James I.	282
Edward II.	16	Charles I.	1257
Edward III.	184	Interregnum	47
Richard II.	131	Charles II.	359
Henry IV.	70	James II.	9
Henry V.	54	William and Mary	45
Henry VI.	290	Anne	2
Edward IV.	83	George I.	4
Richard III.	17	George II.	2
Henry VII.	57	Undetermined	50
Henry VIII.	524		
Edward VI.	101	Total	4025
Philip and Mary	39		

15. *Calendars.*—Two of the clerks, Messrs. Nelson and Redington, have been employed for much of the time not required for the ordinary duties of the office in proceeding with the finished Calendar of the Escheators' matter. This proceeding requires much knowledge and exactitude, and Mr. Hunter reports that those gentlemen are executing their task satisfactorily, and that the portion now in hand will deserve the same approbation of its utility which has been enter-

tained of the previous portions of the same Calendar annexed to the Deputy Keeper's Tenth Report (App. II. No. 1). The portions open to the public in continuation of the portions formerly reported are—

Ebor. (Com.) from Henry V.
—— (Civitas).
—— (Vill. de Kingston super Hull).
Essex and Hertford.
Gloucester and Marches of Wales.
———- (Vill. Bristol).
Hereford and Marches of Wales.
Kent and Middlesex.
London (City of) as far as Henry IV.
Canterbury (City of).
Lincoln (Com.)
——— (Civitas).
Norfolk and Suffolk.
——— (Civitas Norwici).
——— (Villa Gippewici).
Northampton and Rutland.
———- (Villa Northampton).
Northumberland (including Cumberland and Westmorland to the end of the reign of Henry V., when they were divided in two Escheatries).
——————— (Villa Novi Castri super Tynam).

Mr. Roberts' Division.

16. *Business of the Division.*—Mr. Roberts was placed in charge of this Division, by the directions of the Master of the Rolls, on 18th April, 1850, and entered upon his duties 24th April, 1850. Such portions of the business as were transacted previously to these dates were conducted under the direction of Mr. Cole (Eleventh Report, II. § 35). Mr. Roberts, when an Assistant Keeper at the Tower, was there employed upon the Calendar of the Patent Rolls, as noticed in preceding Reports (Ninth Report, II. §§ 6, 24; Tenth Report, II. §§ 9, 14; Eleventh Report, II. §§ 8, 12); and although his removal to the Carlton Ride brought upon him a very great and arduous increase of responsibility and labour, he nevertheless requested that he might continue as before to work upon that Calendar, in addition to the work he is now called upon to perform. A statement of his operations thereon will be found in a subsequent part of this Report (II. § 37).

The Business of this Division, and the amount of Fees received, will appear from the following statement:—

Fees received from 1st January to 31st December, 1850.

——	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Net Amount of Fees.	Total.
						£. s. d.	£. s. d.
Common Pleas, and Palace and Marshalsea Courts	667	..	..	..	..	33 7 0	
	..	174	..	..	..	8 14 0	
	..	..	403	..	..	56 18 0	
	..	..	..	375	..	48 3 6	
	..	..	..	..	4	8 8 0	
							155 10 6
Queen's Bench	61	..	..	..	..	3 1 0	
	..	66	..	..	..	3 6 0	
	..	..	30	..	..	15 1 0	
	..	..	..	19	..	8 8 0	
							29 16 0
Exchequer	110	..	..	..	..	5 10 0	
	..	411	..	..	..	20 11 0	
	..	..	198	..	..	61 1 6	
	..	..	..	87	..	27 8 6	
	..	..	..	..	1	0 5 0	
							114 16 0
Total	838	651	631	481	5	.. £	300 2 6

17. *Receipts and Removals of Accruing Records.*—The Records included in the five several Warrants dated 23rd February, 1850, noticed in the Eleventh Report (I. § 2), namely, for the year 1829, have been duly transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls. The Documents so received have been incorporated

with the classes already in the Carlton Ride in their proper places. All the Lists have been completed under the directions of Mr. Roberts, a work of considerable labour.

For the reasons stated in a preceding section (I. § 1), the issuing of the Warrants for the transmission of the Accruing Records for the year 1830 has been suspended.

18. *Records of the Palace and Marshalsea Courts.*—By authority of the beforementioned Warrant or Order, 25th April, 1850 (I. § 3), all the existing Books and Records of these Courts have been received into this Repository. The Books have been sorted into classes. The Records of the Proceedings for the last five years have been completely arranged in such a manner as to enable any Document, required for practical use, to be readily found. The earlier portions of the Records have only been roughly sorted, the Officers of the Palace Court having stated that they were completely obsolete, and never required for practical purposes; and consequently the complete arrangement of them has not been effected. They are, however, much better arranged, and much more accessible, than they were when deposited in the late Court House in Scotland Yard. It is proper to observe that a great number of the Records are in an imperfect state, many blanks being left, and the Records otherwise imperfectly or negligently made up.

The following is a more particular account of the Palace Court Books and Records, &c., as they have been arranged. All have been ticketed.

An Account of Books removed from the Palace and Marshalsea Courts, 2 May, 1850.

CLASS.	Commencing.	Ending.	Number of Vols.
Affidavits	1693	1849	27
Appearance (Common)	1830	1849	3
,, to Process served	1706	1802	26
Appraisements . . . . . about	1821	. .	1
Attorneys, Bills of Costs	1694	1702	3
,, Fines for non-attendance at the Office	1814	1819	1
,, Transcript	1716	1760	9
Bail	1692	1836	66
,, Indexes	1692	1778	52
,, Entries of Common	1828	1830	1
also of Pleas filed by Defendant in person	1828	1829	
Bond	1697	1838	64
Custodies	1699	1780	17
Day (Accounts for Plaints, Oaths, &c.)	1822	1847	34
,, Accounts of Stamps delivered to the Attorneys	1802	1841	52
Declarations	1692	1812	61
Doggett or Judgment	1802	1849	8
Execution	1802	1849	15
Fees (Court)	1811	1846	13
,, J. C. Hewlitt	1833	1846	4
,, Received for Counsel on Narrs.	1815	1817	1
Guard and Orderly (Saint Andrew and Saint James Volunteers).	1803	1804	2
Habeas Corpus	1700	1849	38
Issues (General)	1728	1773	13
Long	1797	1849	16
Narrs. (Buckleys)	1797	1799	1
Note (Judges')	1799	1849	39
Obass	1712	1733	11
Paupers	1705	1732	4
Plaint	1686	1849	58
Private Bill	1712	1717	1
,, Memorandum	1745	1776	2
,, Disbursement	1798	1828	3
,, Weekly Office Accounts	1814	. .	1
,, Daily Account of Stock of Writs, Warrants, Stamps, and Bails.	1821	. .	1
Profit	1644	1846	150
Receipts and Payments, marked A and B.	1811	. .	2
,,	1808	. .	1
,,	1811	1812	3
Returns	1708	1798	40
Rule	1666	1818	78
Transcripts	1719	1723	2
Writs of Error	1828	1833	1
Writs renewed	1783	1787	1

An Account of Records and Documents removed from the Palace and Marshalsea Courts, 2 May, 1850.

CLASS.	Commencing.	Ending.	No. of Bundles.
Affidavits of Service of Writs	1846	1849	3
Affidavits, Special	1847	1849	1
Affidavits and Consents	1846	1849	4
Applications Affidavits—under Small Debts Act	. .	1846	1
Bail Papers	1846	1849	4
Bills of Costs	1830	1849	2
Bills of Costs on Final Judgments . . .	1845	1849	1
Cause Papers	1812	1849	2
,, Judges	. .	1848	1
Commitments, Orders for; Payments and Discharges	1845	1848	1
Declarations	1846	1849	4
,, Pleas	1846	1849	4
Executions	1846	1849	4
Judges' Summons Papers	1846	1849	1
Jury Panels	1846	1848	2
Narrs.	1846	1849	1
Office Copies of Judgments; . . . about	1846	1849	2
Præcipes for Subpœnas	1841	1849	1
Records, or Judgment Rolls	1829	1849	30
Requests on Summons, under Small Debts Act .	1846	. .	1
Rule Papers	1848	. .	1
Summonses	1847	1849	2
,, Cur. Mem^{r}.	1846	1849	1
Venire Facias returnable	1848	. .	1
,, Papers	1812	1847	1
Warrants	1846	1849	4
Writs	1845	1849	10

A great mass of Miscellaneous matter has been examined, preparatory to being arranged with the various classes. The sortation is still being continued; and an Inventory has been made of the Appointments of Officers, Oaths of Office, &c., from 1706 to 1849.

19. *Arrangements, Repairs, Inventories, &c.*—The following is a Statement of Inventories, &c., completed or in progress. Under this heading, all Lists, Inventories, Calendars, and Indexes, and all work of minute arrangement preparatory to the formation of the same, are reported. Further particulars will be found in the Tabular Summary.

Queen's Bench.

20. *Plea Side.*

Marshal's Rules of Acknowledgment of Defendant in Custody, from 1812 to 1829, 9 bundles in 1 bag.

Marshal's Dockets of Commitment in Execution, from 1730 to 1822, 17 bundles in 1 bag.

Tied up in brown paper parcels, packed in canvas bags, and ticketed.

21. *Crown Side.*

Plea Rolls.—Placita Coram Rege, Ric. I. to Edw. I., 482 Rolls } in 17 vellum cases.
Placita Coram Justiĉ Itiñantibʒ, 25 Rolls }
Placita de Juratis & Assisis, Edw. I. to Hen. VI., 322 Rolls in 17 vellum cases.
Gaol Deliĉ (div̄ Com̄), Edw. I. to Hen. VI., 134 Rolls in 7 vellum cases.

Identified with Index, made List according to numbers, temporary tickets with number affixed to each Roll, and Rolls arranged in chronological and numerical order in cases.

Doggett Books.—On finishing the arrangement and packing of the Miscellaneous Pipe and other Documents, a large bundle of Doggett Books belonging to this Court, and remaining in the Loft, have been operated upon. They fill up many of the chasms previously existing in that series. They are for the reigns of Charles I., Charles II., Anne, Geo. I., Geo. II., and Geo. III.

Common Pleas.

22. *Common Rolls.*—The work of dividing and re-packing the Common Rolls, as previously arranged, has been commenced. It will require a considerable time to complete the series, but it is a very necessary work previous to their removal to the new Repository. For the reign of Elizabeth, 11 Rolls have been re-bound and completed, 22,703 membranes dusted, 22,703 flattened, and 1458 mended.

23. *Feet of Fines.*—The operations described in previous Reports have been continued. The Feet of Fines for the reigns from Hen. III. to Ric. III., for the counties of Hertford, Huntingdon, Kent (part), Lancaster, Leicester, and Essex (part), have been arranged, and put in covers in numbers of 25 to each book, preparatory to being examined and calendared, or checked with the old Calendar, when existing. In the counties of Hereford, Huntingdon, Lancaster, Leicester, and Kent (part), the Fines have been examined and arranged chronologically, and renumbered. Dates of terms (1 Geo. II., 3 bundles; Geo. III., 46 bundles) have been examined, and the Fines belonging to other bundles have been put in their proper places; the counties sorted alphabetically, and the Fines stamped and ticketed.

24. *King's Silver Books.*—Examined to ascertain date, identified with entries on Rolls, &c., for the following reigns:—

Reign.	Terms or Parcels ascertained.	Too much decayed to be determined.
Edward VI.	2	..
Philip and Mary	5	..
Elizabeth	133	3
James I.	81	15
Charles I.	33	25
Commonwealth	28	19
Charles II.	22	85
James II.	3	4
William and Mary	5	55
Anne	18	..
Total	330	206

The 206 parcels which are too much decayed to be accurately determined, have been carefully examined, and an approximation of their date made, which will serve as a guide to any persons wishing to make search therein.

Exchequer: Queen's Remembrancer.

25. *Barons' Depositions.*—Three portfolios (Tenth Report, II. § 33; Eleventh Report, II. § 26) of these Documents have been arranged alphabetically (T. to V). They have been examined and repaired, and Miscellaneous Depositions added, each one in its proper place.

26. *Bills and Answers, &c., Elizabeth to Geo. III.*—The arrangement has been continued in the same manner as stated in previous Reports (Tenth Report, II. § 34; Eleventh Report, II. § 27). 5042 Documents for the following reigns have been identified with Bill Books; and of 4889 which were not entered in the Bill Books, new Lists have been made, viz.:—

Reign.	Identified with Bill Books.	Not entered in Bill Books.
Elizabeth	235	..
James I.	376	1172
Charles I.	1581	1724
Commonwealth	431	626
Charles II.	1858	1152
James II.	399	113
William and Mary	92	102
Anne	70	..
Total	5042	4889

To facilitate arrangement, &c., extracts have been made on slips of the names of Plaintiffs and Defendants, from the Office Bill Books, for the purpose of making the Alphabetical Index. James I., part of Lincoln, and part of London and Middlesex, have been done.

27. *Depositions by Commission.*—The Suits in the Commission Books have been numbered; and the names of parties, counties, reigns, and terms, and the numbers, extracted for the following reigns:—Part of James I., Charles I., Charles II., in continuation of former operations (Tenth Report, II. § 35; Eleventh Report, II. § 28); and examining with Books, 1 to 21 Geo. III.

28. *Special Commissions.*—A ticket stating the county and year has been sewed on each file or suit, arranged according to counties in portfolios, for the following reigns :—

	Portfolios.
Elizabeth	16
James I.	10
Charles I.	6
Commonwealth	1
Charles II.	5
James II.	1
William and Mary	2
Anne, Geo. I., and Geo. II.	1
Geo. III.	1

29. *Augmentation Office: Charters.*—Their arrangement has been continued, and Miscellaneous Documents added to those previously arranged (Ninth Report, II. § 57).

30. *Augmentation: Particulars for Grants.*—The operations upon these important Documents have proceeded (Tenth Report, II. § 39 ; Eleventh Report, II. § 31). The letters P. R. S. T., Edw. VI., have been described and ticketed, consisting of 130 bundles, 1299 membranes. The Index has been continued, and is consultable as far as the letter O.

31. *Augmentation: Miscellaneous Books.*—10 Volumes have been minutely examined and calendared, in addition to those previously reported (Eleventh Report, II. § 32).

32. *Pipe and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Records.*—The following Lists of Miscellanea have been proceeded with, in continuation of operations previously reported (Tenth Report, II. § 40 ; Eleventh Report, II. § 33) :—

Affidavits, Town Clerks' and General	1660 to 1833	2 packages
,, of No Felons' Goods	1688 to 1833	1 ,,
Appearance Rolls	1681 to 1833	1 ,,
Appointments of Sheriffs' Deputies	1680 to 1832	1 ,,
Army Warrants, and other Papers	1642 to 1680	
Bailiffs' and do. Arrearages	1269 to 1645	1 ,,
Books, Miscellaneous	1509 to 1820	1 ,,
Commissions and Oaths	1684 to 1832	1 ,,
Creation, Money Receipts	1553 to 1833	1 ,,
Declarations of Sheriffs' Accounts	4 Edw. III. to 1651	2 ,,
Drafts of Demises	Hen. VII. to 2 Geo. IV.	8 ,,
Estreats, Rolls of	1 Geo. II. to 33 Geo. II.	1 ,,
,, Entries of	23 Hen. VII. to 1791	
Fee Farm Rents	Charles I. (?)	1 ,,
Fieri Facias Distringas	8 Will. III. to 2 Will. IV.	1 ,,
Green Wax Receipts	1633 to 1831	
Insuper Accounts and Issues	1 Eliz. to 1823	2 ,,
Names of Clerks of the Peace	1723 to 1764	
Names of Sheriffs	Edw. I. to 4 Car I.	
Nomina Villarum	1663 to 1768	
Paper, Miscellaneous	29 Hen. VIII. to 3 Will. IV.	
Patents, Estreats of	Car. II. to 36 Geo. III.	
Petty Customs, Southampton	1683 to 1831	1 ,,
Presentation—Acquittances	1677 to 1831	1 ,,
Presentation of Mayors, Sheriffs, &c., London and Middlesex	12 Geo. II. to 3 Will. IV.	
Proffers, &c.	4 Ph. and Mary to 3 Geo. IV.	2 bags
Quietuses	1634 to 1826	2 packages
Receipts, various	1624 to 1702	
Repertories—		
Escheators'	1 Edw. II. to 23 Hen. VI.	2 rolls
Foreign Rolls	1 Edw. I. to 38 Hen. VI.	7 ,,
Knights Templars' Lands	Edw. II.	1 ,,
Originalia	20 Edw. I. to 39 Hen. VI.	9 ,,
Preceptas	1 Edw. III. to 1 Jac. I.	4 ,,
Reliefs	1 Edw. I. to 51 Edw. III.	3 ,,
States and Views	1 Edw. III. to 14 Jac. I.	9 ,,
Schedule Firm̃ absť ab Orig̃.	25 Hen. VI. to 14 Car. II.	9 ,,
Schedule Pipe for Nichil Debts	.. ..	6 ,,
Sheriffs' Warrants of Attorney	4 W. and Mary to 2 Will. IV.	2 bags
States and Views of Accounts—Inrolments	6 Car. I. to 3 Will. IV.	1 package
States of Sheriffs' Accounts	5 Car. I. to 4 Will. IV.	2 ,,
Summons Rolls	5 Eliz. to 41 Eliz.	9 rolls
Summons of Green Wax	19 Car. II. to 8 Geo. IV.	4 packages
Summons of Pipe	32 Hen. VI. to 3 Will. IV.	2 ,,

Tax Accounts	41 Eliz. to 1830	1 package
Tots of the Pipe	1 Edw. VI. to 13 Eliz.	1 roll
Views	12 Will. III. to 29 Geo. III.	1 ,,
Views of Sheriffs	25 Geo. II. to 6 Geo. IV.	
Wages of Justices, and of Clerks of the Peace .	32 Eliz. to 3 Will. IV.	1 package
Warrants and Orders	Jac. I. to 3 Will. IV.	
Writs, &c.	Edw. III. to Geo. IV.	10 ,,
Writs, Rolls of	11 Edw. II. to 11 Car. I.	
Writs, Bills of	26 Car. II. to 3 Will. IV.	1 ,,

In the foregoing List, various Repertories are included which had been put aside some years ago for more particular examination. Their particular application to the Originalia, Escheators' and Foreign Rolls, and Knights Templars' Lands, &c., has now been determined; and they constitute a considerable addition to the Repertories previously in public use in this Office,

33. *Chapter House Records.*—During the year, as before mentioned (II. §§ 8, 11), six of the workmen, on an average, were almost entirely employed at the Chapter House in dusting, stamping, re-tieing, and packing the Miscellaneous Writs, and the mass of Records belonging to the Court of Wards and Liveries, &c. A very large quantity of these Records has been brought to the Carlton Ride to be flattened, partially sorted, and packed, previously to their return to the Chapter House.

Rolls Chapel Office.

Records of the Chancery, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Palmer and Mr. Holden.)

34. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division continues with little variation. The diminution arising from the cessation of Enrolments of Specifications, pursuant to the recent Statute, 11 and 12 of Your Majesty's reign, cap. 94 (Tenth Report, II. § 11), is of course permanent. Several Searches have been made for Departments of Your Majesty's Government, and to a considerable extent for the use of the Commissioners for inquiring into the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge. The following is the amount of the Business during the year :—

926 Searches.
1440 Inspections.
233 Copies, containing . . . . . 5039 Folios.
108 Authenticated Copies, containing 2651 ,,
5 Attendances for Vacaturs.
Amount of Fees, 272*l.* 13*s.* 6*d.*

35. *Transmissions of Records.*—According to the usual course of the Chancery, the following Records have been brought into the Rolls Chapel during the year, and deposited in their proper places :—

The Parliament Rolls of the 12th and 13th of Your Majesty's reign, consisting of 34 parts, made up in 36 Rolls; and of the 13th and 14th of Your Majesty's reign, consisting of 22 parts; from the House of Lords.

The two Rolls of Recognizances, belonging to the Close Rolls of 5 Will. IV., and not brought in from the Enrolment Office with the Close Rolls of that year (Eleventh Report, II. § 10).

Enrolments of Decrees, 53 in number, which have been made up in three Rolls, and part of a fourth, and the Docquets, which have been made into a like number of bundles; from the Office of the Clerks of Records and Writs.

36. *Arrangements, Repairs, Indexes, &c.*—330 membranes of various Documents have been damped, 345 membranes have been repaired, and 834 membranes have been sewed. The Entries of Denizations in the Calendars of the Patent Rolls of Geo. I. and II. have been examined and corrected; and an Index to the Patent Rolls, 2 and 3 Will. IV., has been made in draft. The Indexes to the Close Rolls, for various years of Geo. IV. and Will. IV., are in different stages of progress; and other operations have been carried on, particulars of which appear in the Tabular Summary.

37. *Calendars of the Ancient Patent Rolls.*—This very important Calendar has been completed for the reign of Hen. VII., in the manner and according to the plan and scheme noticed in preceding Reports (Ninth Report, II. §§ 6, 24;

Tenth Report, II. §§ 9, 14; Eleventh Report, II. §§ 8, 12), and the completed volumes, to the conclusion of the reign of Hen. VII., have been deposited in the Rolls Chapel for the use of the public. The preparations needed, however, for removing the Records into the new Repository, now a primary object, have in some degree interfered with the progress of this Calendar. Mr. Lascelles, to whose labour and steadiness much is due, has been taken off entirely, for the purpose of co-operating with Mr. Black, as after mentioned (II. §§ 40–44); and the formation of this Calendar is now, therefore, intrusted wholly to Mr. Roberts, who, notwithstanding the heavy duties which have devolved upon him at the Carlton Ride, continues to employ himself upon this important labour (Mr. Gairdner working under his direction). The work continues steadily without interruption. The Calendar for the first 14 years of Hen. VIII. is nearly completed; and the draft, except a very small portion, having been examined and settled by Mr. Roberts, and fair copied as far as the 10th year, Mr. Roberts will continue the correction thereof, and expects that 6 or 7 Volumes will be completed, fit for transmission into the Rolls Chapel, in the course of the current year.

Rolls House.

Pell Records, and other Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer, late in the custody of the Comptroller-General, &c.; Treasury Records; Slave Registration and Compensation Records; Welsh Records; &c.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. William Henry Black.)

38. *Business of the Division.*—The amount of Business transacted in this Division appears in the Tabular Summary.

39. *Transfer of Slave Registration Documents.*—These Documents, previously mentioned (I. § 7), received into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and deposited in the Rolls House, under the charge of Mr. Black, are the following:—

Registers and Returns of Slaves, in the several Colonies of Great Britain, from 1817 to 1835, and Indexes thereto; in 663 large volumes.

Order Books, Fee Books, and Memorandum Books, relating to official Business; in 8 volumes.

Original Letters and Papers; in 25 bundles, lots, and portfolios.

Printed Parliamentary Papers, &c.; 2 bundles.

2 Tables of Fees.

Correspondence Book.

More particular Lists or Inventories will be prepared as speedily as possible.

40. *Exchequer Records.*—Several thousands of Tellers' Bills have been cleansed and arranged: part of them has been incorporated with those already reported, and part remains for further treatment, in boxes. The Miscellaneous Parchments and Papers have received some farther advance in their classification and arrangement; and a file of Tellers' Bonds has been found among them, and repaired at the Carlton Ride Branch Office. Of the Original Privy Seals, those from Edw. VI. to Geo. III. (which had been merely distributed into reigns, and tied up in bundles) are severally dated with pencil, arranged in years, and made up into bundles in a better manner; and those of the latest period (Geo. III. to Will. IV), which were in the Auditor's Office in 1834, have been reduced from confusion into a numerical series (as they were marked in the Office), for the purpose of ascertaining how far they were complete, and their final arrangement in boxes is in progress. The Miscellaneous Exchequer Rolls, whether received from the Comptroller-General or brought from the Chapter House, have been carefully examined, and for the most part reduced into classes or series; some of which are indorsed or labelled, and all are placed in boxes, in progress toward more perfect treatment. In the course of this process, several Rolls have been incorporated with series heretofore in part collected, as, for example, the Gentlemen-Pensioners' Rolls. The various portions of those large series of volumes, the Auditor's Patent Books, Privy Seal Books, Warrant Books, Letters of Attorney, and Assignment Books, obtained partly from the Comptroller's Office, partly from the vault at Somerset House, and partly from the Paymaster of Civil Services, have been collected, re-united, numbered, labelled, or indorsed, and arranged on shelves, in the order proposed in Tables annexed to Mr. Black's Report on the Treasury Records (Seventh Report, App. II. No. 1).

41. *Treasury Records.*—Some progress has been made, at intervals, in sorting the Miscellaneous Papers and Parchments: the latter, when selected, are incorporated with bundles previously made up. The great chests of Papers, &c., which had been deposited in a small house built for that purpose in the Rolls Garden (Ninth Report, II. § 11), have been removed into the Engine-house, and the loft over it, in the Rolls Yard, in consequence of the necessary demolition of that small house to make room for the new General Record Repository. Of the Customs' Establishments, 72 volumes have been indorsed in the past year.

42. *Chapter House Records.*—Beside the Rolls already mentioned as having been classified, the following operations have been performed:—A Papal Bull of Innocent VIII., written bookwise, has been repaired at the Carlton Ride; and 19 Indenture Books, relative to the Chapel and Obitual Foundations of King Henry VII., have been thoroughly repaired, and the original velvet binding of one of them has been restored, as a specimen, at the same Branch Office. The skilful repairs of these highly curious Documents, which were in the last stage of decay, and crumbling into rags and dust, are most creditable to the Workman to whom they were intrusted. These Books now occupy 2 boxes.

43. *Slave Compensation Records.*—Much time and labour have been bestowed on these Documents, to which frequent resort is made by the public for information respecting Colonial estates and interests. The method adopted in the arrangement of every class is, first, to follow the order of the Colonies, as stated in the Returns laid before the House of Commons in 1838; and, next, the numerical order of the several Claims in the respective Colonies. Two sets of numbers, therefore, are sufficient to denote and refer to any individual case of Compensation, and all Entries and Papers relative thereto among the 46,556 Claims made in respect of Emancipated Slaves. The first Class to be reported consists of the Accountant-General's Originals of Awards on Litigated Claims, with the several Powers of Attorney, Identifications, Cheques, Cheque-ends, and various other Documents thereto respectively belonging; these have all been cleansed, verified, made up into 71 bundles within mill-boards, indorsed, and finally arranged in a closet. The Compensation Papers, consisting of 428 Books in paper covers, have been cleansed, mended, made up into 66 large packets, indorsed, and finally arranged. The Returns (except those of Mauritius, which were inconveniently annexed to the Claims, and are in progress of separation) have been duly arranged on shelves. The Claims (except those of Mauritius) are all cleansed, mended, uniformly made up into large packets between mill-boards, labelled, and arranged on shelves as volumes. The Counter-Claims are treated in like manner, care being taken to fold and annex the numerous and diversified Documents which accompany them so as to prevent confusion, and render them uniform in appearance and readily accessible: this laborious work is yet in progress, having proceeded through the Colonies of Antigua, Barbadoes, and seventeen parishes of Jamaica. The Miscellaneous Books and Papers have been partly reduced to order, and are in progress of arrangement. The Registers of Claims, &c., in 63 volumes, have been labelled in duplicate; and 78 volumes of Commissioners' "Hearing Notes" have been cleansed, labelled, and arranged.

44. *Inventories and Calendars.*—Of the Slave Compensation Records, various lists and tables have been made, as the elements of a General Inventory of those Records. There is also prepared, in draught, an Inventory or Catalogue of the Innovate Rolls, which, though few in number, extend from 14 Edw. I. to 27 Car. II. Neither of these compilations is at present complete.

Some progress has been made by Mr. Knight in the Calendar of the Auditor's Patent Books and Rolls, &c., but it is not yet complete, and is subject to correction.

45. *Audit Office Documents.*—Mr. Black's time has been much occupied in completing the examination of the Audit Office Documents relating to the Peninsular War, and reporting thereon, as mentioned in a previous section (I. § 6).

III. General Matters connected with the Care and Management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

1. *New Record Repository.*—Parliament having been pleased to vote the sum of 30,000*l.*, in part of the sum of 45,320*l.*, required for the erection upon the Rolls Estate of the block of building capable of receiving all the Records now in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and all such as are likely to accrue for the term of twenty years, in such manner as is stated in the Eleventh Report (III. § 1), the excavations and works for the erection of such building have been commenced, and are now in active progress. The principles of construction and the plan of the building will be found in the Estimates for the Civil Services for the year ending 31st March, 1851, printed by order of the House of Commons, 17th July, 1850 (Sessional Paper, 571, VIII.) Mr. Pennethorne, the Architect of Your Majesty's Board of Works, has also prepared and perfected plans for the extension of the building when needed; so that the whole of the Rolls Estate may, when and if circumstances shall require such extension, be ultimately covered with buildings capable of receiving all Your Majesty's Public Documents and Records.

Every care has been taken in settling the mode of construction to economize expense, and to render the building as commodious and as secure as is possible; and it is expected that the block of building above-mentioned will be roofed in before the 1st July, 1852.

2. *Scheme for the Arrangement of the Public Records.*—Mr. Thomas, the Secretary of this Department, who had previously acted as Secretary to Lord Langdale, in conducting and winding up the affairs of the late Record Commission after its expiration, came into this his present employment with a very great fund of knowledge, which he had acquired when previously employed in Your Majesty's State Paper Office. Besides the general analogy subsisting between all depositories of public Muniments, there is, with respect to the State Paper Office and the Public Record Office, a most intimate and close connexion, inasmuch as they may rather be considered as two branches of one Department than as distinct Departments, notwithstanding the differences of their official organization. Between a large proportion of the classes now in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and those which the alterations in the modern conduct of Public Business have placed in the Departments of Your Majesty's Secretaries of State, but more particularly in the Home and Foreign Departments, there is no essential distinction of character. Notwithstanding the variations introduced in practice in the modern mode of conducting business, as well as the alterations in Public Policy and Government, even with respect to matters strictly under the cognizance of the Courts of Common Law, it is not always practicable to draw a definite line between the Public Record Documents and the State Paper Documents; still more so with respect to the Documents placed in the Royal Chancery almost from the origin of the Constitution. The classes of Documents relating to affairs both Foreign and Domestic pass off by almost imperceptible gradations to the Papers which fill the Offices of Your Majesty's Secretaries of State, and constitute a continuous series of the Evidences and Memorials of the History, Government, and Administration of the Realm.

During the period that Mr. Thomas was employed in the State Paper Office, he was constantly seeking out useful information from the contents of the Repository or having reference thereto. Bringing his collections with him, he has continued this practice since his appointment to the Record Department; digesting Historical Notes, whether connected with the State Paper Office or with other Public Departments; and arranging the same under proper heads, so that immediate reference could be made to the same; arranging them into the shape of Historical Indices, which may be termed Histories reduced into alphabetical arrangement. These constitute a vast mass of information never before subjected to such a process, and the collections are brought into order by Mr. Thomas for the use of the Office, and are permanently deposited therein. Mr. Thomas has thus (*e. g.*) compiled a Volume of Historical Notes of all matters of the Reign of Henry VIII.; another, being a list of Treaties and Diplomatic Proceedings, and the like; which, besides their obvious utility in assisting searches amongst Documents already brought into order, will be highly serviceable in assisting the Officers of the Establishment and others in assigning dates to undated Documents, and to which the date can only be assigned from internal evidence.

These works, however, constitute only a very small portion of the labours which

have resulted from the talent and industry of Mr. Thomas; and in conformity to the wishes expressed on the subject of the arrangement of Records in the letter of the Master of the Rolls, dated 7th January, 1839 (First Report, No. 26, § 26), Mr. Thomas has employed himself continually in condensing, methodizing, and digesting under heads in alphabetical or dictionary order, the information dispersedly contained in the several Reports and other Publications of the late Commissioners on the Public Records, the Deputy Keeper's Reports, and other Parliamentary Publications on the same subject, the materials collected by the late Record Commissioners, and the Calendars of the Public Records not included in the before-mentioned descriptions; which Collections, as they proceed, become Indexes to all the several classes of Documents belonging to the several Courts or Departments whose Muniments are in the custody of the Master of the Rolls. He has also prepared an elaborate scheme for the arrangement thereof. The leading principle of the plan pursued by Mr. Thomas is to preserve the integrity of each Court or Department, whether the same be obsolete and abolished, or active and subsisting; subdividing each class according to its natural order, and showing how the classes severally branch out from each other. Subject to such corrections as further experience may suggest, the plan will be a most important aid in the bodily arrangement of the Records in the New Repository, according to a systematic and intelligible scheme, and so clearly that any other person consulting the Table will be able at one examination or view to obtain a complete and correct knowledge of the contents thereof. It may be considered, so to speak, as an Index-map to the whole assemblage of Documents concentrated under the custody of the Master of the Rolls.

All which is humbly submitted to Your Majesty.

Dated this first day of March, in the year of Our Lord, 1851, in the fourteenth year of the reign of Your Majesty.

(Signed) FRANCIS PALGRAVE,
The Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

I most humbly certify to Your Majesty, that this Report is made by the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, under my direction, pursuant to the Statute.

(Signed) LANGDALE, M. R.

OFFICES.	ARRANGEMENT, REPAIRS, &c.	REMOVALS.
ROLLS HOUSE.	EXCHEQUER of RECEIPT:— TELLERS' VOUCHERS (Receipts, &c., for Pensions)—The remainder of modern Vouchers incorporated TELLERS' BILLS—Cleansing and arranging continued MISCELLANEOUS—Arrangement in progress ORIGINAL PRIVY SEALS—Old Series, Edw. VI.—G. III., arranged chronologically in 57 bundles; Modern Series, G. III.—W. IV., cleansed, and arranged numerically in boxes GENTLEMEN-PENSIONERS' ROLLS } Arranged in boxes MISCELLANEOUS ROLLS . . . } AUDITOR'S PATENT BOOKS, PRIVY SEAL BOOKS, WARRANT BOOKS, LETTERS of ATTORNEY, and ASSIGNMENT BOOKS—Labelled, indorsed, and arranged TREASURY RECORDS:— OLD PAPERS and PARCHMENTS—Arrangement in progress CUSTOMS' ESTABLISHMENTS—72 Volumes indorsed SLAVE COMPENSATION RECORDS:— COMPENSATION PAPERS—Cleansed, mended, arranged in 66 packets RETURNS—Arranged (except Mauritius in progress) CLAIMS—Cleansed, arranged, labelled, &c. (except Mauritius) COUNTER-CLAIMS—Like operations in progress REGISTERS of CLAIMS, &c.—63 Volumes labelled in duplicate HEARING NOTES—78 Volumes cleansed, labelled, and arranged MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS and PAPERS—Arrangement in progress PAPERS and BOOKS of ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL—Cleansed, arranged, indorsed	. . . .
ROLLS CHAPEL.	Damped. Mended. Sewed. Various Membranes . . 330 345 834 CLOSE ROLLS, 5 Geo. IV., numbering Deeds	HOUSE of LORDS to ROLLS CHAPEL—Parliament Rolls, or Acts of Parliament, 12 and 13, and 13 and 14 Vict. ENROLMENT OFFICE to ROLLS CHAPEL—Two Rolls of Recognizances, 5 W. IV. OFFICE of CLERKS of RECORDS and WRITS to ROLLS CHAPEL—53 Decrees, and the Dockets.
TOWER.	INQUISITIONS—Arranged in books to 17 Ric. II.; 1797 cleaned; 2004 mended; 331 parcels sewed together CHANCERY PROCEEDINGS (Equity Side)—16,937 pieces, or 7730 Suits, entitled and placed in portfolios PRIVY SEALS—21,600 cleaned; 22,523 mended; 1658 parcels sewed; 29,129 bound up between boards; 24,264 entitled; 20,612 stamped MISCELLANEOUS—Various Records mended	. . . .
CHAPTER HOUSE.	MISCELLANEOUS (Court of Wards and Liveries, Court of Requests)—In progress *See* CARLTON RIDE	. . . .
CARLTON RIDE. *Mr. Hunter's Division.*	. . . . .	. . . .
Mr. Roberts' Division.	QUEEN'S BENCH—*Plea Side*:— Dusting, folding, mending, sorting, ticketing, the different classes, or such as required the above operations, or part of them COMMON PLEAS:— Dusting, folding, mending, sorting, ticketing, such of the various classes as required the above operations, or part of them ASSIZE ROLLS—Numbering and ticketing EXCHEQUER—*Queen's Remembrancer*:— Dusting, folding, mending, ticketing, such of the classes as required the above operations, or part of them *Augmentation.* Charters—Arrangement continued Particulars for Grants—Ticketing *Pipe.* Miscellaneous—Arranging, &c. *Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer.* Miscellaneous—Mended, flattened, ticketed *First Fruits.* Bishops' Certificates—Mending CHAPTER HOUSE:— Miscellaneous—Dusting, flattening, folding, mending, sewing, placing between boards; 202,632 stamped PALACE COURT:— Dusting, sorting, ticketing, the various classes Miscellaneous, under examination and sortation	ACCRUING RECORDS to CARLTON RIDE—From the different Courts, &c. (pursuant to Warrants, dated 23 Feb. 1850), for 1829 MARSHALSEA and PALACE COURT RECORDS to CARLTON RIDE—From the Palace Court, Scotland-Yard, Westminster, 2 May, 1850, pursuant to Warrant, dated 25 April, 1850

OFFICE, for the Year ended 31st December, 1850.

INVENTORIES.	CALENDARS.	INDEXES.	FEES. Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Amount of Fees. £. s. d.
EXCHEQUER of RECEIPT:— Innovate Rolls (Draught made) SLAVE COMPENSATION RECORDS:— Inventory in progress	CHANCERY:— PATENT ROLLS, Hen. VII.; completed fair copy EXCHEQUER of RECEIPT:— AUDITOR'S PATENT ROLLS (suspended)	. . . .						
		Exchequer	7	56	7	1	. .	4 9 6
. . . .	. . . .	CLOSE ROLLS—10 G. IV. (1829); 11 G. IV. (1830); 4 Wm. IV. 1833; done:—other Drafts in progress PATENT ROLLS—Drafts of 2 W. IV. and 3 W. IV.	926	1440	233	108	5	272 13 6
PRIVY SEALS—Press Inventory to 1333 bundles, Edw. I.—Edw. IV.	STATE PAPERS and ROYAL LETTERS —1250 more done PATENT ROLLS—Henry VIII. continued	CHANCERY PROCEEDINGS (Equity Side)—continued; 16,937 more Instruments done (or 7730 Suits)	17	229	213	65	6	125 8 6
. . . .	MISCELLANEOUS—150 more done, making in all of this series, 550	COURT OF WARDS—INQUISITIONS, 1408 more done; making in all 7684 (discontinued at present)	71	129	76	22	. .	23 12 0
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THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

May it please Your Majesty:—

Pursuant to the Statute made and passed in the Session of Parliament held in the first and second year of Your Majesty's reign, entitled "An Act for Keeping Safely the Public Records," I, the undersigned Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, do hereby most humbly make my Thirteenth Report to Your Majesty, for the year beginning 1st January 1851, and ending 31st December 1851, including, however, certain particular transactions, herein-after quoted as being subsequent to the said 31st December 1851. And, pursuing the plan adopted in my former Reports, I have arranged the matters hereby submitted to Your Majesty under three general heads; the tabular statement from which further details are to be collected, being inserted in the Appendix hereto annexed.

I. Proceedings relating to the taking possession of Records, and also to Records not yet in the custody of the Master of the Rolls.

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I. Proceedings relating to the taking Possession of Records, and also to Records not yet in the Custody of the Master of the Rolls.

1. *Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law, &c.*—It was stated in my Twelfth or preceding Report (I. § 1), that, in consequence of the crowded state of the Repository at Carlton Ride, which rendered it difficult to find any space for the reception of the Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, or the arrangement thereof, it had been considered expedient to postpone the issuing of Warrants for the transmission of the same, until the new Repository should be ready for their reception; and by a Circular Letter, dated 14th January 1851, addressed to the Masters and the proper Officers of the said Courts, they had been respectively informed of such suspension of the Warrants. The circumstances of the Repository continue unaltered, except that the difficulty of finding the means of arrangement has increased; the issuing therefore of the Warrants for the transmission of the Records which became due 31st December 1851, has in like manner been suspended. The intermission of the transmissions will not be found ultimately disadvantageous to the interests of the public. Many circumstances relating to the transmission of Accruing Records require consideration in order the better to ensure the proper working of the Record system in the new General Repository; and the relations subsisting between this Department and the Courts of Common Law will have to be considered in all their bearings.

2. *Accruing Records of the Chancery and Parliament.*—These, according to ancient usage, have been transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and deposited in the Rolls Chapel, as after mentioned (II. § 32).

3. *Admiralty Records: Log Books.*—It is stated in the Twelfth Report (I. § 5), that a proposition had been received from the Admiralty, suggesting the transfer into the custody of the Master of the Rolls of certain duplicate Log Books, in continuation of the Logs already in his custody (Eighth Report, II. §§ 110-115; Eleventh Report, I. § 4; II. § 2). The subject having been investigated, it was ascertained that such Log Books are, as was represented, a continuation of those already at the Tower; and that therefore they are proper to be received into the custody of the Master of the Rolls. They extend from the year 1818 to 1840; but Mr. Hardy, the Assistant Keeper at the Tower, has suggested, that, owing to the over-crowded state of the White Tower, they should be allowed to remain at Somerset House until the new Repository is completed. They are now accessible at Somerset House, but they would cease to be so at the Tower, where in consequence of the want of space they could only be stowed away in a mass; and the late Master of the Rolls having signified to the Admiralty that he was willing to take charge of the Log Books in question, as soon as the new Repository shall be fit for their reception, the proceedings have been stayed accordingly.

4. *Audit Office Documents.*—In the Twelfth or preceding Report (I. § 6) certain proceedings are set forth with respect to the Documents amongst the Audit Office Papers connected with the Expenditure in the Peninsular War; questions were raised respecting the expediency of destroying useless Documents; and also as to the regulations or authorities under which the process ought to be effected; upon which subjects his Lordship the late Master of the Rolls communicated his opinion in detail. It was also arranged that Mr. Black, as a qualified officer, should resume the examination mentioned in the Twelfth Report, and report further thereon, according to the tenor of the anterior proceedings; but by reason of the business upon which Mr. Black was employed at the Rolls House he could not be spared; and consequently, in the letter to the Secretary of the Audit Office, dated 14th March 1851, the Audit Office authorities were informed for their guidance that when the Assistant Keeper shall undertake such examination it will be needful that he should receive such assistance from the Clerks and Workmen at the Audit Office as can be conveniently afforded; and the Secretary of the Audit Office, by letter dated 24th March 1851, stated that every assistance their Office could afford should be given.

5. *French Claim Commission.*—The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury having, by their letter of 29th March 1851, referred to their letter of 27th October 1843 (Fifth Report, I. § 5; App. I. No. 6), and having also requested the Master of the Rolls that he would cause the remainder of the Documents relating to the French Claims, excepting a few required for present use, as well as the Papers connected with the Danish Claims, all then deposited in the office of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, Whitehall Place, to be taken charge of by the Record Department; the same have been accordingly removed into the Branch Record Office, Rolls House, as after mentioned (II. § 36).

6. *Registrar General's Documents: Population Returns.*—The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, by their letter dated 4th July 1851, were pleased to transmit to the Master of the Rolls a letter from the Registrar General, dated 1st July 1851, relating to certain Papers and Documents in his custody connected with the enumerations taken in the years 1821, 1831, and 1841; upon which certain inquiries had been previously made, as will appear from the Seventh Report, I. § 3, App. I. No. 23; Eighth Report, I. § 5. In pursuance of this communication, the Deputy Keeper attended at the Registrar General's Office and examined the same, and also certain Documents of the Census of 1851. It appeared that all these Documents, and very specially those of the year 1851, are of great national importance, and fit to be preserved, inasmuch as they are conveniently stitched, bound, or bundled for use and consultation; and the particulars which they furnish as to the identity, residence, families, occupation, and age of every person on the Census day may hereafter be of great value for Historical and Legal purposes; but as in the several buildings within the disposition of the Record Department no space can be found for their reception, it was

expedient that they should in the mean time be preserved and kept in some convenient Repository; and the Registrar General stated that he was of opinion they could be carefully kept in certain vaults under the House of Commons. The Enumeration Documents of preceding years, viz., 1801, 1811, 1821, and 1831, are now deposited at the Tower (Seventh Report, I. § 3).

The Registrar General is also desirous that all the Register Books of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and Indexes thereof, should be from time to time deposited in the New General Repository as a place of security; and by his letter of the 1st December 1851, addressed to the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, he has requested that a portion of the building may be appropriated to these Documents.

7. *Commissariat Papers.*—The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury having, by their letter of the 6th October 1851, requested the Master of the Rolls to depute an officer of the Record Department to take charge of certain Books and Papers deposited in the Treasury Chambers, relating to the Commissariat Department, Mr. Black was empowered to attend and examine the Books and Papers; and he, having attended and inspected the same, and reported that they could be received in the Rolls House, they were removed accordingly. The particulars thereof appear in a subsequent section of this Report (II. § 36).

8. *Customs' Books.*—In the years 1846—1849 (Seventh Report, II. § 2; Ninth Report, II. § 11; Tenth Report, II. § 16) several transfers were made into this Department of various Books and Documents from the Treasury Chambers, including a certain number of Books relating to Your Majesty's Customs, which had been received from the Custom House; but upon the examination thereof by Mr. Black, it appeared that only 438 volumes of Customs' Establishments could be produced and delivered out of 565 volumes of Customs' Establishments and 93 miscellaneous volumes, making in all 658, which had been transmitted to the Custom House. The attention of the Master of the Rolls having been called to the circumstance, he communicated to the Board of Customs the result of Mr. Black's inquiry; and that Board having, by their letter of the 9th June 1851, reported that since Mr. Black's examination of the documents of the Department, a large proportion of those books had been discovered, the same have been removed into the Rolls House, and dealt with in such manner as is hereafter specified (II. §§ 36, 39).

9. *Treasury Fee Books.*—The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury were pleased, by their letter of 22d December 1851, to transmit to the Master of the Rolls a Report upon the Fee Books in their Lordships' Office, together with a list of the books annexed. Their letter further states, that as the collection of Fees at the Treasury had been finally abolished, their Lordships proposed that the Books in question, in which the receipt of Fees in their Office had been recorded from 1711, being 142 in number, and two Tables of Fees, should be deposited among the Public Records in his Honour's charge; and they requested him to take steps accordingly. The removal has been made by Mr. Black, and the books have been deposited in the Rolls House, as after mentioned (II. § 36).

10. *Treasury Books and Records.*—In the Deputy Keeper's Fourth Report (I. § 1), Fifth Report (I. § 6), Sixth Report (I. § 2), Seventh Report (I. § 2), Eighth Report (I. § 99), Ninth Report (I. § 8), and Tenth Report (I. § 8), various proceedings are stated with respect to certain Treasury Records, examined and reported upon at various periods, and particularly by Mr. Black's Report, dated 24th November 1844 (Seventh Report, App. II. No. 1). In consequence of these proceedings a very large number of Treasury Documents were transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls; but a certain portion of those books were retained in the Treasury Chambers. Pursuant to directions given by the Lords of the Treasury, the books so retained have been re-examined by Mr. Black, and by Messrs. Adrian and Chance, Officers of the Treasury, whereupon their Lordships passed their Minute of 30th January 1852 (App. No. 2*a*.); and the same having been communicated to the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, by their Lordships' letter of 6th February 1852, the Documents have accordingly been received into the custody and charge of the Master of the Rolls, in such manner as is herein-after mentioned (II. § 36).

11. *Records of the Privy Signet Office.*—By an Act made and passed in the 14th & 15th year of Your Majesty's reign, c. 82, intituled "An Act to simplify the Forms of Appointments to certain Offices, and the Manner of passing Grants under the Great Seal," the several offices of Clerks of the Signet and Clerks of the Privy Seal were abolished: and it is declared that all duties exercised or performed by the Clerks of Your Majesty's Signet, or otherwise in the office of Your Majesty's Signet, not superseded or otherwise provided for by the Act, should, after the commencement of the Act, be exercised and performed in the office, and under the direction, of Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department. In pursuance of this Act, the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury have addressed their letter, dated 30th January 1852, to the Master of the Rolls, stating that they had suggested to Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department that all such Records, books, and papers, as might be necessary for carrying on the branch of business transferred to the Home Office, should be taken charge of by the proper officers of that Department; and that all such Records as were not required for current business should be transferred to the Record Department; and the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls was requested to take charge of such Records as might be given over to him under the new arrangement. The Master of the Rolls has accordingly taken charge of the said Documents; and inasmuch as they relate to the working of the Great Seal, they have been deposited in the Rolls Chapel, as after mentioned (II. § 34).

12. *Welsh Records: Records of the County Palatine, and of Chester and Flint.*—The proceedings already had with respect to these Records will be found as follows:—First Report, App. No. 31, I. 1 (1); II. 1, 2; Fourth Report, I. § 6; Seventh Report, I. § 6, App. I. Nos. 10 to 18; Eighth Report, App. I. Nos. 18 and 28; Ninth Report, II. § 10, App. I. No. 11.

The Master of the Rolls having been informed of the deaths of the late Philip Humberston, Esq., late Seal Keeper of the Exchequer of Chester, and also of Edward Watson Lloyd, Esq., late Prothonotary of the Counties of Chester and Flint, who severally had charge of certain Records of the late County Palatine, and the Counties of Chester and Flint, in the Castle of Chester (First Report, App. No. 31, I. 1 (1); II. 1, 2; Eighth Report, App. I. No. 28), found it expedient, from various circumstances which had been communicated to him, to apply to the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Chester for the purpose of ascertaining what measures had been taken for the due Custody and Preservation of the same Records. The result of the inquiries will be found in the replies of Mr. Horatio Lloyd, the Deputy Clerk of Assize of the North Wales and Chester Circuit, and of Messrs. Humberston and Helps, who are in charge of the Exchequer Records in Chester Castle, dated 19th December 1851, and 5th January 1852 (App. No. 3*a.* and *b.*). The Master of the Rolls has subsequently been attended by a deputation of the Magistrates of the County, respecting the measures which they desire to have adopted for the proper classification and arrangement of the Records, and the better care and management thereof.

13. *Order in Council placing all Her Majesty's Public Documents in the charge of the Master of the Rolls.*—The Order which Your Majesty has been pleased to make by and with the advice of Your most honourable Privy Council, 5th March 1852 (App. No. 1), to the effect that all Records belonging to Your Majesty (that is to say, all Rolls, Records, Writs, Books, Proceedings, Decrees, Bills, Warrants, Accounts, Papers, and Documents whatsoever of a public nature) deposited in any Office, Court, Place, or Custody, otherwise than those mentioned in the Record Act, should from henceforth be under the charge and superintendence of the Master of the Rolls, will have to be called into effect (as to such Documents not already transferred into the actual custody of the Master of the Rolls in the manner mentioned in this and my preceding Reports) when and as Your Majesty, or the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, Your Majesty's Secretaries of State, or other High Officers, or the Heads of Departments having the actual possession of Your Majesty's Public Documents, may issue Your or their commands or directions to the Master of the Rolls concerning the same, thus continuing the practice which has already begun of making transfers of Public Documents. When, therefore, any such future commands or directions concerning the Records within the purview of Your Majesty's Order in Council shall be given, the Master of the Rolls will

accordingly receive the same into his custody and deposit the same in the new Repository. The accessions made to the stock of Documents in the custody of the Master of the Rolls since 1850 of Government Documents, principally those belonging to Your Majesty's Treasury, Board of Inland Revenue, and Admiralty, or contemplated to be made pursuant to communications had with those Departments, are so large, that it is probable they will nearly fill the first portion or block of the said Repository now in progress, and distinguished in the plans presented to the House of Commons (Estimates of Civil Services for the year ending 31st March 1851, 571, VIII.) by being coloured red; and it is most humbly submitted to Your Majesty, that it is urgently needful that the means should be provided for speedily erecting the second and third blocks or portions of the said Repository, which on the same plan are distinguished by being respectively coloured blue and yellow.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the Regulations of the Statute.

Carlton Ride; and Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.

Records of the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas, and of the Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer; Equity Records of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Revenue Side of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Palace Court, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, the Rev. Joseph Hunter and Mr. Roberts.)

Mr. Roberts' Division.

1. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division, and the Amount of Fees received, will appear from the following statement:—

Fees received from 1st January to 31st December 1851.

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Net Amount of Fees.	Total.
						£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Common Pleas, and Palace and Marshalsea Courts -	634	– –	– –	– –	– –	31 14 0	—
	– –	84	– –	– –	– –	4 4 0	—
	– –	– –	391	– –	– –	50 18 6	—
	– –	– –	– –	380	– –	48 13 0	—
							135 9 6
Queen's Bench -	40	– –	– –	– –	– –	2 0 0	—
	– –	36	– –	– –	– –	1 16 0	—
	– –	– –	40	– –	– –	16 16 6	—
	– –	– –	– –	21	– –	7 10 6	—
	– –	– –	– –	– –	3	6 6 0	—
							34 9 0
Exchequer - -	108	– –	– –	– –	– –	5 8 0	—
	– –	407	– –	– –	– –	20 7 0	—
	– –	– –	257	– –	– –	106 1 6	—
	– –	– –	– –	135	– –	26 8 0	—
	– –	– –	– –	– –	5	10 10 0	—
							168 14 6
Total - -	782	527	688	536	8		338 13 0

It must be observed, however, in the foregoing Table, that the business which has been transacted for the use of Your Majesty's Commissioners of Woods and Forests, and also for the purposes of the Commissioners appointed to inquire into the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge, has not been included. For the Woods and Forests the Searches required to answer a particular Question required eight days. The investigations required in aid of Your Majesty's said Commissioners empowered to inquire into the state, discipline, studies, and revenues of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge have imposed very extensive labours upon the officers in all the Record Offices. From this Office the Searches have been very lengthened, and the bulk of

the copies very great. One copy, in particular, containing an account of the revenue of the University of Cambridge, in a tabular form, was so intricate, and required so much care, that the copying, exclusive of the examination, occupied an intelligent and able clerk during thirty-nine days; and the Searches which were performed from time to time by various of the officers would, if they had been performed by one officer, required the exclusive devotion of seven months to the purpose; and if the Searches in question had not thus been made by the officers of this Department, each of the Commissions would have required the services of an officer well versed in Records.

2. *Arrangements, Repairs, Inventories, &c.*—The following is a statement of the various operations in progress upon the classes of Records superintended by Mr. Roberts. Under this heading, all Lists, Inventories, Calendars, and Indexes, and all work of arrangement preparatory to the formation of the same, are reported. Further particulars will be found in the Tabular Summary (App. No. 9). In addition to the works specified, a great variety of operations of a minor kind have been performed; several Bundles which chanced to be out, have been sorted and arranged; many Records mended; and many Volumes bound and repaired. Lists have been made to various classes where none previously existed, and former Lists have been corrected and amplified.

Common Pleas.

3. *Common Rolls.*—In addition to operations noticed in my preceding Reports (Second Report, II. § 13; Fourth Report, II. § 18; Fifth Report, II. § 10, III. § 1; Sixth Report, II. § 18; Seventh Report, II. § 42; Eighth Report, II. § 45; Ninth Report, II. § 42; Tenth Report, II. § 30; Twelfth Report, II. § 22), very laborious operations have been prosecuted, under the direction of Mr. Roberts, upon this class of Records. The earlier Plea Rolls, or the Records in question, when transferred into the charge of the Master of the Rolls, were made up according to the ancient practice of the Court, in the most cumbersome and inconvenient fashion, as stated in the Second Report, App. I. No. 21. Many of these Rolls contain upwards of 2,000 membranes. In addition to this inconvenience they were, when received into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, in a state of the greatest decay (Second Report, II. § 13).

Mr. Roberts has carried on the work upon the Rolls belonging to the reigns of Elizabeth, James I., and Charles I.; those are completed: the Rolls of the reign of Charles II. are in progress. During the current year 593 of these Rolls have been divided into 1,213 Parts; each Part has been placed in a stout cover either of leather or of vellum, secured by straps and buckles, and printed tickets have been affixed. In the course of these operations, 10,816 membranes underwent the processes of damping and flattening, and 3,995 membranes have been repaired.

In the series above mentioned, 94 Rolls were found to be in very bad condition; so that it was judged inexpedient to commence the separation of them into Parts until time and opportunity would allow of their being thoroughly repaired, lest the damaged membranes might receive further injury, or be wholly lost. The Rolls have therefore been kept entire, but they have been placed in covers either of leather or canvass, so as to protect them from further harm, and tickets have been added for present reference.

4. *Feet of Fines.*—The operations described in previous Reports (Ninth Report, II. § 43; Tenth Report, II. § 31; Eleventh Report, II. § 22; Twelfth Report, II. § 23) have been continued. The Feet of Fines for the reigns from Henry III. to Richard III., for the counties of Kent, Leicester, and Lincoln, have been arranged chronologically, flattened, mended, guarded, stamped, and tied up in covers, in numbers of twenty-five to each book, with tickets affixed, preparatory to being examined and calendared, or checked with the old Calendar where existing.

5. *King's Silver Books.*—These very valuable Records sustained very great damage by the fire which, in March 1838, destroyed the Chambers in Paper Buildings, Temple, where they were previously deposited. When received

into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, these Books were so much injured as to be unavailable for search or use. Some were so charred that they crumbled away beneath the touch; others were in masses cohering together by the joint action of fire and water. The separation of the leaves is therefore a most delicate process; and altogether, the restoration of these Volumes required great care and skill. The needful repairs have been continued during several years (Fourth Report, II. § 18; Fifth Report, II. § 10; Sixth Report, II. § 20; Seventh Report, II. § 44; Eighth Report, II. § 46; Ninth Report, II. § 44; Tenth Report, II. § 31; Eleventh Report, II. § 22; Twelfth Report, II. § 24). Up to 1851, 252 Volumes had been restored; and in the course of 1851, 96 additional Volumes have been repaired, bound, and added to the Series. 206 Parcels, which are so much damaged as to be unsusceptible of accurate arrangement until further examination, have been tied up in paper, between boards, in 87 parcels, and a temporary ticket affixed outside showing the probable date, as far as the same has been ascertained.

These Books are the Records most frequently searched for the purpose of answering and satisfying inquiries which arise in the investigation of titles to real property; an extract from these Books being the Document generally produced and delivered over with the Title-deeds instead of the Chirograph. The same information as to parcels and parties is to be found in other classes of Records; but the Books are searchable with greater convenience, and are therefore usually resorted to for Conveyancing purposes, although they do not contain evidence of the Proclamation of the Fine.

Exchequer: Queen's Remembrancer.

6. *Affidavits.*—416 Bundles of original Affidavits, extending from 1572 to 1829, have been folded to size, arranged according to Terms, and packed in 165 portfolios, having printed tickets affixed.

7. *Bills and Answers, &c.: from Elizabeth to George III.*—The operations upon these Documents, which have been noticed in preceding Reports (Tenth Report, II. § 34; Eleventh Report, II. § 27; Twelfth Report, II. § 26), have been very effectually continued. Besides the various mechanical operations which have been needed to bring these Records into order, it has been necessary to compare them, singly and severally, with the Bill Books, in which a considerable portion have not been entered. In the course of these arrangements, copies are made, on slips of paper, of the names of Plaintiffs and Defendants, for the purpose of furnishing Materials for an Index. The Equity proceedings, according to the practice of the Court (Second Report, III. § 165), are arranged in a peculiar manner according to Counties. The extent of the work performed upon these Documents will appear from the following table:—

Reign.	Identified with Bill Books.	Not entered in Bill Books.
Elizabeth - - -	2,250	1,260
Charles II. - - -	1,950	—
James II. - -	420	—
William and Mary -	96	—
Anne - - -	74	130
George I. - -	81	362
George II. - -	119	335
George III. - -	208	599
George IV. - -	—	54
William IV. - -	—	10
Victoria - -	—	7
Reign undetermined - -	—	571
Total - -	5,198	3,328

8. *Decrees and Orders.*—The operations upon these Documents have been as follows: the Original Decrees and Orders, from 1580 to 1662, have been placed in 134 portfolios, with printed tickets thereon: the Original Decrees, from 1665 to 1733, have been sorted into reigns and years, and packed in

36 portfolios, with printed tickets; and the Original Orders, from 1664 to 1787, have been sorted into reigns and years, and packed in 52 portfolios, with printed tickets.

9. *Depositions taken by Commission.*—The proceedings upon the Index to these Documents, which commenced as appears in preceding Reports (Tenth Report, II. § 35; Eleventh Report, II. § 28; Twelfth Report, II. § 27), have been continued, and the names of Plaintiffs and Defendants, date and county, have, as far as possible, been extracted from the Commission Book. The extracts from the first series of these Books, from Elizabeth to Victoria, have now been completed, but there are some lapses; there is a second series of Books concurrent with part of the foregoing, from portions of which extracts must be made to supply the lapses in the first, previous to arranging the whole in alphabetical order.

10. *Petitions.*—15 Bundles of these Documents, extending from George III. to 1841, have been folded to size, and packed in 15 portfolios, with printed tickets thereon.

11. *Writs.*—The operations upon Bundles of Writs have been as follows: 8 bundles of Writs of Distringas ad Computandum, &c., from 1809 to 1822, have been flattened and packed in 7 portfolios; and 15 Bundles of Writs of Levari facias against Defaulters of Taxes, from 1808 to 1827, have been flattened and packed in 7 portfolios.

12. *Augmentation Office: Miscellaneous Books.*—35 Volumes have been examined and calendared, in addition to those previously reported (Eleventh Report, II. § 32; Twelfth Report, II. § 31).

13. *Augmentation Office: Particulars for Grants.*—The operations upon these important Documents (Tenth Report, II. § 39; Eleventh Report, II. § 31; Twelfth Report, II. § 30) have proceeded only as regards the fair copy of the Inventory; the Indexes to the Inventory and the arrangement of the places under the modern names have not been continued, owing to the pressure of business arising principally from the Searches for the Universities' Commissioners previously alluded to (II. § 1).

Exchequer of Pleas.

14. *Plea Rolls.*—A very elaborate chronological Calendar of the Enrolments relating to Lands and Tenements on the Plea or Judgment Rolls of this Court from Edward I. to George III. was commenced many years ago by Mr. Cole (First Report, II. § 5, App. I. Nos. 35, 36, and 37; Second Report, II. § 21, App. I. Nos. 22*a*, 22*b*, App. II. No. 6; Third Report, App. I. Nos. 10*a*, 10*b*; Fifth Report, App. I. No. 13). A portion was fair-copied and completed and bound up during the time that the above mentioned gentleman held office, but a portion was left unfinished. The Calendar has been ably resumed by Mr. Charles Cole, an officer of the Third Class in this Division of the Establishment. The work is complete, so far as it professes to be, viz. as to entries relating to real property, being both chronological and alphabetical, with cross references, and it possesses much utility and importance, not merely for legal purposes, but for objects of topographical inquiry.

Miscellaneous.

15. *Miscellaneous Records in the Loft of the Repository.*—The sortation and arrangement of the large mass of unarranged Miscellaneous Records deposited in bags in the Loft of the Carlton Ride, and hitherto not operated upon, has been carried on throughout the year, and Documents of a variety of classes have been thereby added to the different Courts. These classes and their respective dates, as far as at present ascertained, are as follows:—

Queen's Bench: Plea Side.

Proceedings in Error: 3 Rolls, viz.:—

McKenzie *v.* Attorney-General, 23d January, 3 George IV.
The King *v.* Binham, Teste 19th June, 10 George IV.
Cooke and others *v.* Attorney-General, Teste 1 May 1 George IV.

Class of Document.	Date. Commencing.	Ending.
Common Pleas, and Alienation Office.		
Account Books—Post Fines (bad state) - - - -	1767	1771
Account Books (Mr. Williams) - - - -	1800	1803
Ditto, Arrears of Post Fines (without covers) - - -	1794	1812
Ditto, Places and Pensions, Duty 1*s.* in the pound - -	1745	1746
Accounts of the Receiver-General - - - - -	1794	1823
Accounts rendered to the Receiver-General - - -	1814	1827
Account of Receipts and Payments made in the Alienation Office	1780	1796
Affidavits (relating to Fines) of the amount of the Purchase Money or annual Value of the Premises, &c. (one dated 1697, one 1829).	1804	1824
Affidavits of Warrants of Attorney for suffering Recoveries -	1832	1833
Declarations of Profits - - - - - - -	1707	1832
Ditto, Cheshire and Welsh Counties - - -	1830	1831
Declaration Books - - - - - - -	1791	1822
Dormant and other Warrants, Bonds, Certificates, &c. for Appointments.	1690	1812
Draft Recoveries - - - - - - -	1800	1823
Fees due for making up and passing the Accounts of the Receiver-General.	1812	1824
Fines and Estreats (4 bundles) - - - -	1804	1817
Hammond Hume's Election Poll Book - - -		
Orders to amend Recoveries, &c. - - - -	1812	1813
Præcipes for Capiases - - - - - -	1821	1823
Receipts for monies paid by the Receiver-General, being the Sums total of Post Fines charged upon the Sheriffs, &c. of various Counties in their Accounts to the Exchequer.	Various dates.	
Rough Accounts of Post Fines, made for Mr. Steele (2½ sheets) -	1781	1795
A Return of all the Receipts of Money at the Alienation Office (except those in the Exchequer).	1820	1836
Tables for calculating the Sums to be paid on the Writs of Covenant		
Tables of the Rates to be paid as Fees of Post Fines - -		
* Writs of Covenant - - - - - - -	1 Edward III.	9 George IV.
A Deed from Charles the Second to Peter Calvers and others, for Receipt of certain Duties therein mentioned	28 Charles II.	
Tradesmen's Bills and Receipts (Alienation Office) - -	1796	1833
Miscellaneous—Letters, Cases, Accounts, &c. - - -	Various dates.	
Exchequer: Queen's Remembrancer.		
Land, Assessed, and other Taxes, &c.		
Duplicates, &c. of Taxes (Welsh Counties) - - -	1691	1821
Duplicates and Certificates of Defaulters, &c. (English Counties)	1657	1828
Duplicate of Redemption of Land Tax (Cornwall) - -	1829	1829
Receivers-General Land Tax Accounts (done up in 1 bundle) -	1700	1735
Receivers-General Certificates of Defaulters - - -	1814	1837
Receivers-General Certificates for Writs against Collectors -	1825	1837
Receivers-General Extracts (Collectors' Arrears) - -	Various dates.	
Receivers-General Quietuses, Land and Assessed Taxes (N. & S. Wales).	1776	1812
Receivers-General and Secretaries' Lists of Taxes (1 year) -	1715	1715
Receivers'-General Accounts of persons relieved by compounding their Taxes, &c.; Receipts for Salaries of Surveyors, Militia Accounts, and Receipts for Duties imposed for disbanding Troops, Bonds, Draft Bonds, &c.	1678	1809
Receivers-General Reports of the sufficiency of Securities of Taxes.	1793	1819
Receivers-General States of Accounts of Taxes - -	1799	1820
Ministers and Churchwardens' Certificates of Discharge, Fire-hearths, &c. (Ridings in Yorkshire).	1670	1670
Commissioners for special purposes; Account of the Bank of England, South Sea House, and East India Company.	1806	1814
An Account of the Collectors of several Assessments in the Hundreds of Caisho and Dacorum in the County of Herts (sworn 1663).	1643	1661
Replications, Rejoinders, Commissions, &c. - - -	55 Geo. III.	3 Victoria

* From these "Writs of Covenant" a great number of "Notes of Fines" have been separated. They are of early as well as of modern dates, and are at present placed in boxes unsorted.

Class of Document.	Date. Commencing.	Ending.
Exchequer : Queen's Remembrancer—continued.		
Answer of Dowager Countess of Bridgwater to the Complaint of the Masters and Wardens of the Scholars and Poor of the Almshouse of John the Baptist, Ravensworth, County of York. Now annexed to Bill filed 12th August 1833. See Bills, Wm. IV. York, No. 74.		
Two Plans,—Great Hodstock and Lordship of Bilby.		
Writ of Injunction, Rhodes *v.* Bradley and the Bank of England -	3 Victoria	
Office Copies (10) of Certificates of Taxation of Costs, &c. -	1829	1840
Petitions (2) - - - - - -	1840	1841
Sheriffs' Quietuses, London and Middlesex (1 roll) - -	1815	1815
Schedule of Janverin, an Insolvent - - - -	1822	1822
Certificates (4) of Accountant-General - - - -	1840	1841
Affidavits for Capiases, and Instructions for Informations - -	1824	1837
Informations - - - - - - - -	Mich.28G.III.	3 Victoria
Exchequer of Pleas.		
Affidavits of Debt - - - - - -	1781	1781
Affidavits on Motions in Court in Ejectment, &c.—General File of	1778	1832
Affidavits of Attachments of Service of Subpœnas - -	1780	1832
Affidavits of Service of Quo Minus—"Bills Series," - - -	1781	1826
Bail Files - - - - - - -	1807	1828
Interrogatories and Depositions - - - -	1779	1812
Memoranda or Judgment Rolls - - - -	1809	1827
Præcipes for issuing Subpœnas, Habeas Corpus, &c. - -	1825	1832
Rules, Præcipes for, to reply, &c. Series II. - -	1830	1843
Rules, Præcipes for, to return Writs, &c. Series III. - -	1831	1842
Special Jury Lists - - - - - -	1766	1837
Ditto ditto - - - - - -	Without date.	
Warrants of Attorney, Series A. - - - -	1780	1828
Writs, Inquisitions, Posteas, &c. (Supplementary) - -	1781	1831
Transcripts of Judgments, and Certificates of Prothonotaries of Courts of Great Session in Wales, of transfer of Causes to the Exchequer at Westminster.	1821	1831
Writs and other proceedings in Error - - - -	1790	1830
Ditto ditto - - - -	Without date.	

Lists have been made of the above, and the documents arranged and packed in bags or paper parcels, or added to their respective Series.

Accounts of the Sums paid for duty on Orders, Rules, Judgments, Appearances, &c.	1784	1829
A file of old papers directed to Mr. Greenly, at his seat in the Exchequer of Pleas Office	1703	1704
Appearances, Number of, in each Term. (Easter 1734—Hilary 1777).	1734	1777
Bills of Costs, not taxed - - - - - -	1778	1829
"Bills" (3) - - - - - - -	1807	1817
Bills and Receipts for Taxes, Offices, Expenses, &c. - -	1762	1796
Bonds (various) - - - - - -	1743	1812
Deed of Trust and Release, dated 1733 (January); Edward Gee and Edward Kinaston and Wife to John Limbrey. Neither of them executed.	1733	1733
Final Judgment Papers, Accounts of the number of, with the Sums paid for Duty by each Clerk.	1815	1829
Hand Motion Papers to move for Judgment, &c. - - -	1781	1782
Instructions for Declarations - - - -	1778	1827
Lincoln's Inn Bills for absent Commons, &c. - - -	1763	1796
Notices to move Court in various matters - - -	1776	1782
Miscellaneous Papers (some without dates) - -	1721	1830
Orders from House of Commons for the Returns of the number of writs, &c.	1821	1829
Prisoners' Papers—Petitions, Rules, Orders, &c. (2 bundles) -	1729	1832
Papers relative to opening the Office - - -	1820	1830
Records, Paper Lists of - - - -	1701	1775
Rules and Orders (two without dates) - - -	1778	1833
Transcript of Record from Worcester, and two Writs annexed, Passey *v.* Price.	About 59 George III.	
Two Writs, Transcript, and 1 Postea - - -	1819	1827

16. *Chapter House Records: Miscellanea.*—The work performed upon these Records by workmen sent to the Chapter House has been noticed in previous Reports (Tenth Report, II. § 2, 41; Eleventh Report, II. § 37; Twelfth Report, II. §§ 8, 11, 33).

A very large mass of Miscellaneous Records, principally relating to the Court of Wards and Liveries, has been flattened, sorted into reigns, and packed between canvass boards, in which state they were returned to the Chapter House in March 1851. Others have undergone the same useful process, and are ready for transmission. Very many Books of Entries, &c. belonging to the Court of Wards and Liveries and Court of Requests in the Chapter House are in a bad state: the binding is ragged, leaves loose, &c.; these have been transmitted from the Chapter House to the Carlton Ride for the purpose of binding and repair.

17. *Chapter House Records: Seals, &c.*—Amongst the Chapter House Records are contained numerous curious and ancient Seals, which, by decay, accident, or other causes, have been detached from the Records to which they were originally pendant. These have been temporarily arranged in two large wooden boxes, divided by slides: all the Seals which have reverse impressions, are supported in their respective cedar trays, so as not to rest upon the bottom of the tray, by which plan such impressions are protected from the friction and pressure on the wood. This arrangement, which is clever and convenient, was contrived by one of the operatives (Mr. William Palmer).

18. *Records of the Palace and Marshalsea Courts.*—The sortation of the Miscellaneous Records belonging to the Palace Court, stated in the Twelfth Report (II. § 18) to have been in progress, has been completed as far as at present is deemed necessary; and the Documents have been tied up in bundles and packed away.

19. *Calendar of the Patent Rolls.*—This very important Calendar, of which various particulars are given in preceding Reports (Ninth Report, II. §§ 6, 24; Tenth Report, §§ 9, 14; Eleventh Report, II. §§ 8, 12; Twelfth Report, II. §§ 16, 37), is in continuation by Mr. Gairdner, who has diligently prosecuted his work as far as 17 Henry VIII. Much greater progress would have been made, had he not been called off from this employment by the extraordinary pressure of business occasioned by the great extent of the Government Searches, &c. (II. § 1), upon which he has been occupied many months in the course of the year. For the same reason, Mr. Roberts has been compelled to suspend the examination of the draft.

20. *Conspectus of Records.*—Inasmuch as the preparations for the systematic removal of the Records into the General Repository must, under existing circumstances, be kept under constant consideration, it has appeared advisable that in each Branch Office, a Conspectus or Descriptive List of each Class or Sub-division of the Records should be prepared, exhibiting the following particulars:—(1.) A brief description of the Records, giving their nature, class, and date, and a short indication of the existing Lists, Inventories, Calendars, and Indexes,—a Catalogue, in fact, of catalogues, &c. (2.) In the next place, a specification of the work already performed upon the Records, such as cleaning, sorting, binding, or arranging. (3.) The work upon the Records now in course of performance, viz. Lists, Calendars, Inventories, &c., and Mechanical Operations as before. (4.) The work or works remaining to be done upon each Class. The Conspectus is arranged according to columns on the following plan:—

RETURN of OPERATIONS upon the RECORDS.							
Description of Records.	Date of Records.	Work done.		Work in course of Performance.		Work remaining to be done.	
		Lists, Inventories, Calendars, Indexes, &c.	Mechanical Operations.	Lists, Inventories, Calendars, Indexes, &c.	Mechanical Operations.	Lists, Inventories, Calendars, Indexes, &c.	Mechanical Operations.

By means of these Tabular Statements the whole contents of the General Repository will be disclosed, very briefly yet very intelligibly: a map, so to speak, on the smallest scale, but still showing every *unit of class* which the Repository contains. The condition of the Record will be displayed; and, at the same time, it will enable the Officers to journalize their operations in an intelligent and convenient form. It will show both the quantity of work which has been done, and will also give information of the needs of the Office, so as to enable the Officers to apply themselves to those portions of the repairs and arrangements which are most needed, and thus by degrees to satisfy all the claims which each class of Records may respectively have upon the care and attention of the Officers. The variety of Documents in the Carlton Ride is by far very much greater than those in any other office; and Mr. Roberts has been employing himself most diligently thereupon. This difficult task has occupied a far greater amount of time and labour, and a much greater devotion of mind, than was anticipated; for the arranged Documents in many cases have required re-examination. Still more trouble has been occasioned to him by the needful interpolation of the hitherto unarranged matter with Sets or Classes which have been arranged; for the large mass of Documents contained in the Loft of the Repository had not, when Mr. Roberts took charge of the office, been sorted or arranged. These have all required arrangement; and the new Classes have had to be interpolated in the Arranged Classes. This task has not been completed, though considerably advanced; and, as far as is practicable, the Conspectus of the Records in the following Courts has been completed:—

Queen's Bench: Crown Side.
" Plea Side.
Common Pleas.
" : Alienation Office.
Exchequer: Queen's Remembrancer.
" of Pleas.

The Pipe and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Offices, and the Office of First Fruits and Tenths, are now in progress: but the work cannot be considered complete, as to Classes or Heads, until the sortation of the Miscellaneous Records shall have been finished. It is, however, very useful as far as it extends, by showing the needful particulars with respect to each item, though all the items of each Court are not yet included; moreover, the Conspectus has already been found of considerable use in the business of the Office, and has afforded an opportunity also of correcting the various Lists previously made, and of calling attention to such classes as had none.

Mr. Hunter's Division.

21. *Business of the Division.*—In addition to the Business for which Fees are paid, the time of Mr. Hunter and his Clerks has been very much employed upon Searches made at the request of Your Majesty's Board of Woods and Forests. Other Searches to a considerable extent have also been made for the use of the Secretaries of Your Majesty's before-mentioned Commissions of Inquiry into the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge. The consumption of time thus occupied has been very great, such as materially to delay other operations. In the following Summary, the Business transacted for the several months of the year is set forth; the Government business, as before-mentioned, being excluded:

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	—		
1851.					£	s.	d.
January	– –	94	– –	– –	1	4	0
February	– –	65	4	3	1	5	6
March	– –	81	8	6	2	14	0
April	– –	5	– –	– –	0	5	0
May	– –	334	1	– –	1	14	0
June	– –	24	– –	– –	0	9	0
July	– –	28	3	1	1	10	6
August	– –	63	16	4	6	17	0
September	– –	6	– –	– –	0	6	0
October	– –	36	15	– –	2	8	6
November	– –	79	– –	– –	0	12	0
December	– –	30	2	2	0	15	0
Totals	– –	845	49	16	20	0	6

22. *Queen's Remembrancer's Miscellaneous Records.*—The operations upon these Records, which have been noticed in every preceding Report, (First Report, II. § 4; Second Report, II. § 22; Third Report, II. § 2; Fourth Report, II. §§ 2, 5, 8; Fifth Report, II. § 4; Sixth Report, II. § 2; Seventh Report, II. § 69; Eighth Report, II. § 78; Ninth Report, II. § 27; Tenth Report, II. § 22; Eleventh Report, II. § 14; Twelfth Report, II. § 13;) are now approximating to a conclusion, so far as relates to the ascertainment of the classes to which they belong, their description, and their provisional arrangement. Every Record and every portion of a Record, and every fragment, however inconsiderable, is examined by Mr. Hunter before it passes into the hands of the Clerks, and every slip containing a description of a Record is carefully examined and corrected by him; so that when the labour shall have been completed, every Document in his charge will have been strictly and carefully examined by him—a labour requiring equal learning, labour, patience, and skill. The whole number of Documents which have gone through all the processes during the current year, and are now in the boxes prepared for their removal to their future place of destination, is 2,820. They are of the following reigns:—

John	2	Elizabeth	213
Henry III.	30	James I.	150
Edward I.	426	Charles I.	260
Edward II.	207	Interregnum	25
Edward III.	440	Charles II.	50
Richard II.	184	William and Mary	7
Henry IV.	59	Anne	6
Henry V.	72	George I.	1
Henry VI.	180	George II.	12
Edward IV.	57	George III.	12
Richard III.	3	Undetermined	103
Henry VII.	68		
Henry VIII.	197	Total	2,820
Edward VI.	32		
Philip and Mary	24		

These, added to the Documents formerly reported, make the total 83,384; but this figure only represents the Documents which are fastened together, not unfrequently five or more, so that if enumerated separately the number would be much larger.

23. *Calendars.*—Instructions were given to the several Assistant Keepers on the 1st May 1851, that in consequence of the advance in the new building it was of the highest importance that the labour of all the Officers should be directed to put the Records in a state fit for removal, and that all the other labour upon the Records should, as far as possible, be suspended. In consequence of this the general Calendaring of the Escheators' matter (Twelfth Report, II. § 15) has been in great measure suspended; but the following additional portions have been perfected for the use of searchers:—

Cumberland and Westmoreland	Henry VI. to Richard III.
Nottingham and Derby	Richard II. to Henry IV.

Chapter House.

Common Law, Exchequer, and Miscellaneous Records.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Frederick Devon and Mr. Burtt.)

24. *Business of the Division: Miscellanea, Proceedings of the Court of Wards and Liveries, Court of Requests, &c.*—In my Twelfth Report (II. § 8) will be found a detailed account of the origin of the Court of Wards and Liveries, to which a great number of the Documents operated upon in the course of the present year belong. The Assistant Keepers have been employed in the process of separating, sorting, and arranging the Documents included under the above-mentioned heads. Various notices will be found concerning these Records in preceding Reports (Ninth Report, II. § 2; Tenth Report, II. § 2; Eleventh Report, II. § 37; Twelfth Report, II. §§ 7–10) and until this examination, which has continued during many years, Papers of every description were found mixed up with the Proceedings of the

Courts; and for the purpose whether of reparation or arrangement, a division is needed. Inquisitions, Privy Seals, Chirographs, Fines, Court Rolls, Revenue and Ministers' Accounts, are all amongst them. A very large number of the Bills, Answers, and Depositions have been cleaned and flattened by the workmen sent to this Department from the Carlton Ride (II. § 16). This work, however, has been suspended in consequence of the need of concentrating the strength of the workmen upon the Common Pleas Records in the Carlton Ride in order to prepare for the removal into the new Repository. But as soon as the means of the Establishment will allow, an adequate force will in like manner be brought to bear upon the contents of the present Repository. Of the Miscellanea, as they have come to light, catalogues have been constructed, and Mr. Devon has in particular made a catalogue raisonnée which extends at present to 1,550 Documents not before indexed, for the following reigns:—Henry VIII.; Edward VI.; Philip and Mary; Elizabeth; James I.; Charles I.; and Charles II. In the Twelfth Report (II. § 10) Mr. Devon has given a List of Writers whose names are found in the correspondence; and he reports that he has found a great many more from the same parties; the following selection from amongst the Documents will show their miscellaneous nature:—

Henry VIII.

Letter from Edward Lee, Archbishop of York.
Letter from the Warden of St. Mary's College, near Winchester, to the Bishop of Westminster.
Letter from the Abbot of Buckfast to the Marquis of Exeter, relative to the three moors joining Dartmoor Forest, parcel of the Duchy of Cornwall.
Will of Sir John Lutterell, and other papers relative to his family.
Certificate signed by Lord Cobham and the Prior of Rochester, concerning premises in Stroud.

Edward VI.

Sign Manual for paying Sir Philip Hobby five marks a day as Ambassador to the Emperor.
Warrant for the payment of 100*l.* for the charges of Lord Huntly, signed by the Lord Protector, Cranmer, Russel, and others.
Letter from the Marquis of Winchester.

Philip and Mary.

Sign Manual of "Mary the Quene," directing payment for embroidering the apparel of King Edward VI., giving the amount of each item.
Curious letter from Margaret Pole to Sir Francis Inglefield.
Repairs at Woolfall House in Wiltshire, belonging to the late Duke of Somerset
Letter to Sir Francis Inglefield about the dowry of Lady Elizabeth Fenwick.

Elizabeth.

Report on the subject of the landing of the Spanish Armada; being the opinions of Lord Grey, Sir Francis Knowles, Sir John Norris, and others, where the enemy were most likely to land, what most proper to be done, &c.; with answers to other propositions set down by the Lords of the Council, and suggestions thereon: concluding thus,—"We think it also very necessary that some order be taken by their Lordships that Her Majesty's ships at Rochester be not entrapped."
Letter to the Earl of Bath and Sir Walter Raleigh relative to the threatened invasion.
Letter of condolence to Lord and Lady Norris.
Letter from Richard Fletcher, Dean of Peterborough.
Letter from Tobias (Mathew) Bishop of Durham.
Certificate of baptism by Foulk Cartwright, signed by the Justices of the Peace of Warwickshire, &c.
Letters from Sir Thomas Smith.
Letter from Henry Sidney.
Letter from Lord John Strangeways.
Letter from John Aubrey to his grandson Dr. Cæsar.
Letter from Sir Richard Martin.
Many papers of John Daniel of Dewsbury, which, from his connexion with the Earls of Essex and Clanrickard, are put together.
Account of expenses of repairing the lock at Waltham Cross, signed by Lord Burghley.
Instructions to George Carew, Esq., relative to the coinage in Ireland; also a great many other papers relative to the standard coinage, exchange, army, and other affairs of Ireland.
Coinage papers relative to England and Scotland in this and the following reign.
Direction to elect Dr. Parry as Dean of Lincoln.
Appointment of Sir Thomas Baskervile to be Colonel-General under Sir Francis Drake.

Certificate signed by the Mayor and Aldermen of Norwich.
Commission to the Earl of Cumberland to go to sea with six ships.
Grant of Liberty to the inhabitants of Jersey to import provisions.
Passport for the Duke of Lennox sent to France by the King of Scots, and other passports, including one for Marshall Biron, Admiral of France.
An estimate for fitting out ten men of war with 2,550 men, signed by the Earl of Nottingham and others.
Letter from Cicely Buckhurst.
Direction for Richard Bancroft (afterwards Archbishop) to be Treasurer of St. Paul's.
Letter to the Earl of Bedford to allow the Tinners of Devon and Cornwall to hold a Parliament.
Letter from William Chaderton, Bishop of Chester.
Letter from Lady Montague.
Letter from Francis Knolles and Francis Walsingham to the Court of Requests.
Petition to John, Bishop of Limerick; Lord Burghley writes thereon, "this petition to be exhibited to ye Queen, and I will further it."
To the Lord Mountjoy in favor of Lady de Burgh.
Account of Bond debts of Hugh Middleton, goldsmith.
Leases, several; one from John Buckler to Thomas Hardye of the advowson and presentation to Brodeway church, in Dorsetshire, for 2,000 years.
Appointments of Keepers to Rochester Castle, and (in the preceding reign) to the Castle in the City of Canterbury.
Letter signed by Francis Godolphin, Charles Trevanyon, and others, against William Weare, for having "divers infected households in the Borough of Tregoing in Cornwall, &c."
Letter from Henry Nevill.
Petition of the servants of Ferdinand, Earl of Derby.
Inventory of the goods of Sir Robert and Lady Woodroff, of Alvington House.
Letter recommending Henry Savile to be Provost of Eton College.
Knoll Hall, Warwickshire, worksilver accounts.
Confession of the faith of Gabriel Pulteney, Esq., which is for the two sacraments of Christ, but against the five sacraments invented by the Papists of their own brain, the mass, &c.
Letter from the Lord Deputy and Council of Ireland to the Privy Council in England, signed "Russell," and others.

James I.

Sign manuals.
Holograph letter from the Earl of Rutland.
Letters from Sir Robert Steward, brother to the Earl of Orkney.
John Norden, Surveyor of the Duchy of Cornwall.
Sir John Talbot.
Earl of Pembroke.
Lord of Berwick.
Lord Monteagle.
Sir John Trevor.
Sir George Dalston, stating the death of Lady Dorothy Wharton, &c.
Sir William Waad (Lieutenant of the Tower).
Sir Henry Fanshaw.
Sir Richard Carnsew, several letters to him and Lady Carnsew.
Letter to the Lord Mayor and Aldermen of London, about the measurage of coals; with other communications to the said Mayor in this and the preceding reign, one recommending a coal-meter apparently against the wish of the Common Council.
Letter recommending Dr. Thorne (His Majesty's Chaplain) for further promotion, signed by Richard Bishop of London and fourteen other bishops.
Wills; amongst others the will of Sir Edward Clere, of Blickling Hall, Norfolk, in which he gives to his grandchild the great gold chain which the Emperor Charles V. gave to his grandfather Sir Thomas Clere.
Proclamations, several; one for apprehending Thomas Percy and others concerned in the Gunpowder Plot.
Sign Manual to a note of certain sums given by His Majesty; amongst which is £1,500 to Sir Thos. Bodleigh.
Holograph Letter from Lord Cranborne to Sir Thomas Lake, *inter alia*, saying, that he had heard from Germany that the counterfeit runnagate Grey had been apprehended and discovered for an impostor, &c.
Letter from the Master and Fellows of Christ's College, Cambridge, in favor of George Ward, B.A., with their seal and signature attached. The Doctor afterwards went with the Bishop of Llandaff and two others, to attend the national Synod of the United Provinces in 1613.
Letter to the Lord Chief Justice Popham, to apprehend certain "Swaggerers, or of the damned crew who have raised quarrels against our subjects and servants of Scotland."
Letters from Auditor Hockmore of the Duchy of Cornwall, and other papers relative to the said duchy.

Proceedings by the Mayor of Salisbury against the Corporation of Tailors of the same city, relative to the Morris Dancers and Drummers profaning the Sabbath, &c.

Letter to Sir John Kennedy for being unkind to his wife, from her father.

Warrant for the Garrison of Portsmouth; 1 master gunner at 10*d.* a day, 15 gunners at 8*d.* a day, 14 other gunners at 6*d.* a day, 1 auncient, 1 armourer, 1 sergeant, 1 drum, 1 fife, and 100 soldiers at 8*d.* a day.

The Earl of Clanrickard (in consequence of his conduct during the rebellion, as well as at the siege of Kinsale,) to have charge of the province of Connaught.

Orders relative to the mines in the Forest of Mendip in Somersetshire, belonging to Sir Biers Bulmer, knt., customs, &c.

Charles I.

Receipt of Robert Anwill, son of the High Sheriff of Caernarvon, for 106*l.* 10*s.*, for conveying William Prynn (the Antiquary), from Caernarvon Castle to Jersey.

Letter from the Mayor of Chester, concerning the verdict and decree touching the holding of the lands of Sir Robert Stanley.

Lord Cottington's doctor's bill.

Letter from Thomas Morton, Bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Lady Anne Dorchester, letters and accounts.

Letter from Lord Bayning to Lady Dorchester.

Three letters, one signed by Lord Antrim and the Duke of Buckingham, and the other two by the Earl of Newcastle, concerning the revenues of the said Duke's estate.

Bond of the Earls of Somerset and Ancram, for the appearance in Court of the first named earl, with their seals and signatures.

Letter from Lord Gerard (just before his death) to the Earl of Essex, concerning his son Lord Gerard of Brandon, who was afterwards accused of being concerned in the Rye House plot.

Report on the case between Sir Fulk Grevill and Lord Brooke, signed by the Archbishop of Canterbury, Lord Arundell and Surrey, and Coke.

Order to pay David Ramsey 321*l.* 10*s.*—for making a new clock, and putting it up at Richmond, with weights, &c. 25*l.*; for new gilding and burnishing the clock dial there, 12*l.*; for lead work, &c. for the tower and pyramid, 22*l.*; for 24 large vanes of copper gilt and set up at Windsor Castle, 250*l.*; for making a new dial at Greenwich, 12*l.* 10*s.*; signed by William Juxon, Bishop of London, and Lord Cottington.

Letter signed by Marleburgh Totness and others of the Council to the Lord Privy Seal, to discharge several tenants of Bromfield-in-Yale, in Denbigh, of their Privy Seal loans.

Charles II.

Copy of Order from the Commissioners of the Board of Works and Sewers, for making a passage (on the plan of Woodroof) out of Chancery Lane into Lincoln's Inn Fields; breadth 28 feet next Chancery Lane and 24 feet next ye fields.

Account of a collection made by the Churchwardens in a parish, giving the names and sums contributed by each.

25. *Alterations in the Office.*—For the better security of the Office against Fire, the iron shutters in the Library have been renewed, and the same security placed on other windows from which any danger might be apprehended; for, short as the period may be which will elapse before the Records are removed from this Building, so magnificent as a Monument of Ecclesiastical Architecture, and so inconvenient and inappropriate for the purposes of a Record Repository, the Master of the Rolls, who examined the Building, was of opinion, that as far as any protection could be given against danger, it was proper, considering the extreme Historical importance of Domesday and the other Volumes remaining there, not to run any chance or risk. When cleared, the structure will revert to Your Majesty. A very small portion, however, being the space between the buttresses in which the Offices are built, belongs to the Dean and Chapter of Westminster, and is held by Lease granted to Trustees on behalf of the Crown.

Tower of London.

Records of the Chancery, Admiralty, &c.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. Hardy.)

26. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of the Division (excluding the aid afforded to the Officers of the Admiralty in the use and consultation of their Documents placed in this Repository, and the Searches and Copies made for Your Majesty's Board of Woods and Forests, and for the Oxford and Cambridge Universities' Commissioners) will appear from the following summary:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	—		
1851.					£	s.	d.
January -	– –	6	5	– –	1	4	0
February - -	– –	32	3	1	3	6	0
March - -	3	8	20	5	9	8	0
April - - -	2	14	6	– –	1	14	6
May - -	3	37	8	1	10	6	6
June - - -	3	9	20	1	4	10	0
July - -	2	20	8	3	10	14	6
August - -	2	10	17	11	7	0	0
September -	– –	22	8	– –	1	11	0
October - -	– –	18	20	– –	4	4	6
November -	2	7	20	– –	4	6	0
December -	1	36	22	5	8	3	0
Total -	18	219	157	27	66	8	0

The Searches made for the Oxford and Cambridge Universities' Commissioners have been very extensive and laborious. In order to meet the views of the Secretaries, the whole of the Patent, Charter, and Close Rolls have been carefully examined, roll by roll and membrane by membrane, and a chronological abstract made, which shows all instruments upon the Rolls concerning the Universities or the Colleges therein. These abstracts are very curious and valuable, furnishing, in fact, a Chronological History of the bodies to which they relate, so far as the same can be deduced from the information which the Records afford. It appears from the account kept, that from January 1, 1851, to May last, the work done for the Commissioners has been equivalent to the labour of one superior officer during a year.

27. *Privy Seals.*—The operations upon these very important and useful Documents, which have been noticed from time to time in preceding Reports (Fifth Report, II. § 20; Ninth Report, II. § 21; Tenth Report, II. § 7; Eleventh Report, II. § 5; Twelfth Report, II. § 4), are now completed. These Documents, hitherto quite unused, are of very great Historical value. They extend from Edward I. to Richard III., and are, for the most part, written in French, containing instructions to the Great Seal, or to the Officers of the Chancery as well as to others, either for the purpose of directing the passing of Documents under the Great Seal, or for other purposes for which such directions were needed. They have all been stamped and entitled, and the number thus dealt with throughout the series is as follows:—90,940 have been cleaned, 82,952 have been stamped, 95,177 have been repaired, 87,620 have been numbered and entitled, and 87,282 have been made up between boards in the shape of books.

28. *Inquisitions post mortem.*—All the workmen in this Department are now employed upon the cleaning, flattening, and reparations of the Post mortem Inquisitions, which have been repeatedly noticed in preceding Reports (Fourth Report, II. § 44; Fifth Report, II. § 25; Sixth Report, II. § 70; Seventh Report, II. § 14; Eighth Report, II. § 105; Ninth Report, II. § 17; Tenth Report, II. § 5; Eleventh Report, II. § 3; Twelfth Report, II. § 2).

They are Documents in frequent use, of great importance, and which, at a former period, have sustained much injury from their mode of arrangement. The operations have been continued in their various stages to the 36 Henry VI.; to the end of the reign of Richard II. they are placed in blank books. Those of the reigns from Henry IV. and Henry V., having been found too large and numerous to be inserted in such Books, have been arranged in portfolios upon an improved plan suggested by Mr. Sanders, an Officer of the Third Class, who has given his attention to these operations. This arrangement supersedes the necessity of folding the Document, and is much more economical.

29. *Bills and Answers in Chancery, and other Equity Proceedings.*—The Calendar of the Chancery Proceedings noticed in preceding Reports (Sixth Report, II. § 69; Seventh Report, II. § 12; Eighth Report, II. § 104; Ninth Report, II. § 20; Tenth Report, II. § 6; Eleventh Report, II. § 4; Twelfth Report, II. § 3;) has been continued, and 3,199 Causes, containing 10,263 Instruments, have been entered, numbered, and entitled. But Mr. Sharpe, who

was employed upon this work, having been removed to the Rolls Chapel Repository (II. § 31), the calendaring is for the present suspended. The particulars of the work done will be found in the Tabular Summary (App. No. 9).

30. *Royal and other Letters, &c.*—These very interesting Documents have for several years engaged the attention of Mr. Hardy (Third Report, II. § 34; Fourth Report, II. § 43; Fifth Report, II. § 19; Sixth Report, II. § 68; Seventh Report, II. § 10; Eighth Report, II. § 102; Ninth Report, II. § 22; Tenth Report, II. § 8; Eleventh Report, II. § 6; Twelfth Report, II. § 5). They abound in valuable illustrations of the History, Biography, and General Policy of the period which they embrace. Portions of the Calendar (to which an Index of the names of persons and places has been completed) made by Mr. Hardy have been appended to previous Reports (Third Report, App. II. Nos. 5*a*, 5*c*; Fourth Report, App. II. No. 5*c*; Fifth Report, App. II. No. 5*f*; Sixth Report, App. II. No. 2; Seventh Report, App. II. No. 7). Such Calendar is now progressing, and will be completed in the course of the current year. In the course of 1851, 1,066 Instruments have been added to the Calendar.

Rolls Chapel Office.

Records of the Chancery, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe.)

31. *Business of the Division.*—The business of the Division appears from the following statement:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies and Quantity.	Authentications and Quantity.	Attendances.	Fees.		
1851.			Folios.	Folios.		£	s.	d.
January	96	187	30 = 777	11 = 363	1	36	9	0
February	79	107	35 = 951	20 = 731	1	48	7	0
March	77	117	36 = 853	17 = 368	1	37	13	6
April	77	112	17 = 209	4 = 49	—	13	13	0
May	65	104	32 = 805	9 = 78	—	26	19	6
June	61	85	23 = 393	6 = 102	2	24	1	0
July	83	136	52=2,079	8 = 440	1	96	8	6
August	57	100	16 = 548	11 = 383	—	28	12	6
September	43	306	10 = 366	1 = 22	—	15	3	0
October	76	140	11 = 234	1 = 10	3	14	6	0
November	64	109	18 = 336	10 = 172	2	19	12	0
December	61	114	15 = 314	8 = 88	—	17	9	0
Totals	839	1,617	295=7,865	106=2,806	11	378	14	0

Several very extensive Searches have, as in other Offices (II. §§ 1, 21, 26), been made for the use of Your Majesty's Office of Woods and Forests, &c., and for the Oxford and Cambridge Universities' Commissions, which have consumed much time; and numerous Copies have been made for their use without payment of Fees. Mr. Palmer retired, by the permission of the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, on 19th August 1851, and he has been succeeded by Mr. Sharpe, heretofore at the Tower. Under any circumstances, the aid of so experienced and dependable an Officer as Mr. Sharpe would have been important; but the value of his services is enhanced by the circumstance of his bringing to this Office his familiar acquaintance with those portions of the Chancery Rolls antecedent to those in the Rolls Chapel, but forming, in fact, only one series (Ninth Report, II. § 6). In the new Repository they will have to be placed in sequence; and Mr. Sharpe will be able to afford very considerable help in these operations.

32. *Transmissions of Records.*—According to the usual course of the Chancery, the following Records have been brought into the Rolls Chapel during the year, and deposited in their proper places, viz.:—

The Parliament Rolls of the 14th & 15th year of Your Majesty's reign, consisting of 36 parts (printed), together with a Catalogue: from the House of Lords.

The Patent Rolls of 4 William IV., consisting of 15 parts, and 15 bundles of Privy Seal and Signed Bill Warrants: from the Petty Bag Office.

The Close Rolls of 1835 (6 William IV.), consisting of 185 parts, together with 24 bundles of Memorials of Annuities, and 2 Rolls of Recognizances; and the Close Rolls of 1836 (7 William IV.), consisting of 207 parts, together with 24 bundles of Memorials of Annuities (but wanting the Rolls of Recognizances which should have accompanied them): from the Enrolment Office.

Enrolments of Decrees, 68 in number, which have been made up in 9 rolls, and part of a tenth; and the Docquets, which have been made up into a like number of bundles: from the Office of the Clerks of Records and Writs.

33. *Arrangements, Repairs, Indexes, &c.*—Mr. Holden has completed in official form the Office Index to the Close Rolls of 1833 (4 William IV.), and examined the same with the Enrolments, consisting of 1,137 Deeds and Recognizances. He has also in progress a similar Index to the Close Rolls of the following year (1834); and has made a general inspection of the Office Indexes, for the purpose of reporting their condition; and directions have been given for repairing and re-binding all which need those operations. Mr. Sharpe commenced his duty here on the 27th October 1851; he has made an Office Index to the Memorials of Life Annuities of 1835 (6 William IV.); and is progressing with an Alphabet to the Office Index to the Patent Rolls of George IV. Indexes to the Close Rolls of 1832 and 1835 (3 and 6 William IV.), and to the Memorials of Annuities of 1836 (7 William IV.), are in progress. 404 membranes of various Documents have been damped; 405 membranes have been repaired; 823 membranes have been sewed; and 19 plans annexed to Enrolments. Other operations will be found noticed in the Tabular Summary (App. No. 9).

34. *Removal of the Records of the Privy Signet Office.*—Upon examination of these Documents in the chambers of the lately abolished Signet Office in Abingdon Street (I. § 11), Mr. Holden found the Signet Bills made up in Bundles as to months, and classed in monthly divisions, but the whole intermixed as to years, that is to say, all the Bills for all the months of January were in one press, all the Bills for all the months of February in another, and so on, but without any chronological arrangement. Mr. Holden, therefore, made a careful sortation of them collectively in yearly Bundles, noting where chasms occurred, and specifying the same in the Schedule accompanying the receipt which he gave to Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department.

Mr. Holden has endeavoured to account for the chasms by referring to the Docquet Books, and there appears good reason to suppose that some Bills, previously in such Bundles, are really wanting; but that some of the chasms have arisen from the non-transmission of the Documents into the Signet Office during those particular months. They now form 140 yearly Bundles. There are also 3 Bundles of Miscellaneous Documents, as specified in the before-mentioned Schedule. Several of the Bundles have been injured by wet at some distant period; but the majority are in good condition.

Mr. Holden found the Documents denominated "Royal Warrants" tied up in 39 yearly Packets, with several chasms, which he has specified in the Schedule: the whole are now tied up in 3 separate Bundles; many of this Class of Documents, however, are to be found amongst the Signet Bills, which may possibly account for some of the chasms.

The Docquet Books appear, by inspecting the beginning and end of each Volume, to be complete, excepting some few chasms as specified in the Schedule. Possibly the chasm from 1646 to 1660 may have been occasioned by the troubles and alterations in the forms of Government during that period until the Restoration. These Books consist of 31 Volumes in good condition; but many of them are erroneously indorsed. It will be expedient to divide Vol. 31, because it extends beyond the date of the transferred Records, and it has been arranged that the Home Office shall, at an early opportunity, be supplied with such portions of Vol. 31 of the Docquet Book, and of Vol. 9 of the Indexes, subsequent to the year 1800, as do not relate to the transferred Records.

The Indexes form 9 Volumes, with a chasm as specified in the Schedule, and which may probably be accounted for in like manner as the chasm for the same period in the Docquet Books; Vols. 3 and 4 are duplicates. It will be necessary to have such portion of Vol. 9 re-copied, as extends beyond the date of the transferred Records, because the Volume cannot be divided.

There are likewise 14 original Letters Patent of Denizations, each contained in a box; they appear to be Patents remaining in the Office, uncleared by the parties entitled to them.

The Records were delivered over to the custody of Mr. Holden on 16th February 1852, and he commenced the above sortation on the 17th February, at the Signet Office in Abingdon Street, and continued it there, assisted by one clerk and one workman, until the 24th, on which day all the above-mentioned Records were carefully conveyed to the Rolls Chapel, and such as are in Bundles are now in a course of arrangement in the Record Room over the Chapel.

The following is the specification of the Records, Docquet Books, Indexes, and other State Papers of the lately abolished Signet Office, received as before mentioned into the custody of the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls on the 16th day of February 1852, and now deposited in the Rolls Chapel Branch Public Record Office.

1. Bills signed by the several Sovereigns of England for various Grants, Appointments, and other State Matters from May 1661 to December 1800 inclusive, in monthly Bundles, with the following chasms, viz.:—

In the year	1666	the bundle for September.
,,	168½	ditto for March and September.
,,	1688	ditto for February and January.
,,	1694	ditto for November.
,,	1696	ditto for September.
,,	1700	ditto for July, August, September, and October.
,,	1709	ditto for April.
,,	1725	ditto for October.
,,	1738	ditto for August.
,,	1743	ditto for August.
,,	1784	ditto for October.
,,	1788	ditto for December.
,,	1789	ditto for January and February.

In all 19 chasms.

Also, 3 Bundles of Miscellaneous Documents, viz.:—

One bundle labelled "Kings' Bills for Presentations, and Sundries unarranged."
One bundle labelled "Prebendaries of Canterbury."
One bundle in three parcels tied together and labelled "Old unarranged Records."

2. Various Royal Warrants, and other State Documents, from the year 167⅔ to 1800 inclusive, consisting of 39 Bundles, with the following chasms, viz.:—

From the year	1673 to 1689.
,,	1689 to 1760.
For the year	1763.
,,	1765.
,,	1767.
,,	1773.

3. 31 Volumes of Docquet Books, from January 1584 to December 1800, with some chasms therein, particularly from March 159⅙ to April 1603, and from June 1646 to June 1660.

4. 9 Volumes of Indexes from the year 1584 to 1803 inclusive, with some chasms, particularly from 1638 to 1660. So much of Vol. 9 as extends beyond the year 1800 will be copied out, and transmitted to the Home Office, as above-mentioned.

5. 14 Boxes, each containing a Patent of Denization, with the Great Seal attached.

Rolls House.

Pell Records, and other Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer, late in the Custody of the Comptroller-General, &c.; Treasury Records; Slave Registration and Compensation Records; Welsh Records; &c.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. Black.)

35. *Business of the Division.*—The amount of business transacted for the public appears in the Tabular Summary (App. No. 9); but Mr. Black has been very much employed in answering inquiries, &c., on behalf of the Treasury and other Public Departments.

36. *Transfers.*—Various important Records have been added to this Department in the course of the year 1851, upon which some of the operations hereafter stated have been performed, viz.:—

(1.) *From the late Colonial Slave Registry Office*, 13 James Street, Pimlico, (established under Statute 59 Geo. III. c. 120,) received from the Executors of the late Thomas Amyot, Esquire, as previously mentioned in the Twelfth Report (I. § 7 II. § 39,), 28 and 29 January, 7 and 13 February, 1851:—

Registers of Slaves in the several Colonies of Great Britain, and their dependencies, in triennial or other periodical series; total number of volumes, including Indexes - - -	663
Correspondence Books, and other Books relating to the business of the Office - - - - -	9
Original Letters and Papers, bundles - - - -	27
Tables of Fees - - - -	2
Total volumes, &c. -	701

(2.) *From the Office of Commissioners for British Claims*, No. 5, Whitehall Place, (in addition to the Records transferred in November 1843;) (Fifth Report, I. § 5; II. § 37; App. I. No. 6). They were received from Dr. Phillimore, 15 May 1851:—

Registers of British Claims on France, under Convention No. 13; also Minute Books, Award Books, Indexes, &c.; relative to the same - - - - vols.	26
Original Claims of British Subjects on France, including many in respect of losses in the Mauritius, and the Ionian Islands; with a variety of loose Papers thereto relating.	
Like Claims on the British Government, in respect of losses in Denmark and Spain; commonly called the "Danish Claims" and the "Spanish Claims."	
Registers and other Books, relative to "Danish Claims" vols.	8
The like, relative to "Spanish Claims" - - -	2
Total volumes (beside Papers) -	36

(3.) *From the Custom House*, in Thames Street, in farther part of transfer of the Books removed thither from the Treasury in 1835, and partly taken to the Rolls House in May 1848 (Tenth Report, I. § 8; II. § 16); the following, received 17 June 1851:—

Customs' Establishments, from 1700 to 1825, in quarterly books (some of which are duplicates) - - -	125
Registers of Seizures, in large yearly books, from 1718 to 1786 -	64
Personal Informations, in small yearly books, from 1715 to 1722 -	5
Various books relative to the revenue and management of the Customs, and to Shipping, from 1699 to 1784 - -	11
Total volumes -	205

(4.) *From the Office of the Comptroller of the Exchequer*, Whitehall-Yard, in complement of former transfers made in 1841, (Third Report, I. § 5; II. §§ 25, 26); the following Records, received 21 August 1851:—

Counterfoils of Exchequer Receipts substituted for tallies, volumes 1 & 2 of "Standing Heads," and 19–22 of "Incidents" -	6
Tally Court Ledgers, 1826–1834 - - -	2
„ Fee Books, 1814–1834 - - -	3
Declaration of Receipts and Payments, Mich. 14–15 Eliz. -	1
Original Warrants, and other documents - - -	7
Table of Fees - - - -	1
Total volumes, &c. - -	20

(5.) *From the Treasury Chambers*, the following Records of the late Commissary General's Office, and of the Commissariat Department of the Treasury, which succeeded the same; being such books and documents as have ceased to be useful for current official business. This transfer was made 16 & 17 October 1851:—

	vols.
Accounts Current, various, 1798–1834 - -	33
„ called for by the Treasury, 1804–26 - -	1
Address Books - - - -	2
Advices of Remittance, 1816–17 - - -	1

	vols.
Audit Office, Letters to, &c., 1814–30	2
Auditor's Queries, 1803–33	5
Bank Cash Book, 1815–17	1
„ Cheques, 1832–33	2
Barrack Supplies, 1805–19	3
Billet Bills, 1813–17	1
„ Money, 1816–19	1
Bill Books, various, 1798–1834	28
Bread, Oats, and Forage, various Accounts of, 1803–23	27
Bullion, Specie, &c., 1813–16	1
Camp Supplies, 1816-19	1
Cash Balances, 1841–44	3
„ Books, 1816–31	8
Casual Supplies, 1811–19	5
Certificates, various, 1811–34	14
Compassionate Allowances, 1827–34	1
Contract Prices, various, 1801–21, volumes	32
District Accounts, 1811–19	2
Effects of Deceased Commissariat Officers and Soldiers, 1813-16	2
Estimates, various, 1809–19	6
Exchanges on Foreign Stations, 1809–10	1
Exchequer Balances, 1842-43	1
Foreign Account Branch, various, 1810-34	59
Freight on carriage of Stores, 1820–22	1
Half Pay, various, 1809–34	13
Indexes, various, 1809–44	10
Invoices, 1802–16	5
Journals, 1798–1834	16
Ledgers, various, 1798–1835	39
Letter Books, various, 1808–34	4
List of Persons entitled to Peninsular Prize-money, 1817–19	1
Local Militia, 1811–13	1
Longwood, Bonaparte's Establishment at, 1816–18	3
Military Chest, various, 1812–34	7
Mint Reports on bullion, 1812–16	2
Minutes, various, 1800–34	25
Miscellaneous Accounts, 1803–34	8
Officers' Clerks, Allowances and Payments to, 1815–19	3
Order Books, 1813–22	5
Papers, Numerical Lists of, 1820–49	23
Parliamentary Papers, Lists of, 1822–33	7
Pay Accounts, various, 1809–38	7
Payments to Out-Pensioners, 1817–33	5
Pensions to Widows, 1814-26	2
Provisions, &c., 1811-40	2
Queries on Department Returns, &c., 1817-28	2
Receipts and Payments, 1827-34	3
Regimental Account Books, 1805-11	2
Register of Cash Accounts, 1832-34	1
„ Estimates from Foreign Stations, 1814-22	3
„ Provisions and Store Accounts, 1822-35	2
„ Ration Returns, 1832-34	1
Registers, Numerical, of Letters received, 1811-16	8
Reminders, 1818-32	2
Remittances, from France, and to the Bank, 1810-34	8
Returns of Provisions, &c., various, 1811-34	9
Special Claims, 1835-37	2
Staff Pay Register, 1819-34	5
Stoppages for Property Tax, 1809	2
Storekeeper's Instructions, 1812-13	1
Superannuation, 1822	1
Supplies for Foreign Stations, 1809-11	1
Warrants for Issue of Money to Mr. Sargent, 1830-34	1
Waste Books, 1798-1816	4
Total volumes	490

Also, Papers relating to the business of the Commissariat, in bundles, filling 11 sacks.

Besides the above, there have been received into this department two large transfers of *Treasury Books*, amounting to about 850 volumes; and further Reports are in preparation relating to large and important transfers of Treasury

Records, by which, it is expected, all the available space for the reception of Records at the Rolls House will be occupied.

37. *Arrangements*, &c.—The past year has been almost wholly occupied in preliminary operations, chiefly of a mechanical kind, upon Records, which had not been reduced to proper method, or remained in a dirty and inconvenient state.

38. *Exchequer Records.*—The six large volumes of "Counterfoils" before mentioned, II. § 36, No. (4), have been cleansed throughout, the few remaining Receipts folded in, and the covers reduced in size to that of the Counterfoils, and furnished with strings. It is to be lamented, that these are the only Records of the kind which could be transferred from the Comptroller's Office; all the prior volumes are supposed to have been destroyed, when the old Offices of the Receipt of the Exchequer were abolished in 1834. The other operations on this division of the Records have been to arrange alphabetically a farther portion of the Receipts for Pensions (part of the Tellers' Vouchers) which had been already classified and arranged in quarterly bundles, and also to make a better disposition of the Tellers' Bills in boxes: each of these denominations fills 9 boxes.

39. *Treasury Records.*—The operations upon this class apply to the Papers, the Books relative to the Customs, and those of the Commissariat. As to the first, a very great amount of labour has been bestowed on the rough sorting of the loose Miscellaneous Papers; the cleansing, flattening, dating, and exact arrangement of the Periodical Papers, already reduced into classes; the incorporation of others with them, from time to time, as discovered; the preparation of many series for binding; and the classification and arrangement of the Registered Papers, either alphabetically, chronologically, or topographically, according to their several natures. The following classes have been thus dealt with, so far as the work of examination (which is yet in progress) has extended.

The Miscellaneous Papers which were received in a loose and confused state in sacks have been sorted under the following heads, as the first approximation to order:—

Auditor's Certificates
Bank
Billetts
Bills, &c.
Bounty on hemp and flax
Cash Papers
Commissariat
Commissioners of Public Accounts
Convicts
Customs
Dutch Officers
Emigrants
Exchequer Bill Certificates
Excise
German Accounts
Hackney Coaches
Hawkers and Pedlars
Hides
Incident Bills
Income Returns
Issues
Letters
Minutes relative to Commissariat
Miscellaneous, reserved for further consideration
Navy
Orders of Privy Council
Ordnance
Pell Accounts
Post Office
Printed Papers
Printing
Reports
Salt
South Sea Company
Stamps
Taxes
Transport Service
Wills proved.

The Periodical Papers, consisting of Financial and Revenue Returns of different denominations, were, for the most part, already tied up in bundles, as folded: they have been cleansed, flattened, chronologically arranged, and packed between millboards, preparatory to binding, to the extent of the following list:—

	bundles
Pell Office Certificates, 1710-1834	49
Auditor's Certificates, 1714-1828	19
Exchequer Bill Certificates, five distinct series, 1709-1725	10
„ „ combined, 1725-1815	31
„ „ from Paymasters, 1703-1797	3
Customs, Comptroller-General's Certificates, 1698-1782	17
„ Reports, 1689-1807	118
Total bundles or volumes	247

The following have been treated in like manner, except that they have not yet been flattened:—

		bundles
Customs, Receiver-General's Certificates, 1690-1834	- -	24
„ Collectors of Outports, England, 1708-1836	- -	8
„ „ „ Scotland, 1721-1832	- -	2
„ Establishments, Scotland, 1751-1824	- - -	4
„ Abstracts of Receipts and Payments, Scotland, 1735-1819	-	2
Total bundles	-	40

As to the older Registered Papers, and other Papers of like species, though not registered, they have been stamped, arranged under the following heads, and so flattened and packed as to effect a great reduction in their bulk:—

Customs	Forfeited Estates
Excise	Alum Works
Post Office	Mines
Navy	Ireland
Mint	Scotland
Land Tax	America
Board of Works	West Indies
„ Trade	Africa
Stamps	Channel and other Islands
Harbours and Dockyards	Orders in Council
Fortifications and Ordnance Lands	Law Papers
Crown Lands	Miscellaneous or unascertained.

Several of these heads have been farther dealt with by subdivision, or internal arrangement, as the "Law Papers" and "Crown Lands" especially. The former have been sub-divided under the following titles:—Treason and Sedition, Revenue, Escheats and Forfeitures, Solicitor's Papers, and Miscellaneous. The latter are in progress of arrangement by English counties, &c., keeping those Papers which relate to Westminster, the Savoy Hospital, and the Duchy of Cornwall, separate; also Wales, which will be sub-divided into its counties.

A considerable collection of Papers relative to the following subjects has been formed; they are flattened, dated, and arranged topographically and chronologically, in portfolios or sheets of paper, and must be considered as only in progress:—

Forests
Parks
Royal Palaces } alphabetically.
Castles
Woodlands.
Ferries, Bridges, and navigable Rivers.
Roads, royal private.
„ in North Britain.
„ in Ireland.
Isle of Man, 1711-92.

All these arrangements of Treasury Papers are attempted on the basis of that made by Mr. James Matthews, in 1782–5, which is described in Mr. Black's Report on the Treasury Records, dated 24th Nov. 1844,* and is of great use in ascertaining the extent, and the proper relation and classification, of the old Treasury Papers.

Of the Treasury Books, those chiefly which relate to the Customs have been dealt with in the past year. By the more recent transfer from the Custom House (I. § 8; II. § 36) has been completed (with few occasional blanks) a large and highly valuable series of Customs' Quarterly Establishments, from June 1679 to October 1843, amounting to 770 folio Volumes, uniformly bound in vellum; of which 258 have been cleansed, indorsed with their dates largely ingrossed, and all have been labelled within and without with printed titles, numbered and arranged on shelves, in the past year; one Volume also has been re-bound at the Stationery Office. The Registers of Seizures, in 64 large folio Volumes, have been cleansed, indorsed with their dates prominently ingrossed, and arranged. The "Personal Informations" have been cleaned, indorsed with titles and dates, and arranged, in 7 Volumes.

* Seventh Report, App. II., pp. 24, 60—61, 96—97, of printed copy.

The Books of the late Commissary General and of the Commissariat Department were, forthwith upon their transfer (I. § 7; II. § 36), in great measure cleansed, and all classified and temporarily arranged on shelves, subject to more perfect arrangement after the revision of the Inventory hereafter menned (II. § 43). They amount to 490 Volumes, some of them being exceedingly large and heavy. Farther operations are required upon them, and several odd Volumes require to be incorporated in the sets.

40. *Slave Compensation Records.*—The works described in the Twelfth Report (II. § 43) have been continued and completed, with the exception of a small quantity of Books and Papers, requiring further consideration. The Claims and Counter-Claims for all the 19 Colonies have been made up into Bundles, within millboards, uniformly labelled, and the labels varnished. The following species, belonging to this class of Records, have been thoroughly operated upon, and arranged on racks :—

Claims, with Certificates of Valuation annexed.
Counter-Claims, with all Documents thereto respectively belonging.
Returns of Valuation (Mauritius only), separated from the Claims, and prepared for binding in volumes of 500 each.
Duplicate Awards on litigated Claims.
Amended Awards on uncontested Claims: omissions supplied in bound Volumes, and others prepared for binding.
Certificates and Lists of Awards and of amended Awards, and of Transfers to Accountant-General.
Correspondence, partly incorporated with the Claims, Counter-Claims, and amended Awards; partly arranged in classes, in a box.

Some idea of the labour of these operations may be gained from the fact, that the particular manipulations employed in them have exceeded 100,000 in number.

41. *Slave Registration Records.*—The 663 large Volumes of Slave Registers, described under a foregoing head (II. § 36), have been cleansed, in several instances repaired, all labelled without and within, and systematically arranged on shelves. The other Books before-mentioned have been labelled; and the Correspondence has been arranged: but the remaining Documents have not yet been disposed of.

42. *British Claims on France, &c.*—All the original claims on France, whether those received in 1843 (Fifth Report, I. § 5; II. § 37; App. I. No. 6) or those received in the past year (II. § 36), have been individually and thoroughly cleansed from the dirty state in which they were found, and have been flattened or folded to size; the Proofs, Vouchers, and other Papers thereto relating, carefully ascertained, arranged, stitched together, and annexed to their respective Claims and Awards; and the whole arranged in their several classes, in the numerical order of the several Awards, and finally placed in boxes, according to the following List :—

	boxes
Claims on France, under Convention No. 7, Awards of Liquidation, 1–437 -	8
Same, Awards of Rejection, 2–219, and on Claims of Religious Houses -	2
Same, Supplemental Awards of Liquidation, 1–73 - -	1
Same, Supplemental Awards of Rejection, 1–95 - - -	1
Same, Awards on Bourdeaux Claims, under additional Article, 1–68 - } Same, "Cours de la Place," 3–304 - - - - }	1
Same, under Convention No. 13, Awards of Liquidation 1–457, upon the Ionian, Mauritius, and other Claims, in one series - -	3
Vouchers generally relating to the foregoing series, which could not be attached to individual Awards - - - -	1
Same, Awards of Rejection, 1–97 - - - -	1
Miscellaneous Lists and Official Papers, relative to the affairs of the foregoing Claims - - - - -	1
"Latest Series" of Claims on France, numbered 1–449, apparently consisting of revived and revised Claims - - -	2
"Danish Claims," 1–329 - - - -	3
"Spanish Claims," and Papers thereto relating (not all numbered) -	1
Total boxes -	25

It is impossible to describe the state of confusion and dirt in which these Papers have been transferred, or the trouble and toil of reducing them to any

thing like a satisfactory method. After repeated attempts and changes of system, they are now (it is hoped) brought into such a state that they can be, and are, consulted with some degree of certainty. Nevertheless, it cannot be stated that any one series is perfect; for there remain many Papers in the Office of the Commissioners which, when transferred, may fill up the numerous gaps which occur, or rectify the arrangement of Documents which in their irregular and imperfect state are almost unintelligible.

43. *Inventories.*—A Table of the Custom Establishments, and one of the Commissariat Books, with notes for the construction of complete Catalogues thereof, have been made in draft in the past year.

III. General Matters connected with the Care and Management of the Records and the Record Establishment.

1. *New Record Repository, &c.*—Your Majesty's Order in Council, noticed in a preceding section (I. § 13), as well as the approaching completion of the first block or portion of the new Repository of Records, now in rapid progress, and which, it is expected, will be roofed in before the conclusion of the present year, concur in constituting the commencement of a new era in the business of this Department.

The scope of the authority given to the Master of the Rolls by the Record Act is now considerably enlarged. Your Majesty's Order in Council renders him the Keeper, not merely of the Records in a legal or historical sense, but of all Your Majesty's Public Documents and Archives whatever, and the Repository will ultimately become (if the expression may be allowed) the strong box of the Empire.

2. *Fees, and Regulations concerning the same.*—It is intended in a future Report to submit to Your Majesty a recapitulation of all the proceedings which have taken place from the passing of the Record Act and the constitution of the Public Record Office, up to the time when such Report shall be made. In this Report will be given a complete enumeration of all the Records and Documents transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls pursuant to the Record Act, and specifically named therein, describing the Records existing in the Original Repositories, and the dates of their transmission into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and a like description will be given of the Public Documents not specifically denominated in the Record Act, which have been transferred at various periods into the custody of the Master of the Rolls by Your Majesty's Treasury and other Public Departments, and which have recently been confirmed by Your Majesty's Order in Council.

This summary will also contain a compendious statement of the very extensive operations performed upon the Public Records for the purpose of bringing them into order, as also of the regulations now and heretofore subsisting in relation to the transaction of public business. There is, however, one subject which it is needful to bring before Your Majesty on the present occasion, viz., the rules and regulations relating to the fees paid by the public for the use of Public Records.

According to the ancient principles adopted in the organization of our Courts of Judicature, they were all intended, in the first instance, not simply to be self-supporting, but something more—fees, and gratuities, and compliments were allowed, exacted, or imposed, partly as a source of Crown revenue, and partly in order to afford to the officers a remuneration rather above than below the ordinary rate of earnings by the employment of time and labour. The benefit of the officers was specially considered; and not unfrequently offices were created as a special boon to the parties. The assertions made to this effect by a late eminent legal reformer are in the main entirely true. It was a practice acted upon as openly under the Commonwealth and the Protectorate as under the Stuart reigns. This principle prevailed pre-eminently with respect to the Courts of Law and Equity, in many of which the offices were freeholds, or, if not strictly freeholds, yet susceptible of purchase and sale.

Charges were fixed without any definite relation to the labour imposed upon the officers or the interests of the public. Many fees, especially in the late Record Offices, were ancient, and, considered with reference to the value of money when imposed, exorbitant, and notwithstanding the diminution of value of money they continued very burthensome. In all matters connected with Records, the charges were accumulated to obtain the greatest aggregate profit.

There was no approximation as to the value of the service, no consideration as to difficulty or facility; and the duties with respect to Records, like all other duties, were primarily considered as sources of revenue. But no blame whatever could be attached to the officers who received the fees, which, in the most cases, were strictly legal, or so sanctioned by long prevailing usage as to be considered as legal.

As a consequence of this inconsistency, the same kind of service was remunerated in different offices according to a most unequal scale. Single searches cost 1*s.*, 2*s.*, 3*s.* 6*d.*, 6*s.* 8*d.*, 8*s.* 4*d.*; and for the same class of Records, the price varied with the Repository, *e. g.*, a search in the Rolls of the Common Pleas at the Tower cost 10*s.*, at the Chapter House, 8*s.* 4*d.*, and at the Masters' Office, 2*s.* 6*d.* A search for a year, 1*s.*, 1*s.* 4*d.*, 2*s.*, 3*s.* 6*d.*; a general search, 4*d.* for every Term searched, or 1*s.* for every day the applicant came to search, or 2*l.* 2*s.*, or 3*l.* 3*s.*, or 5*l.* 5*s.* per day; a copy of a Document, 4*d.* per folio, or 6*d.*, or 8*d.*, or 10*d.*, or 1*s.*, or even 2*s.*, or 3*s.* 6*d.*; in some offices the folio contained 72 words, at another 78, and at others 90.

In the ancient Office of the Chapter House, and in the Chancery Record Office at the Tower, the remuneration of the Keepers arose partly from salary and partly from fees; but in the Chancery Office of the Rolls Chapel wholly so. In the Common Law Offices also, the Officers were remunerated wholly by fees. But in the Courts of Common Law this mode of applying the fees has, pursuant to a recent statute (1 Victoria, c. 30), ceased, so far as concerns the direct interests of the Officers, who receive fixed and stated salaries. Nevertheless, though the Officers have no longer any personal interest in the fees, the old principle is retained. The fees continue as before a source of revenue. They fall into the Fee Fund, out of which not only the salaries of the Officers are provided, but a considerable overplus balance is annually paid over into Your Majesty's Exchequer, and considered as a portion of the public revenue; the salaries of the Officers being the first charge upon the Fund.

With respect to the Public Record Office, an opposite course has been pursued. The salaries and other expenses of the establishment are paid out of the Annual Parliamentary Vote for Civil Services; and it is directed by the Record Act that all fees for the use of the Records in the custody of the Master of the Rolls are to be paid monthly into the Bank of England to the account of the Exchequer, and the amount carried to the Consolidated Fund. Under these circumstances, it became the duty of the late Master of the Rolls to reduce the fees as low as possible, consistent with the protection of the Records, and the actual quantity of labour performed by the Officers; and the Deputy Keeper was therefore directed, early in the year 1839, to prepare a scheme for the settlement of such fees, which he submitted to the opinion of the several Superior Officers, who did accordingly give their opinions thereon; and the subject was repeatedly discussed in every stage until the existing Table of Fees was finally settled and signed by his Lordship. That fees should be imposed of a sufficient amount to check any indiscreet or thoughtless use of the Records is indispensably necessary. Records would otherwise not unfrequently be asked for in needless profusion, principally by those searchers who are only imperfectly acquainted with the object of their search. Those who are experienced and skilful, being usually anxious to save their own time, are equally economical with regard to the time of the Officers.

According to the practice previously prevailing in the Record Offices, each Document, however small, was considered as liable to a distinct fee. In some cases, the search and inspection fees were charged for each and every entry, although the Record might contain numerous entries. Such is generally the case with respect to Rolls, each Roll being a *Volume* in the strict sense of the word, containing a great number of chapters, each entry being equivalent to a distinct chapter. Therefore, if 20 entries upon an Enrolment Roll, or 20 "ac etiams" or heads of receipts or disbursements, in one Roll of Accounts, were inspected, 20 fees were paid. Moreover, the fee for taking down or inspecting a Document on one day was paid again, if the applicant wished to consult the Document upon the following day, and so on *de die in diem* without limitation.

In settling the new Table of Fees, the main principle considered has been the equitable adaptation of the price paid by the searcher to the quantity of Government time and labour bestowed by the Officers, fixing such price at

the lowest rate consistent with justice to the public as interested in the revenue, and to the individuals as searchers or users of the Records. Thus the fee for taking down and inspection of Records has been fixed at one shilling for each Roll, File, Bundle, or Document (the fee being paid for the entirety), whereas, heretofore, it was fixed with respect to the information or benefit derived. Heretofore, when a Patent Roll was taken down, a separate fee was, as before mentioned, paid for inspection of each entry or chapter; whilst under the present regulations, the charge is made for the Roll or Volume. A Bundle of Chancery Proceedings, *e.g.*, whatever may be the number of Documents, or a Patent Roll, whatever may be the number of entries, is charged as one Document, one shilling, and the like for a single Instrument, *e.g.*, one Charter or Post Mortem Inquisition; for the Charter or Inquisition being a distinct article, it requires as much time to produce as a Bundle, containing many documents. The looking out for the Records is an operation which consumes a very considerable portion of the time of the Officers, and in no case does the searcher get less for his money than under the old system; but in the vast majority of cases a great deal more.

Lastly, in order to afford as much facility as possible to searchers, a "general composition fee" has been introduced, to the following effect, viz., that when the number of Records or Documents, *bonâ fide* required for prosecuting any search relating to any family, place, or single object of inquiry shall exceed five, then it shall be in the discretion of the Assistant Keeper to remit the fees for all above that number, upon payment of the Composition Fee of 5*s.*, which clears the searcher from the day when he begins the search till the following Saturday, so that if Monday is the first day the searcher is cleared for a whole working week; and the Assistant Keepers are directed to give the most extensive construction to that power, so as to diminish the expenses of the inquirer.

No gratuity or reward is permitted to be received by the Officers or Attendants under any pretence whatsoever. The Officers can no longer have any interest in obstructing or discouraging the use of the Records, their employment as Record Solicitors or Record Agents being strictly forbidden; and they do practically give very important and useful assistance to the public, facilitating their searches as far as possible.

The regulations relating to copies required great consideration, and, as in the case of searches, all parties consulted, concurred in the opinion that it was absolutely necessary to protect the public by charging such rates as should repress mere idle inquiries or impertinent applications. Moreover, if the rate were lower, especially with respect to copies of ancient Records, than the rate ordinarily paid for such copies, to law stationers or professional transcribers, parties would, when they wanted a plurality of copies for use, bespeak Duplicates or Triplicates so as to render the labours of the establishment subservient to mere private convenience.

With respect to copies, it was the rule in all Offices to refuse making any parcel copies or extracts; that is to say, supposing (as most frequently occurs in Grants) that all the information required by a party may be comprised in a few lines, *e.g.* the operative part, the parcels, the tenure, and the testing clause, yet the applicant was, nevertheless, compelled to take a copy of the whole Document, though all the remainder might be quite useless for the purposes for which the copy was required. In some special cases, and in comparatively recent periods, the rule was slightly relaxed at the Rolls Chapel; but in no case was any applicant permitted to make any copy of a Record, or of any portion of a Record, or any note or extract, except as to dates and trifling particulars.

Under the new regulations, the length of folios for copies of Records has been fixed at 90 words for all copies. If a party takes an unauthenticated copy, the sum of 6*d.* per folio is paid; and for a great variety of purposes the unauthenticated copies are as useful as if they were authenticated. They are made with equal care. If copies are authenticated, then they are charged at 1*s.* per folio, in consequence of the greater quantity of time consumed in the examinations, which must always be performed by the Assistant Keeper, and not by a Clerk; and in any cases of any difficulty, the copy is subjected to a cross examination. Parties may obtain parcel copies or extracts, as they think fit; and special directions have been given to ensure these copies being so made as to prevent their being mistaken

for an entire copy, or offered as an entire copy. The lacunæ are so distinguished, that upon the face of the copy it is impossible to proffer the extract or extracts as a full copy or entirety. If an office copy be taken, the search and inspection fees are deducted, and every Searcher may make copies of the original Record, or take any extract therefrom, provided he uses a black-lead pencil, the employment of this material for writing having been enjoined for the purpose of preventing any casual injury to the Records by blots of ink, and also to guard against the possibility of fraudulent interpolation. The difference between the ancient fees and the present fees is enormous. When a search is made upon a Patent Roll at the Tower, where 16*s.* 8*d.* was formerly paid for the inspection of each entry, the whole Roll containing perhaps 200 entries or more, may now be consulted and perused, and any part (the whole, if it can be done in one week) be copied in pencil for one shilling; and, generally, in a regular business search, comparing the cost under the old system with the cost under the new, the fees are in most cases reduced to one sixth part of the former charge, and in many to one fifteenth part.

Under the ancient regulations of the Record Offices, the employment of the Records for historical, topographical, genealogical, or any other literary purposes, was circumscribed; and, with very rare, scanty, and occasional exceptions, they were as sealed Books to all such inquiries.

In the original proposition laid by the Deputy Keeper before the Master of the Rolls for the settlement of the fees (26th February 1839), it was therefore proposed that the Master of the Rolls should exercise a discretionary power of remitting fees to literary inquirers, the condition being imposed that such person applying should sign a declaration that he did not intend to employ the information thus obtained for any purposes of legal business. To this proposition so made an argumentative objection was raised, upon the ground that Literary Inquirers had no claim whatever to be treated as a favoured class; and that it was "unfair to exact fees from those who consult the Records "for the purpose of asserting or defending their legal rights, and to remit "them to those who consult the Records merely for literature." In reply to this argument, it was observed that legal expenses are the inseparable incidents of property, and from which property cannot be relieved. Unquestionably, the expense of furnishing the muniments required by the litigant party should be rendered equitable and moderate; and these ends are fully attained by the new Table of Fees; but when a person obtains a grant, or otherwise derives property, from or through the Crown, he receives it with the chance of being compelled to prove his title by means of the Crown Records, just as a person purchasing a copyhold renders himself liable to the occasional necessity of consulting the Court Rolls. In all cases depending upon evidence, the necessity of incurring expense to obtain legal evidence is inseparable from the nature of things; and in case of all private Instruments which are enrolled, the party concerned, or supposed to be concerned in the property, is better off, whatever the fees may be, than if he were deprived of the advantages which enrolment offers.

With respect to individuals in humble circumstances (and they are not by any means few in number) who imagine that they are entitled to property or dignities, by claims deduced from a remote period, and who seek to establish such claims by Record evidence, it may be said, that it is almost an act of charity to avoid encouraging a delusion which frequently leads to insanity or beggary.

The objections, however, prevailed, and such relief as literary inquirers might obtain in common with business searchers under the Composition Clause was very inadequate to their legitimate demands. It cannot, with any degree of propriety, be said that literary men, as a class, consult the Records for purposes of profit or gain. In the great majority of works for which the information derived from Records or Historical Papers is requisite, not only does the author or compiler usually fail to realize any remuneration for the consumption of his time and his intellectual labour, but frequently sustains positive loss. This is peculiarly the case with the works involving minute and accurate investigations, such as biography and topography: the latter branch of inquiry in particular, and which cannot be pursued satisfactorily without incurring far greater cost than the sale of the work can be expected to repay if published for sale; and in the composition of papers or essays, or the transcription of materials

intended for communication to societies, whether formed for the investigation of historical or antiquarian subjects, or for the publication of ancient documents, no profit is ever sought, the contributor sacrificing time, labour, ability, and money for the advancement of knowledge. Unless the literary inquirer was able to conduct his inquiry by daily attendance during the six days of the week, he reaped no benefit from the composition clause, but very few persons are able to devote such a solid portion of time to historical or archæological inquiries. They must resume them at convenient opportunities, when they have taken home their collections and materials, and the more they work at their own desks, the more they find it requisite to refer to the Records for elucidating points which occur in the course of consideration or composition. The diligent inquirer must often refer to the Documents again and again as new questions arise. The verification of a date, by comparison with Books and Documents in private and public libraries, may occupy many hours, and then require further investigation at the Record Office for many days before the author can be satisfied.

Feeling these difficulties, a Memorial, dated 7th July 1851 (App. No. 4), was presented to the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls by various historical writers, members of various literary societies specially interested in the prosecution of historical inquiry, and persons otherwise engaged in literary pursuits, or connected therewith, praying that his Honour would be pleased to order that persons who are merely engaged in historical inquiry, antiquarian research, and other literary pursuits connected therewith, should have permission granted to them to have access to the Records with the Calendars and Indexes without payment of any fee; and his Honour, having carefully considered the matter returned his answer of the 31st July 1851, which, with the reply of the Memorialists (2d August 1851), are hereto annexed (App. Nos. 5 & 6). In conformity to his promise, his Honour therefore prepared the rules and regulations for facilitating literary inquiries, from which extracts are hereto annexed (App. No. 7); and the same having been transmitted to the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, their Lordships were pleased to approve thereof, as signified by their letter of the 17th November 1851 (App. No. 8); and since the 1st January 1852 the same regulations are in active operation.

The materials thus presented to the public possess unexampled value—Whether we consider them in relation to antiquity, to continuity, to variety, to extent, or to amplitude of facts and details they have no equals in the civilized world: for the archives of France, the most perfect and complete in Continental Europe, do not ascend higher than the reign of St. Louis, and, compared with ours, are stinted and jejune; whereas, in England, taking up our title (so to speak) from Domesday, the Documents, which by the Record Act, the Treasury Minute of 8th August 1848 directing the incorporation of the State Paper Office with the Public Record Office, and the recent Order in Council, are or will be placed under the care of the Master of the Rolls, contain the whole materials for the history of this country, in every branch and under every aspect, civil, religious, political, social, moral, or material, from the Norman Conquest to the present day. Chasms there are, but the only one of importance is that intervening between Domesday and the Great Rolls of the Exchequer, viz., from 1088 to 1130; and inasmuch as in the reign of Henry II. we have authentic testimony that scarcely any Documents of the reign of the Conqueror, with the exception of Domesday, existed, it is most probable that none were ever framed. And with respect to subsequent periods, though occasionally particular classes of Documents may fail us, yet the place of the Documents lost or non-existent is always fairly well supplied by others affording information nearly equivalent. It is needless to state that the Public Records, accompanied by the State Papers and Government Archives, now united to the Department of the Public Records, constitute the back-bone of our civil, ecclesiastical, and political history; but their value is equally great, though as yet not sufficiently appreciated or acknowledged, for the investigation of those special and collateral subjects without which the mere knowledge of public or political affairs affords but a small portion of the information needed for elucidating the mutations and progress of society. The real history of the Courts of Common Law and Equity, nay of every branch of jurisprudence, save and except the Statute Law, has never yet been written, and as so far as respects their earlier eras, the standard work first placed in the hands of the legal student is a congeries of errors,

equally with respect to our ecclesiastical, our political, and our legal institutions. The statistics of the kingdom in every branch or head of inquiry—revenue, expenditure, population, trade, commerce, or agriculture—not one of which has been treated otherwise than imperfectly and preparatorily, can, from these sources, be investigated with marvellous satisfaction and accuracy. In some respects no portion of their contents will be found more interesting than those transmitted from Your Majesty's Treasury of which the existence even can scarcely have been said to have been known.—For naval history, in like manner, the Admiralty Documents will be of the greatest importance. Nor less useful will the State Papers, Government Papers, Records, and Archives prove for the exploitation of special subjects of research. The Documents now opened afford untouched mines of information relating to private history of persons and families. Hitherto, genealogical inquiries have not received in any competent degree the attention which they deserve, whilst local topography, though cultivated with more diligence, has, for the most part, been pursued with reference to objects of inquiry which do not afford information in proportion to their accumulation. Yet the general history of a State can never be understood without the most complete and searching analysis of its component parts and elements. Genealogical inquiry, and local topography, so far from being unworthy of the attention of the philosophical inquirer, are amongst the best materials he can use. The particular history of the fortunes and changes of any one noble family individualizes the events of general history; and the rise or fall of any one lineage is perhaps the clearest exponent of the mutations of human affairs. So, also, in like manner, the history of a county, a hundred, or a township, if properly investigated, brings out the most important facts, with regard to the general state and condition of society; giving facts instead of theories—figures instead of surmises;—there are manors or townships through which the history of the Lord and the Tenant, the Employer and the Labourer, the Landlord and the Rent-payer, may be pursued with sufficient accuracy and fulness for all practical purposes, from the Conquest to those periods when, for the present generation at least, no further investigation is required.

All which is humbly submitted to Your Majesty.

(Signed) FRANCIS PALGRAVE,
June 3, 1852. *The Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.*

I most humbly certify to Your Majesty that this Report is made by the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, under my direction, pursuant to the Statute.

(Signed) JOHN ROMILLY, M.R.

APPENDIX

TO THE

THIRTEENTH REPORT OF THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

Appendix. No. 1.

1. Order in Council relating to Her Majesty's Public Documents.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 5th March 1852.

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Present

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for keeping safely the Public Records," it is, amongst other things, enacted, "That it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, "with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that Records belonging to Her Majesty "deposited in any Office, Court, Place, or Custody, other than as hereinbefore mentioned, "shall be thenceforth under the charge and superintendence of the Master of the Rolls, "and thereupon the provisions of this Act shall extend to all such Records, and to the "persons then having the charge or custody of the same, as fully as if such Office, Court, "Place, or Custody had been named and included in this Act."

And whereas it is expedient that all Records belonging to Her Majesty in divers Offices, Courts, Places, and Custodies other than those mentioned and specified in the said recited Act should be henceforth under the charge and superintendence of the Master of the Rolls, so that the provisions of the said Act may extend to such Records.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the same into consideration, doth thereupon, with the advice of Her Privy Council, order that all Records belonging to Her Majesty deposited in any Office, Court, Place, or Custody, other than those before mentioned in the said recited Act, shall from henceforth be under the charge and superintendence of the Master of the Rolls, subject and according to the provisions of the said Act.

(Signed) Wm. L. Bathurst.

No. 2 *a*.

2 *a*. Treasury Records.—Treasury Minute, sanctioning a further Transfer of Treasury Records to the Public Record Office.

Treasury Minute, dated January 30, 1852.

My Lords have before them the Report, dated the 29th instant, by Mr. Black, Assistant Keeper of the Records, and Messrs. Adrian and Chance of this Office, on that portion of the Treasury Records described in Mr. Black's Report to Lord Langdale, dated November 24, 1844, which was retained in the transfer then authorized to the Record Department.

My Lords concur in the opinion expressed by Messrs. Black, Adrian, and Chance, that as the documents in question have never been consulted during the period which has elapsed since 1844, and are not likely to be used at the Treasury to such an extent as to require their further retention, it is advisable that they should be transferred to the Public Record Department, where, besides being available to the public as sources of historical information, they will, by proper arrangement, be even more accessible than they are in this office, should it at any time become necessary to consult them for their official objects.

My Lords accordingly desire, that all the books described in this Report, about 700 in number, be transferred to the Public Record Department, as well as the Treasury Commissions up to 1845, referred to in the last paragraph but one of the Report.

My Lords will give such directions with regard to the "Papers and Documents" alluded to in the Report, as may appear to be proper when they shall have before them the further Report which will be made when the examination of the Treasury Records has been completed.

A true copy:
(Signed) C. E. Trevelyan.

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No. 2 *b*.

2 *b*. Treasury Records.—Report on proposed further Transfer of Treasury Records.

The Joint Report of William Henry Black, Assistant Keeper of Public Records, and of the undersigned Treasury Officers, on a proposed further Transfer of Treasury Records.

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To Sir Charles Trevelyan, K.C.B., Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Sir,

Forthwith, after the removal of the abolished Fee Books to the Rolls House, which took place on the 7th instant, pursuant to your letter to the Master of the Rolls, dated 22d December last, we, the undersigned, acting under your verbal instructions, began an extensive series of examinations and inquiries, for the purpose of recommending proper materials for a further transfer of Treasury Records, contemplated by the Lords of the Treasury, and alluded to in the latter part of the above-mentioned letter.

Our attention having been called to some hundreds of old books lying in heaps in the loft over the Treasury Chambers, where they were cleansed, classified, tied up in bundles, and labelled nearly ten years ago, we find that, although they were retained on the supposition that they might be required for use by the Treasury officers, nevertheless they have never been consulted during that long time, and are not likely to be used at the Treasury to such an extent as to require their longer retention. This fact induced us more particularly to review all the classes of Records described in the Report which was addressed to Lord Langdale on the Treasury Records, dated November 24, 1844, in order to select such of them as were retained in the transfer thereupon authorized by the Lords of the Treasury, but which later experience or circumstances may have rendered eligible for transmission to the Record Office, without detriment to the public service at the Treasury. We therefore not only removed from the loft into the Minute Book Room all the before-mentioned old books, and cleansed them from the dust that had a second time covered them, but we proceeded to examine all those series and species of Records, detailed or described in that Report, which remain at the Treasury, and selected and placed those first in our scheme which appeared to require removal. To them we added such classes of more recent Records as it appeared to us might most conveniently be spared for the accommodation of the office. On these subjects we have consulted the most experienced officers of the several divisions, for the purpose of forming a correct opinion on the expediency of the proposed removals; and we at length have deemed it expedient to report separately on those which have been already described in the Report, so as to clear the way, and gain more time, for maturing our plan respecting those other Records which have not hitherto been so discussed and described.

We propose, therefore, in the present Report to follow the order of the Schedules subjoined to that Report; the first of which, describing any books that now remain in the office, is Appendix (F),* which contains a catalogue or "calendars of the several series of Office-books of the Treasury to the close of the year 1782, as found in the offices, exclusively of the Revenue Department." Some of those series, which had been discontinued, are detailed to their close; and three of them have been already transferred (viz., the *Reference Books*, *Order Books*, and *Sixpenny Book*); and the following, either then or since discontinued, we now propose wholly to transfer, viz.:—

* Mr. Black's Report, printed copy, pp. 41-50.

§ 10.	Docquet Books	from	1686 to 1851,	vols. 14
§ 14.	Lord Chamberlain's Books	„	1715 to 1834,	„ 4
§ 15.	Public Disposition Books	„	1763 to 1834,	„ 20
§ 17.	Crown Lease Books	„	1726 to 1822,	„ 32
§ 19.	American Books	„	1763 to 1838,	„ 4
§ 20.	Civil List Books	„	1763 to 1834,	„ 13
§ 21.	Law Opinions	„	1763 to 1809,	„ 2
§ 22.	Declared Accounts	„	1767 to 1839,	„ 31
			Total volumes	120

With the last mentioned books we recommend that *the unbound papers*, which form a continuation to the close of the series,* should be transferred; and we would include the two volumes of *Tin Books* in this list if they were not still "missing," as mentioned in that Appendix, § 13.*

* 1848.

* Mr. Black's Report, printed copy, p. 47.

As regards the following numbered series of books, the first volume of each being dated prior to 1782, viz., The Minute Books, from 1667; Money Books, from 1676; King's Warrant Books, from 1678–9; Books of Warrants not relating to money, from 1679; "Customs" Books, from 1681; Letter Books, from 1682; Irish Books, from 1683–4; Tax Books, from 1703–4; North Britain Books, from 1707; Patent Books, from 1760; Wood Books, from 1773; it may be questioned whether, considering the changes of title and various subdivisions of some of these, especially the "Customs" and "Tax Books," their earlier portions might not now be dispensed with at the Treasury. But we propose to report again on this part of the subject after we have completed our examination of the Treasury Records.

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The first part of Appendix (G)* describes all the earlier volumes of series similar to those in the foregoing lists, which were found in the loft, where we found them all, excepting § 1, the three early *Minute Books* which have been united with that part of the general series now deposited in the Registry Department, and excepting the *Reference Books*, *Order Books*, and *Disposition Books*, which have already been transferred to the Rolls House. Of all the others we strongly recommend the immediate transfer, not only on the ground that they are out of use at the Treasury, but also because they are so different in size, shape, and general appearance, and some of them are so diversified in method, that they could not, without the utmost risk of confusion, be ranged with similar books on the shelves of the office; the latter being all uniformly bound, and each series beginning with an unit for its first volume. The following is a list of the older books:—

* Mr. Black's Report, printed copy, p. 50.

§ 2. Money Books - - -	from	1667	to 1692,	vols.	16
§ 3. King's Warrant Book - -	„	1667	to 1670,	„	1
§ 4. Warrants not for Money -	„	1667	to 1673,	„	11
§ 5. Customs and Excise - -	„	1667	to 1681,	„	5
§ 6. Letter Books - - -	„	1667 1793	to 1682, to 1795,	„	6
§ 7. Irish Books - - -	„	1669	to 1683–4,	„	3
§ 10. Docquet Book - -	„	1679	to 1682,	„	1
§ 18. Patent Book - -	„	1672	to 1673,	„	1
§ 22. Declared Accounts - -	„	1667–8	to 1767,	„	8
			Total volumes	-	52

Appendix (H)* relates to that part of the Report which treats of the Revenue Department; it contains two lists of large and very valuable series of Financial Records, which were collected and prepared for transfer, but were retained at the request of the late Mr. Brooksbank. No objection is now made to their removal, and it is considered expedient for the ease of the Department to add to them a continuation of the two series down to the close of last century. The numbers of volumes of these respective descriptions are as follow:—

* Ibid. pp. 55, 56.

(H) § 1. Quarterly Revenue Books	from	1701	to 1782,	vols.	324
§ 2. Yearly Revenue Books -	„	1693	to 1782,	„	73
Continuation of both - -	„	1783	to 1800,	„	91
			Total volumes	-	488

The only other books that we now recommend are described in Appendix (M)*, consisting of a discontinued and imperfect series of Registers of Papers, from 1713 to 1802, and one "Register of Reserved Papers," 1792-6, and together making 29 volumes. These are quite independent of the regular series of Registers (which begin, the "Alphabetical" in 1782, the "Numerical" in 1786), and will be far more serviceable at the Rolls House for reference to the old Treasury papers already there, and to such others as it is in contemplation to remove thither, than they ever can be in their present situation, where perfect registers and lists exist covering the whole period for which any papers are preserved at the Treasury.

* Ibid. p. 62.

Summary of the volumes hereinbefore proposed to be transferred:—

	Volumes.
Out of Appendix (F) - - - - -	120
„ „ (G) - - - -	52
„ „ (H) and Revenue Room - -	488
„ „ (M) - - - - -	29
Total volumes -	689

Sufficient shelfroom exists at the Rolls House for the immediate reception and convenient arrangement of all these volumes along with the other Treasury Books already deposited there.

With regard to *Papers and Documents* which have been treated of in the Report, and have not yet been transferred, we have to report that a considerable quantity of old papers was found mingled with those "since 1781," in one of the dark rooms on the basement,* from which the "Draft Treasury Minutes" were removed to the Rolls House. Some of the old papers were selected and removed, but they required separation from those of later date. If, however, a later period should be fixed for the transfer of Registered Papers than 1782, there will be no necessity here to separate the remaining documents of this description; the whole may then be transferred bodily.

* Ibid. p. 22.

We approve of the following suggestion in the Report:*—"All *Returns relative to the* "*Exchequer*, prior to October 10, 1834, may, with the greatest propriety, be removed, and "the offices will be materially relieved thereby."

* Ibid. p. 25.

Some of the "modern" *Treasury Commissions*, in Mr. Adrian's closet,* may perhaps, with propriety, be removed, being inconvenient in size and shape: the older Commissions have already been transferred.

* Ibid. p. 25.

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We now beg leave to postpone our recommendations respecting books and papers not comprised within the former survey, which we propose to offer in a farther Report, trusting that, in the mean time, the scheme now submitted, with great deference, may meet your approbation, and obtain the sanction of their Lordships.

Dated this 29th day of January 1852.

(Signed) WILLIAM HENRY BLACK.
WILLIAM THOMAS ADRIAN.
GEORGE CHANCE.

A true copy:
(Signed) C. E. TREVELYAN.

No. 3 *a*.

3 *a*. WELSH RECORDS.—Letter from Mr. Horatio Lloyd, Deputy Clerk of Assize, North Wales and Chester Circuit, to the Deputy Clerk of the Peace for the County of Chester, respecting the Records kept in the Castle of Chester.

Chester Castle, December 19, 1851.

IN reply to the letter addressed by Sir Francis Palgrave to the Clerk of the Peace on the subject of the Records of the abolished Courts of the County Palantine of Chester and the County of Flint kept in the Castle of Chester, I beg to lay before the Bench of Magistrates, through you, the following answers to the questions contained in that letter:—

1. The Rolls of Fines and Recoveries of the Counties of Chester and Flint are in my custody as Deputy to the Clerk of Assize of the North Wales and Chester Circuit. They have been for years kept in the same Office with the Assize and Criminal Records, and have been handed down with those Records to the present Clerk of Assize, who was appointed to that office on the death of my father (Edward Watson Lloyd) in May 1850. I give attendance at the Castle whenever a search among the Records is required.

There is no salary; the usual fees are—

	s.	d.
For searching one year - - - -	6	8
For an extract - - - - - - -	2	6
And certificate - - - - -	6	8
If search has to be made for more than one year—		
For each additional year - - - - -	2	0
Or, for each roll - - - - -	1	0

They amount to about 15*l*. per annum.

2. The Records are, I believe, now in the same state as when they were examined by Mr. Black. I have had access to them since that time as deputy to the late and the present Clerks of Assize; and I believe that no change has taken place in their arrangement or condition.

3. The Calendars made by the late Mr. Faithful Thomas are not in my custody. They are, I suppose, among the Exchequer Records in the possession of Mr. Humberston.

4. The Docket Books of Calendars of Fines and Recoveries compiled by my grandfather, the late Prothonotary, are bound up and are in good condition. Those of earlier date are also bound up, but they are not all perfect, some of the leaves being missing.

Having now answered, as far as I am able, the specific questions asked by Sir F. Palgrave, I may, perhaps, be allowed to add, for the satisfaction of those Magistrates to whom the portion of the Castle set apart for the Records is not known, that it is a fire-proof building, the rooms being lofty and perfectly dry; built, I believe, expressly for the reception of the Records, and in every way adapted to such a purpose. To whomsoever, therefore, the future custody of the Records may be entrusted, the Magistrates need not in the mean time be under any apprehension as to the fitness of the *building* in which the Records are deposited.

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(Signed) HORATIO LLOYD,
Deputy Clerk of Assize,
North Wales and Chester Circuit.

Charles William Potts, Esq.,
Deputy Clerk of the Peace for
the County of Chester.

No. 3 *b*.

3 *b*. WELSH RECORDS.—Letter from Messrs. Humberston and Helps to the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Chester, respecting the Records kept in the Castle of Chester.

SIR, Chester, Jan. 5, 1852.

IN reply to the letter of Sir Francis Palgrave, dated 12th December 1851, of which you forwarded us a copy, and to the questions therein contained, we beg to state—

That the Records of the Court of Exchequer are in the custody of Mr. Philip S. Humberston, of Chester, the personal representative of Philip Humberston, late of the City of Chester, deceased, late Deputy Chamberlain, Seal Keeper, and Deputy Baron of the County Palatine.

Mr. Humberston, or one of his Clerks, gives personal attendance when any search among the Records is required.

The fees are—for Search, 2*l.* 2*s.*; and for General Search, 5*l.* 5*s.*

But the above have not been demanded in full, consideration being always given to the amount of trouble.

There is no salary.

The condition and arrangement of the Records is precisely the same as when examined by Mr. Black.

The Records are in excellent preservation, being kept in Chester Castle in fire-proof rooms, built for the purpose; the rooms are upon the first floor, and perfectly dry.

The Calendars or Indexes, made by the late Mr. Faithful Thomas, are kept with the Records. They are not bound up bookwise, but are kept in a portfolio.

We are, Sir,
Your very obedient Servants,

To the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Chester. (Signed) HUMBERSTON AND HELPS.

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4. LITERARY INQUIRIES.—Memorial to the Master of the Rolls, requesting Access to the Public Records by Literary Inquirers, without Payment of Fees. No. 1.

To the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls.

SIR, London, July 7, 1851.

THE undersigned historical writers, members of various Literary Societies specially interested in the prosecution of historical inquiry, and persons otherwise engaged in literary pursuits, or connected therewith, beg leave most respectfully to submit to you:—

That, by the Statute 1 & 2 Vict. c. 94. s. 9, the Master of the Rolls is empowered to make rules for the admission of such persons as ought to be admitted to the use of the Records, Catalogues, Calendars, and Indexes, and also to make rules for dispensing with the payment of fees in such cases as he shall think fit.

The undersigned would also most respectfully submit to you, that the researches of persons engaged in historical investigation and inquiry would be greatly facilitated, and the welfare of our national historical literature be promoted in a very high degree, if you would be pleased to exercise the power given to you in the Statute before mentioned by making an order that such persons may have permission granted to them to have access to the Public Records, with the Indexes and Calendars thereof, without payment of any fee.

At present any person may search for and inspect any Record on payment of a fee of one shilling for a search in the Calendars, which may be continued for one week, and of another fee of the same amount for the inspection of each Record, or such fees may be commuted at the sum of five shillings per week, provided the search be limited to one family or place, or to a single object of inquiry.

These fees are of no benefit to any individual, but are paid over to the nation, the different officers of the Record Establishment being remunerated by salaries.

When a person desires to inspect one or two specific Records for his own private purposes these fees are unimportant in amount.

But when a person engaged in historical or antiquarian research wishes to build upon the evidence of Public Documents—the only sure foundation of historical truth—it ordinarily happens that in the progress of his inquiry he is obliged to refer to many Records; the inspection of one almost necessarily leads him on to others, and, as he proceeds, he continually finds references and allusions to many more, all which he ought to inspect, if for no other purpose, in order to be satisfied of their inapplicability to the subject of his research. This is the course of inquiry which in such cases is absolutely necessary to be adopted for the establishment of historical truth. Under the present practice this course cannot be adopted. Inquirers are deterred from referring to Records by the total amount of the reiterated fees, and are thus compelled to copy erroneous or questionable statements from earlier authors.

The literary men of the present day find it necessary for the establishment of truth to verify the authorities and references of earlier writers, but the amount of the present fees compels inquirers to accept statements professedly built upon the authority of the Records as they find them. Thus doubt and mistake are perpetuated and made part of our national history; and thus time, which ought to be a test of truth, is often made to lend additional authority to error.

The present practice cannot be defended on the ground of its productiveness to the national revenue. The amount received for literary searches is altogether insignificant, except to those who pay it. The attainment of historical truth—an object in which the

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whole nation is interested—is therefore prejudiced, and in many cases defeated, by the enforcement of fees which produce the nation absolutely nothing.

The exclusion of literary men from the inspection of the Records excites a demand on the part of persons interested in historical literature for the continuance, at the expense of the Government, of works similar to those published by the late Record Commission. If access were freely granted to the Records, such demand would be silenced; for such publications would be undertaken by the numerous existing publishing societies, or by other voluntary associations which would be instituted for the purpose, as well as by individuals. Everything that is historically valuable at the British Museum is published without difficulty as soon as it is discovered.

Even in cases in which free access to manuscripts does not lead to their being printed, it promotes transcription, which tends to preserve valuable information against the unavoidable danger of total loss, to which it is liable whilst existing in a single copy. With a view to this danger, the House of Commons ordered a transcript to be made of the Parliamentary Survey of 1650, a manuscript existing in the library of Lambeth Palace; and examples might be adduced of the contents of Cottonian MSS., destroyed by fire in 1731, having been partially supplied through the means of notes and transcripts previously made by persons who had access to the MSS.

Many of the most valuable historical works of past ages; such works, for example, as Dugdale's Baronage, the foundation of all our books relating to the peerage; Madox's History of the Exchequer, the basis of much of our legal history; Tanner's Notitia Monastica, the groundwork of our monastic history; and Rymer's Fœdera, which first enabled historical writers to put general English history upon a sure foundation;—were all compiled principally from the Records. Every page contains many references to them. It is a common complaint that now-a-days no such works are published. Under the present practice such works cannot be compiled, nor can the improved historical criticism of the present age be applied to the correction of the errors which unavoidably crept into such works published in times past.

Lastly, the undersigned desire to state distinctly that they do not solicit this permission on behalf of any persons engaged in Record searches for legal purposes, or for any persons whatever save those who are carrying on researches for historical or other literary objects; and they would most readily acquiesce in and approve of the most stringent precautions against any abuse of the privilege which they solicit on literary grounds solely.

The undersigned therefore beg, with the greatest respect, to solicit your attention to the circumstances they have stated, and to request that you would be pleased to make an order that persons who are merely engaged in historical inquiry, antiquarian research, and other literary pursuits connected therewith, should have permission granted to them to have access to the Public Records, with the Indexes and Calendars, without payment of any fee.

And the undersigned have the honour to be, Sir,
With the greatest respect,
Your most obedient and very humble servants,

(Signed)

Braybrooke.	Mahon.	John Bruce.
Talbot de Malahide.	W. H. Blaauw.	J. Y. Akerman.
Thomas Carlyle.	W. H. Smythe.	James Heywood.
Londesborough.	Henry Ellis.	G. A. Hoskins.
Chs. Purton Cooper.	Albert Way.	J. R. Planché.
F. Madden.	John Holmes.	P. Levesque.
H. H. Milman.	Bolton Corney.	W. Harrison Ainsworth.
Jas. Prior.	Edwd. Foss.	F. H. Davis.
T. J. Pettigrew.	Edward F. Rimbault.	T. Crofton Croker.
John Lee.	Samuel Birch.	C. W. Dilke.
Alfred White.	Augustus W. Franks.	Thos. Corser.
Strangford.	Edwd. Oldfield.	Charles Boutell.
S. Oxon.	Wm. S. W. Vaux.	J. O. Halliwell.
Octavius Morgan.	Jas. Spedding.	Lucy Aikin.
Fortunatus Dwarris.	F. A. Carrington.	Charles Roach Smith.
Thomas Wright.	G. Poulett Scrope.	T. K. Hervey.
Mary Anne Everett Green.	J. B. Nichols.	Douglas Jerrold.
Philip Hardwicke.	John Gough Nichols.	Charles Knight.
John Forster.	Ev. Ph. Shirley.	James Crossley.
William J. Thoms.	Agnes Strickland.	Richard Parkinson.
Charles Tucker.	S. R. Maitland.	George L. Craik.
John Henry Parker.	Hepworth Dixon.	Peter Cunningham.
Henry Shaw.	John Britton.	John Doran.
Henry Hallam.	John Ayre.	J. B. Bergne.
T. B. Macaulay.	Edward Smirke.	J. Hamilton Gray.
Robert Harry Inglis.	Charles Dickens.	S. R. Solly.
J. Payne Collier.	Francis R. Raines.	Charles Bailey.
R. Neville.	Edward Hawkins.	

5. Literary Inquiries.—Answer of the Master of the Rolls to the Memorial requesting Access to the Public Records by Literary Inquirers, without Payment of Fees.

Rolls House, Chancery Lane, July 31, 1851.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

After consulting with Sir Francis Palgrave, and carefully considering your Memorial with an anxious desire of meeting your wishes as far as practicable consistently with the proper protection of the Records under the existing circumstances of the Record Establishment, I propose to comply with your request to some extent at once, with a view to the ultimate compliance with it entirely, if the measure with which I propose to commence shall be found to work satisfactorily.

For the present, therefore, I will assent to the following regulation.—I will authorize Sir Francis Palgrave, the Deputy Keeper of Records, to grant to any literary inquirer permission to search for, examine, and inspect, and to make notes, extracts, or copies, in pencil without payment of fees, of all such Calendars or Indexes of Records, and all Record Papers and Documents or classes thereof, as in his judgment can be properly opened gratis to the literary inquirer on his, the inquirer, explaining, to the satisfaction of Sir Francis Palgrave, that the application is for a *bonâ fide* literary purpose, upon his doing which an explanation will be given to the applicant of the extent and nature of the assistance which the officers of the establishment can render; and Sir Francis Palgrave will give the necessary directions to the Assistant Keepers accordingly.

This regulation I have considered to be necessary in order to prevent any person under colour of literary inquiry gaining an unfair advantage over the business searchers, by making searches pretendedly for literary information, but in reality for legal or professional purposes, whether business or legal in the strict sense of the word, or such as are usually conducted by officers of the Heralds' College. I regret that, under present circumstances, it is impossible to extend the rule more generally, but until the new Repository for the Records shall be opened both accommodation and attendance are insufficient. The Public Records and Archives cannot properly be considered exactly in the light of manuscripts deposited in the British Museum or any other library; for, besides the necessity of watching them with jealousy lest they should be interpolated, mutilated, or stolen, the greatest caution is required to prevent their receiving detriment by rude or careless usage, and although many of them are already bound in volumes (and it is intended ultimately so to treat all which are susceptible of this arrangement) many of the most important class of Records, including the ancient Enrolment Rolls of the Chancery, cannot be bound up, and their tenderness and friability from age or accident exposes them to the chance of injury on the mere rolling and unrolling, and in consequence of their being written on both sides their reparation is always difficult and in many instances impracticable; another difficulty arises from the forms and sizes of Documents, many are not connected together and are not susceptible of being connected, and this particularly with respect to charters to which seals are appendant, which might be easily abstracted or lost by fraud or negligence; and further, although by the Office Rule all the Documents ought to be stamped with the Office stamp, it has not as to many of them been possible to do so as yet. It is proper also to state that in some instances inquirers who may have an inadequate knowledge of the mode of prosecuting their own inquiry, or of the ancient modes of writing, are apt to require some person to be at hand to point out to them the matters required, or to decipher the writings or interpret the words, and by so doing greatly interrupt the business of the office.

The Table of Fees now in existence was settled after great consideration by Lord Langdale, and there has as yet been no complaint of their being onerous to the individuals who have occasion to use the Records; they were framed, not for the purposes of revenue, but with a view merely to remunerate fairly the actual work and labour of Government officers, and to prevent indiscreet and ignorant inquirers from occupying the time of those officers.

I have stated these matters to explain why, with regret, I feel that it is not possible at present to do more than make the limited compliance with your request I have above stated; when, however, the new Record Buildings shall be sufficiently completed, these regulations shall be reconsidered with a view to granting every possible facility and encouragement to literary inquirers; and I shall direct Sir Francis Palgrave and the Assistant Keepers to construe the permission I propose to grant as liberally as they possibly can consistently with their duty.

I am, my Lords and Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,
(Signed) John Romilly.

The Lord Mahon,
&c. &c.

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No. 6.

6. Literary Inquiries.—Reply of Lord Mahon to the Master of the Rolls.

Chevening, near Sevenoaks,
August 2, 1851.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge your letter of the 31st ult., and I will take means, without delay, to communicate it to the other gentlemen who signed the Memorial that was laid before you.

Those gentlemen, I am sure, will concur with me in feeling both the courtesy which you have shown us, and the care with which you have considered our request. They will, I am sure, like myself, think you well entitled to the gratitude of every man of letters for the great and valuable concessions which you announce your intention to make forthwith, and for your further promise that whenever the new Record Buildings are sufficiently completed, the regulations shall be reconsidered with a view to granting every possible facility and encouragement to historical inquirers.

I have, &c.

Sir John Romilly. (Signed) Mahon.

No. 7.

7. Literary Inquiries.—Extracts from Regulations of the Master of the Rolls, relating to the Admission of Literary Inquirers to the Public Records, without Payment of Fees.

Rolls House, December 4, 1851.

The particular Regulations for the admission of literary inquirers must for the present be the following:—

1. That the individuals seeking to avail themselves of the permission shall address a letter to the Deputy Keeper, stating generally their objects of research, so as to show that the applications are really and *bonâ fide* for literary purposes, and that the applicant shall also attend the Deputy Keeper personally thereon, and give such further explanation as may be required; and that thereupon the Deputy Keeper shall, if he be satisfied with the statement and explanation, authorize the Assistant Keepers to allow the applicant to inspect such Indexes of Records, and also such Original Records, and to make such copies or extracts in pencil, required by the applicant, as the Deputy Keeper may think advisable.

This mode of proceeding, which is equally required for the security of the Records and for the protection of the business searchers, will in fact be beneficial to literary inquirers; for the more fully they explain their objects, the better will the Deputy Keeper and the other officers be able to direct them to the documents which may be useful to them.

2. That all the applications before-mentioned be entered in a book, and be reported to the Master of the Rolls.

3. That a book be kept at each Branch Office in which the Assistant Keeper shall enter a note or particular of the Rolls, Records, Books, or Documents called for, inspected, or used by the applicant, nearly in the same manner, *mutatis mutandis*, as is practised with respect to manuscripts in the British Museum. ——— But this book is to be considered as confidential, and not to be shown to the public without the express permission of the Master of the Rolls or Deputy Keeper.

4. That in case of any impropriety or abuse of the privilege, the Assistant Keepers do forthwith report the same to the Deputy Keeper, in order that he may bring the same before the Master of the Rolls.

It will be necessary also to explain to the literary inquirers that the time of the various officers and other persons employed in the Public Record Office is so wholly ingrossed by the performance of their present duties, that it will not be possible for the officers to assist any literary inquirers beyond the production of the documents, and giving a general explanation, if needed, of their character and nature. No applicant ought to present himself who is not sufficiently acquainted with the handwriting, abbreviations, and language of ancient documents, so as to be able to read and decipher their contents.

The literary inquirer will have free access to the documents; but this being done, he will have to conduct the inquiry from these Documents in such manner as his own knowledge and capacity may best enable him to do.

(Signed) John Romilly, M.R.

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No. 8.

8. LITERARY INQUIRIES.—Approbation of the Lords of the Treasury to the Regulations made by the Master of the Rolls.

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SIR, Treasury Chambers, November 17, 1851.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury having had before them Sir Francis Palgrave's letter of the 4th instant, transmitting a copy of a Memorial signed by several historical writers, members of various Literary Societies specially interested in historical inquiry, praying that access to the Public Records, Indexes, and Calendars may be allowed, without payment of any fee, to persons connected with such pursuits, and submitting certain regulations for the approval of this Board, which you consider necessary for effecting the end proposed without risking the security and proper preservation of the Records, or the collection of fees in cases in which they ought to be required; I am commanded to acquaint you that the regulations submitted by you appear to my Lords to be well suited to the object in view.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
(Signed) C. E. TREVELYAN.

The Master of the Rolls,
&c. &c.

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OFFICES.	ARRANGEMENT, REPAIRS, &c.	REMOVALS.
ROLLS HOUSE.	Exchequer of Receipt:— Tellers' Vouchers (Receipts, &c. for Pensions)—Arrangement continued. Treasury Records:— *Papers.* Cleaning, flattening, dusting, sorting, arranging under heads. *Books.* Customs—Cleaned, arranged, indorsed. Commissariat—Cleaned and classified. Slave Compensation Records:— Cleansing, arranging, and ticketing continued and completed (except a small number of Books and Papers requiring further consideration). Slave Registration Records:— Cleansed, labelled, and arranged. British, &c. Claims on France Records:— Cleansed, sorted, flattened, arranged.	Slave Registry Office (13, James Street, Pimlico) to Rolls House—Registers of Slaves, Correspondence, Original Letters and Papers, Tables of Fees: pursuant to Treasury Letter of 22 January 1851. Office of the Commissioners for British, &c. Claims on France (5, Whitehall Place) to Rolls House—Registers of Claims on France, Minute Books, Award Books, and Indexes; also, original Claims (in addition to those transferred in November 1843): pursuant to Treasury Letter of 29 January 1851. Custom House to Rolls House— Customs' Establishments, 1700—1825. Registers of Seizures, 1718—1786. Personal Informations, 1715—1722. Various Books relating to Revenue and management of the Customs, 1699—1784. Comptroller-General's Office to Rolls House (21 August 1851)—Divers Records, in complement of former Transfers. Treasury Chambers to Rolls House (16 and 17 October 1851)—Divers Records, in addition to former Transfers.
ROLLS CHAPEL.	Various Membranes - - Damped. 404 - Mended. 405 - Sewed. 842.	House of Lords to Rolls Chapel—Parliament Rolls, 14 & 15 Vict. Enrolment Office to Rolls Chapel—Close Rolls, Memorials of Annuities, and 2 Rolls of Recognizances, of 1835; and of 1836, except 2 Rolls of Recognizances. Petty Bag Office to Rolls Chapel—Patent Rolls, and Privy Seal, &c. bundles, 4 W. IV. Office of Clerks of Records and Writs to Rolls Chapel — 68 Decrees, and Dockets.
TOWER.	Inquisitions Post Mortem—Arrangement continued to 36 Hen. VI.; 19,534 numbered and entitled; 12,442 sorted and arranged in books and portfolios; 18,382 cleaned and mended; 3,258 parcels sewed. Chancery Proceedings—Dusting, re-arranging, and ticketing. Privy Seals—Arrangement completed; 4,505 sorted; 4,668 stamped and entitled; 10,697 placed between boards and ticketed.	- - - -
CHAPTER HOUSE.	Miscellaneous—Stamping and flattening 87,480; sorting various. *See* Carlton Ride.	- - - -
CARLTON RIDE. *Mr. Hunter's Division.*	- - - - -	- - - -
Mr. Roberts' Division.	Common Pleas:— Common Rolls—593 Rolls, divided into 1,213 parts, placed in covers, and ticketed; 10,816 membranes damped and flattened, and 3,995 membranes mended; 94 rolls (in too bad a condition, until mended, to be divided) covered and ticketed. Eliz., Jac. I., and Car. I., done. Feet of Fines—Arrangement of those of early date slowly progressing; those of Hen. III. to Ric. III., for Kent, Leicester, and Lincoln, flattened, mended, guarded, stamped, tied in parcels between covers, and arranged chronologically; those of Geo. II. continued, but stopped at present. King's Silver Books—96 additional volumes bound; 87 parcels, in a bad state, tied up and ticketed, showing probable date. Miscellaneous—Sorting and adding to proper classes. Exchequer—*Queen's Remembrancer:*— Affidavits—Flattening, folding, arranging in bundles, and packed in 165 portfolios, and ticketing. Decrees and Orders, from 1580 to 1787—Sorting and placing in 222 portfolios, and ticketing. Miscellaneous—Cleaning, sorting, mending, and adding to classes. Petitions—Folding, placing in portfolios, and ticketing. Writs of Distringas, from 1809 to 1822—Flattened, and placed in 7 portfolios. Writs of Levari, from 1808 to 1827—Flattened, and placed in 7 portfolios. Chapter House:— Miscellaneous—Cleaned, flattened, sorted. Palace Court:— Miscellaneous—Sorting and arranging.	- - - -

OFFICE, for the Year ended 31st December 1851.

INVENTORIES.	CALENDARS.	INDEXES.	FEES. Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Amount of Fees. £ s. d.
- - - -	- - - -	- - - -						
		Exchequer	13	49	22	- -	- -	6 6 6
- - -	- - - -	CLOSE ROLLS—1832, 1834, and 1835 in progress; 1833 done. DECREES—Entered up. MEMORIALS OF ANNUITIES—1835 and 1836 done. PATENT ROLLS—G. IV., in progress.	839	1,617	295	106	11	378 14 0
- - -	STATE PAPERS and ROYAL LETTERS—1,066 more done.	CHANCERY PROCEEDINGS (Equity Side)—3,199 more Suits, or 10,263 Instruments, done (suspended at present).	18	219	157	27	- -	66 8 0
- - - -	MISCELLANEOUS — Continued; 1,550 more done.	- - - -	67	291	220	21	- -	33 1 0
- - - -	EXCHEQUER: — MISCELLANEOUS of the QUEEN'S REMEMBRANCER —2,820 more done, making in all 83,384.	- - - -	- -	845	49	16	- -	20 0 6
EXCHEQUER—*Augmentation*:— Particulars for Grants, fair copy continued:	CHANCERY:— PATENT ROLLS continued to 17 Hen. VIII.; fair copied to 10 Hen. VIII. EXCHEQUER—*Augmentation*:— 35 more Volumes. *Pleas.* Plea Rolls continued.	Q. Bench	40	36	40	21	3	34 9 0
		C. Pleas	634	84	391	380	- -	135 9 6
		Exchequer	108	407	257	135	5	168 14 6
		Total -	1,719	3,548	1,431	706	19	843 3 0

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FOURTEENTH REPORT

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FOURTEENTH REPORT

OF

THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

May it please Your Majesty :—

Pursuant to the Statute made and passed in the Session of Parliament held in the first and second year of Your Majesty's reign, entitled "An Act for Keeping Safely the Public Records," I, the undersigned Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, do hereby most humbly make my Fourteenth Report to Your Majesty, for the year beginning 1st January 1852, and ending 31st December 1852, up to which last-mentioned date this Report is made, except, however, certain particular transactions, herein-after quoted as being subsequent to the said 31st December 1852, which it becomes needful to notice. And, pursuing the plan adopted in my former Reports, I have arranged the matters hereby submitted to Your Majesty under three general heads; the tabular statement from which further details are to be collected being inserted in the Appendix hereto annexed.

I. Proceedings relating to the taking possession of Records, and also to Records not yet in the custody of the Master of the Rolls.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the regulations of the Statute.

III. General matters connected with the care and management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

I. Proceedings relating to the taking Possession of Records, and also to Records not yet in the Custody of the Master of the Rolls.

1. *Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law, &c.*—In my Thirteenth Report (I. § 1) it is stated that, in consequence of the crowded state of the Carlton Ride, it was difficult to find any space for the reception of the Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and therefore it had been considered expedient to postpone the issue of Warrants for the transmission of the same until the new Repository should be ready to receive them. The Masters of Your Majesty's Court of Exchequer of Pleas, however, having been much inconvenienced by the increase of the Documents in their Record Room or Treasury, made application to this Department that the Master of the Rolls would receive into his custody not only such Records as were due by effluxion of time, but also various Documents of less than twenty years of age; and the Lord Chief Baron of the Exchequer having, as to such last-mentioned Records, concurred in the request, the Master of the Rolls issued his Warrant accordingly, dated 27th May 1853. The Records included in such Warrant are the following, and the same have been transferred into the Carlton Ride as after-mentioned (II. § 2) :—

Rule Department.

1 bundle of Term Papers for Michaelmas Term, 1830.
1 bundle of Term Papers for Hilary, Easter, and Trinity Terms, 1831.
1 bundle of Term Papers for Hilary, Easter, Trinity, and Michaelmas Terms, 1832.
1 vol. of Records of Rules, Michaelmas Term, 1830, and Hilary, Easter, Trinity, and Michaelmas Terms, 1831.
1 vol. of Records for the year 1832.
2 bundles of Ejectments and Affidavits of Service for Michaelmas Term, 1830, and Hilary, Easter, Trinity, and Michaelmas, 1831.
4 bundles of Ejectments and Affidavits of Service for Hilary, Easter, Trinity, and Michaelmas Terms, 1832.
1 bundle of Affidavits of Increase for Michaelmas Term, 1830.
4 bundles of Affidavits of Increase for the year 1831.
9 bundles of Affidavits of Increase for the year 1832.
1 bundle of Affidavits used on Motions, Michaelmas Term, 1830.
12 bundles of Affidavits used on Motions for the year 1831.
42 bundles of Affidavits used on Motions for the year 1832.

Judgment Department.

9 bundles of Judgment Rolls, Michaelmas Term, 1830, to Michaelmas Term, 1832, both inclusive.
3 vols. Docquet Books of Judgments (same period).
6 bundles of Cognovits (from November 1830 to January 1832).
3 bundles of Warrants of Attorney (same period).
11 bundles of Cognovits and Warrants of Attorney (from January 1832 to 31st December 1832).

Writ Department.

Bundles of Precipes from 1841 to 1846 inclusive.
13 Precipe Books, 1830, 1831, 1832.

Taxing Department.

Taxed Bills from 1838 to 1844, both inclusive.

Filacer's Department.

Bundles of Precipes of Writs issued from 1841 to 1846 inclusive.
Bills of Costs taxed from 1838 to 1844 inclusive.
24 vols. Appearance Books, Hilary 1841 to Michaelmas 1844, both inclusive.
32 Appearance Files of same date.
48 bundles of Affidavits of Service of same date.
32 vols. Declaration Books of same date.
Declarations of same date, in alphabetical bundles.
Small returned Writs, Hilary 1841 to Michaelmas 1843 inclusive (16 bundles).
Large returned Writs, Hilary 1841 to Michaelmas 1842 inclusive, 2 bundles, 4 Terms in each.
4 bundles of Black Bail Files, Michaelmas 1837 to Trinity 1838 inclusive.
Miscellanea, 1830 to 1838 (1 bundle).
12 Files returned Writs, Hilary 1844 to Easter 1845 inclusive.
2 vols. Index Books to returned Writs, Hilary 1843 to Easter 1845 inclusive.
6 bundles Special Bail Files, Michaelmas 1837 to Michaelmas 1842 inclusive.

The above-mentioned Records, though of such recent date, are in bad condition; they have been allowed to become very dirty, and were delivered in a state of great confusion.

2. *Accruing Records of the Chancery and Parliament.*—These, according to ancient usage, have been transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and deposited in the Rolls Chapel, as after mentioned (II. § 20).

3. *Queen's Remembrancer's Records.*—When the great majority of Your Majesty's Records in the custody of this officer were transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls pursuant to the Warrant issued 1st November 1841 (Third Report, App. I. No. 1.), a large number of important Documents were not delivered up, because, according to the practice which then prevailed in the Court of Exchequer, they were outstanding in the private houses

of the officers of the Court, all of whom, thirty-two in number or thereabouts, had the privilege of removing from the proper depositories whatever Records they thought fit, without leaving any receipt or voucher for the same, and keeping them in their desks or in their private places of residence. How many Records may have been lost or may be still outstanding it is impossible to ascertain, yet it can scarcely be doubted but that many of the numerous Exchequer Rolls and valuable Household Books which have been exposed for public sale have been thus esloigned. Others of the said Records were not delivered because they were omitted by accident in the lists which were furnished by Your Majesty's Remembrancer, and from which lists the schedules to the Warrants were framed, and others were kept back because Your Majesty's Remembrancer alleges that they are required for the current business of his office. All these Documents, however, belong to classes specifically designated, described, or named in the said schedules, and all not specifically described are covered by the general words in the same Warrant. Application was therefore made to Mr. Vincent, Your Majesty's Remembrancer, who furnished, 20th July 1852, three lists of Documents in his possession, two containing the Documents which he considered as fit to be delivered up, and a third list describing certain books which in his opinion are rather in the nature of official books than legal Records, and which he considered it absolutely necessary to retain in his Department as being required for constant use and reference in carrying on the business of the Office, and which are as follow :—

List of Books and Documents retained by the Queen's Remembrancer, 1852.

Pipe Office.

One folio volume, called "Board's End Book," from 1830 to 10th October 1833.

Three folio volumes, called "Tot Books," consisting of entries of States of Sheriffs' Accounts, viz. :—

1st. "52 Geo. 3., 1812, to 4 Geo. 4., 1824."
2d. "4 Geo. 4., 1824, to 1 Will. 4., 1830."
3d. "1831 and 1832."

Foreign Apposer's Office.

Three folio volumes called "Foreign Apposer's Books," consisting of the entries of Accounts of Sheriffs as regards the Green Wax Process, viz. :—

1st book from "34 Geo. 3. to 51 Geo. 3."
2d book from "51 Geo. 3. to 8 Geo. 4."
3d book from "8 Geo. 4. to 1 & 2 Will. 4."

Five folio volumes entitled Nomina Villarum.

A folio book being references to Enrolments of Charters and Grants to Lords of Liberties.

A folio volume of Abstracts of Charters.

Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Office.

Two folio volumes called "Agenda Books," viz. :—

1st book from Hilary Term "45 Geo. 3., 1805, to Michaelmas Term 1 Will. 4., 1830."
2d book from Hilary Term 1831, ending Trinity Term 3 William 4.

Two folio volumes called Minute Books, being Minutes of Orders of Court, viz. :—

1st book from "Michaelmas Term 36 Geo. 3., 1795, to Michaelmas Term 58 Geo. 3., 1817."
2d book from "Hilary Term 58 Geo. 3., 1818, to Easter Term 3 Will. 4., 1833."

A large book containing entries of the Receipt of Estreats returned by Clerks of Assize, Clerks of the Peace, and other officers estreating into the Exchequer, of the period of 1828 to 1843.

An old manuscript book formerly belonging to John Perrott, Esq., of that Office, and afterwards to J. M. Grimwood, Esq., of the same Office, containing memoranda of the practice of the Office and much miscellaneous matter.

A Roll containing entries of the appointments of Town Clerks, 1767 to 1833.

A Roll containing the entries of the appointments of Clerks of Sewers, 1767 to 1832

A Roll containing the entries of appointments of Clerks of the Peace, 1765 to 1830.

A Roll containing the entries of appointments of Clerks of Assize, 1740 to 1820.

In Iron Chest.

Liber Rubeus.—The Red Book of the Exchequer, containing miscellaneous entries respecting the Court of Exchequer. Amongst other entries there are the oaths of the Officers of the Court, and other matters stated to be in constant official use.

A book of statutes from 1 Edw. 3. to 39 Hen. 6., from which the Queen's Remembrancer administers the oath to the Privy Council on nomination of Sheriffs.

A book containing the proceedings upon the trials of the Pix Juries, of the period 1734 to 1851, necessary for precedents.

An old book of precedents and of miscellaneous entries as to some official matters, of various dates.

Upon the receipt of Mr. Vincent's letter, I examined the said books and reported, 30th July 1852, to the Master of the Rolls thereon, and the Master of the Rolls has permitted them to remain in Mr. Vincent's possession for the present, until the matter can be further considered. The particulars of those which have been delivered up, and which are now in the Carlton Ride, will be found in a subsequent portion of this Report (II. § 2).

4. *Treasury Books and Records.*—The proceedings relative to the transfers of the Documents belonging to Your Majesty's Treasury into the custody of the Master of the Rolls are fully detailed in many preceding Reports (Fourth Report, I. § 1; Fifth Report, I. § 6; Sixth Report, I. § 2; Seventh Report, I. § 2, App. II., No. 1; Eighth Report, I. § 8, II. §§ 99, 100, App. I. Nos. 21—24 *a*, App. II. Nos. 11—11 *d*; Ninth Report, I. § 8, II. § 11; Tenth Report, I. § 8, II. § 16; Eleventh Report, II. § 40; Twelfth Report, II. § 41; Thirteenth Report, I. §§ 9, 10, II. § 36, App. No. 2 *a*.) Pursuant to the directions given by the Lords of the Treasury, Mr. Black, then an Assistant Keeper of the Public Records, and Messrs. Adrian and Chance, Officers of the Treasury, were appointed to examine the Documents alluded to in my last or Thirteenth Report (II. § 36) and report thereon. The First Report made by these gentlemen, 29th January 1852, is appended to my Thirteenth Report (App. No. 2 *b*). Subsequent to that Report those gentlemen have made two other Reports, the Second dated 2d April 1852, and the Third dated 24th June 1852 (App. Nos. 1 *c*. and 2 *b*.). The Documents mentioned in the Second Report have been transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, but as such transfer was not effected until after Mr. Black's retirement (II. § 28) the particulars are reserved until they can be reported next year.

5. *Papers of the Solicitor to the Treasury.*—Very large masses of valuable correspondence and of original papers have accumulated in the Office of the Solicitor of Your Majesty's Treasury, possessing much historical interest, or which will acquire that interest in future times. The importance of these Documents, and the necessity of making arrangements in order that they should be preserved and rendered accessible, having been brought under the notice of the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, their Lordships were pleased by their letter of 7th February 1853 to request the Master of the Rolls to appoint a fit and proper person to examine the same correspondence and papers with reference to the same being transferred into his Honour's custody. His Honour thereupon was pleased to appoint Mr. Burtt, an Assistant Keeper at the Chapter House, to begin the examination thereof, which he has done, with the assistance of some labourers and the Treasury messenger, who has been in the habit of attending for papers required for reference. It appears from Mr. Burtt's statements and reports that the collection of Documents upon which he has been called to operate, consists of about 200 boxes of papers stowed away in three rooms and a cellar in the house No. 10, Whitehall, used, till recently, as a private dwelling. When Mr. Burtt began his task he found the localities exceedingly dirty and neglected, and some days were occupied in cleaning and fitting up one of the rooms to be occupied for the purpose of examining the Documents. Upon

Mr. Burtt commencing his operations, eight calendars or indexes belonging to the Office of the Solicitor to the Treasury were delivered to him for the purpose of assisting him in his search, but the Documents are noticed only in general terms, nor do they afford any satisfactory aid to him in prosecuting this inquiry, and it will be needful for him to examine the whole mass, document by document. Whatever classification or arrangement may have subsisted amongst the documents composing the earlier portion of the collection, and which are contained, as is supposed, in about 70 boxes, they have been thrown into great confusion in consequence of the various removals to which they have been subjected, the strings or tapes by which the bundles were tied up having perished by decay. The condition of the Documents in the first box which Mr. Burtt examined is stated to be most deplorable, about one half are completely destroyed by damp, and the remainder are more or less injured and often unreadable. All the Documents contained in the boxes which have been examined by Mr. Burtt are more or less in a similar state of confusion. Amongst the Documents inspected by Mr. Burtt some few may be quoted as specimens; viz.:—

Papers relating to the Rebellion of 1715–16, consisting chiefly of "Informations" against persons alleged to be concerned therein.

Indictments for assaults and prosecutions at the Westminster Sessions, 1715–17.

Record of case of assault at Oxford, 12 William III., in which the Charter of Charles II. to the University is set out.

Memorial of Lord William Powlett, one of the Tellers of the Exchequer, dated January 1726, reporting how a robbery had been effected in the cash-room of the Tellers' Office on the 3d of February 1724, and the sum of 4,191*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* "taken out through the space of the plate of the lock" of one of the strong chests there. The memorialist hopes that the Lords of the Treasury "will "consider some proper method to replace the sum, and that the said Lord "William Powlett may be discharged therefrom." In order to exonerate the officers from the charge of care and diligence, it is alleged that the directions for the management of the office have been strictly attended to, and a copy is furnished of the "rules and orders" made by the Earl of Rochester in the 2d year of James II. "for the greater safety of the King's money in the receipt of the Exchequer." The copy is taken from the "Black Book of the Exchequer."

Proceedings against Bishop Atterbury and others, 1721–22, relating to the Conspiracy of 1721-22; and an important mass of Papers relating to the Rebellion of 1745-46; very valuable in a political and literary point of view.

Owing to the confused state of the collection generally, Mr. Burtt apprehends that many of the Papers entered in the earliest portion referred to in the first Index have not yet passed under his hands. His attention has been for some time called to an entry in that list appearing to bear upon an important legal case now pending, in which the rights of the Crown are concerned, under the title "Port of London. Papers as to the Extension of the Wharfs." These Mr. Burtt has not yet found, nor those relating to some State Trials in the years 1692, 1693, 1694, to which his attention was specially directed.

On account of the very limited information afforded by the Office Indexes of the collection, it is often difficult to ascertain the nature of the Papers to which reference is thereby made. An entry of a case which merely discloses the names of the parties who are movers therein, affords no information as to the object of the suit and the matters affected by it, or the probable application of the Documents to any point in question. There can be no doubt that the practical utility of this collection of Documents for legal purposes in which the Crown is concerned has been much restricted from this cause.

Among the Papers of interest which have passed under Mr. Burtt's notice, the following heads may be taken as explaining the general nature of the collection. These are exclusive of the very numerous Documents which relate to the preservation of the public peace, and the more ordinary business transactions of the legal functionaries of the Crown, which are, however, often interesting, and always important:—

Papers relating to the affairs of the American, West Indian, and other Colonies. Among these are Plans of Massachusetts Bay Settlement; Journals of Houses of Assembly; Certificates under seal, &c.

Papers relating to West Indian affairs and cases.

Title Deeds of escheated property; private and personal Papers, &c., connected therewith.

Papers in suits in which military, naval, or civil officers of the Crown have been involved for acts done when on public service.

The like as to contractors for stores and articles supplied.

The like as to servants of Foreign Ambassadors.

Very numerous Documents relating to prosecutions brought by the Crown against authors or publishers of pamphlets or newspapers. The publications which were laid before the Law Officers of the Crown, and upon which the prosecutions were grounded are among these Documents, and are usually deposited with the Papers, and the whole afford abundance of curious materials not obtainable through any other source.

Among other Criminal Prosecutions the following may be particularized:—

Prosecutions of the Keeper of the Fleet Prison for cruelty to prisoners in 1728. This case resulted in an Act of Parliament for the punishment of the Keeper, and the improvement of the prison.

Prosecution of Henry Justice, Esq., a Barrister of the Temple, for stealing books from the libraries of the University and Trinity College, Cambridge, 9 George II.

Prosecutions as to gaming houses in Westminster, 11 George II.

It has not, however, been in the power of Mr. Burtt, otherwise than most unsatisfactorily, to improve the condition of the Documents as they are at present located. So cumbered are the rooms in which the boxes are placed that any accurate sortation is impracticable. For want of room in the habitable portion of the house, Mr. Burtt has been compelled to replace in the cellar the greater portion of the Documents brought from thence, and it is, therefore, proposed to obtain the authority of the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury to remove them to some more convenient receptacle.

6. *Admiralty Records.*—An account of the very numerous Documents belonging to Your Majesty's Board of Admiralty in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and the circumstances attending the transmission thereof into such his custody, will be found in several preceding Reports, (Second Report, I. § 5, II. § 3; Third Report, I. § 6; Fourth Report, III. § 2; Eighth Report, I. § 4, II. §§ 109—116, App. I. Nos. 8, 9, and 17; Ninth Report, II. § 16, App. I. No. 13; Tenth Report, I. § 7, II. § 4; Eleventh Report, I. § 4, II. § 2; Twelfth Report, I. § 5, II. § 2; Thirteenth Report, I. § 3). The Accountant-General of the Navy having, by his letter of the 28th January 1852, requested the Master of the Rolls to signify what part of the New Repository it is proposed to assign for the reception of certain Naval Records, his Honour, 9th February 1852, informed the said Accountant-General that a communication would be made to him when the building was ready for the reception of Records. His Honour further stated, that it would be a great convenience if the Lords of Your Majesty's Admiralty would take into consideration the whole quantity of Documents which they might propose to transfer into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, in order that a proper space might be assigned for the whole mass, which would be a more convenient mode than the dealing with them in parcels.

7. *French Claims' Commission Papers.*—It having been communicated to Mr. Black, November 1852, that a large quantity of French and Danish Claims not previously transferred were outstanding (Fifth Report, I. § 5; II. § 37; App. I. No. 6; Thirteenth Report, I. § 5; II. § 36), Mr. Black attended in Whitehall Place at different times, and received a considerable addition to the same, of which the particulars will be found in subsequent sections of this Report (II. §§ 29, 32).

8. *Irish Commissariat Papers.*—The Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, by their letter of 12th June 1852, were pleased to request that the Master of the Rolls would take possession of 21 boxes of Public Papers and Records received from the Deputy Commissary General's Office, Dublin, relating to the Commissariat Service in Ireland during the late Irish Famine, and that the contents thereof should be disposed of in such manner as the Master of the Rolls might please to determine. Pursuant to such request, his Honour directed Mr. Black to inspect the said Documents and report thereon, and also whether there would be sufficient space in the Rolls House to receive the same. Mr. Black thereupon reported, 25th June 1852, as to the state, condition, &c. of the said Documents to the following effect:—

1st. That space could be found for their deposit; and,

2d. That the under-mentioned Classes of Documents contained in the said boxes were fit and proper to be received in the Public Record Office, viz.:—

Cash Books,
Magazine Books,
Letter Books,
Constabulary and Coast Guard Books,

and other Books belonging to the late office of the Deputy Commissary General in Dublin, from 1846 to 1852; also Cash Abstracts, Accounts Current, Store Accounts, Tenders, Bonds, Correspondence, and other Papers of the said late Office for the same period. His Honour having considered the same report, was thereupon pleased to issue his warrant, 28th June 1852, for removing the same into his possession, and the removal has been made accordingly (II. §§ 29, 34).

9. *American Claims.*—The Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury have been pleased to direct the transmission into this Department from the State Paper Office of certain Rolls of Reports of Commissioners on American Claims, and the same have been taken into the charge of the Master of the Rolls accordingly. The particulars will be given in the next Report.

10. *Ordnance Office Papers.*—Your Majesty's Board of Ordnance having by theirs of 26th January 1853 requested the instructions of Your Majesty's Treasury whether a variety of duplicate Papers and Returns which had accumulated in the Office should or should not be sent as useless waste to the Stationery Office in order to be sold or destroyed, their Lordships took the said request into consideration, and by their Minute of the 28th January 1853 they directed a letter to the Secretary of the Board of Ordnance informing him that it appeared to their Lordships that it would not be safe to deface the Papers until they had been examined by an Officer of the Public Record Office, with a view to ascertain whether the whole or any portion of them might with advantage be transferred to the Public Record Repository, and that the Master of the Rolls would be requested to depute an officer for that purpose. And in pursuance of this Minute their Lordships by theirs of 7th February 1853 did accordingly request him to depute an officer of the Public Record Department to examine the Papers in question and to report thereon. The Master of the Rolls having assented to this request, Mr. Hardy was, 25th February 1853, appointed to report whether it would be advisable to select and preserve any portion thereof, in order that the same might be brought into the actual possession of his Honour pursuant to the Record Act and the Order in Council on that behalf. Mr. Hardy was instructed to make the examination upon the assumption that the Board of Ordnance had directed the said Documents to be destroyed in consequence of their being destitute of any direct official utility. This his Honour considered to be a question upon which the Board alone was competent to judge. Mr. Hardy was therefore instructed to direct his inquiry simply to the point whether the Books and Papers, or any of them, possessed or might possess any public utility, grounded upon the information they contained, and which might hereafter be employed for any statistical or historical purpose, and should there be any Books or Papers falling within that category he was directed to report thereon. And Mr. Hardy having examined the Papers, reported thereon to the following effect:—

The Papers and Documents are not of such a character as entitle them to be brought into the custody of his Honour as Keeper General of the Public Records. They consist principally of Copies of Minutes of Proceedings, and Letters of Officers at Foreign Stations sent to the Board of Ordnance in duplicate for greater security, one of which being preserved in the Office at Pall Mall, and the original of course being in existence at the place whence it came, it would not be expedient to take any steps for the preservation of such duplicate copies. A similar remark refers to all the other Papers which it is proposed to destroy, as they are merely duplicate copies of proceedings elsewhere on record. The remainder of the Papers may be classed as follows:—

Returns of the distribution of the Artillery.
„ of Attendance.
„ of Men in Hospital.
„ of Proportions of small Arms in Store at various Stations.
„ of Proportions of Shot, Shell, and Guns.

Returns of Foremen and Labourers in Ireland.
" " " England.
Lists of Letters.
Old Acts of Parliament.
Damaged and torn Copies of obsolete General Orders.
Lists of Persons employed in the Survey of Ireland.
Duplicates of Letters.

Mr. Hardy's Report having been laid before the Master of the Rolls, his Honour, 9th March 1853, informed the Lords of the Treasury that he saw no reason for requiring that any of the Returns or Papers enumerated in Mr. Hardy's Report should be removed into his custody or charge; and their Lordships by their letter of the 19th March 1853 were pleased to convey to the Master of the Rolls their thanks for his attention to their wishes in regard to the examination of the said Papers, and to acquaint him that their Lordships had directed that the Documents in question should be transferred to the Stationery Office for the purpose of being converted into pulp.

11. *Inland Revenue Documents.*—The Commissioners of Inland Revenue having by their letter, 9th February 1853, requested the Master of the Rolls to examine a large quantity of Books and Accounts belonging to the Inland Revenue Office, Old Broad Street, which it was proposed to hand over to the Stationery Office for destruction unless the Master of the Rolls should think fit that any portion were fit for preservation, his Honour was pleased to appoint Mr. Hardy to inspect the same for the purpose of reporting whether it was advisable to select and preserve any and what portion thereof in order that the same might be brought into the actual possession of his Honour. Mr. Hardy was directed to make the examination upon the principles laid down in the case of the Papers of the Board of Ordnance, as stated in the preceding section (I. § 10), and Mr. Hardy having examined the same made his Report, 22d February 1853, in which he stated that the Books in question did not possess any interest whatever for statistical or historical purposes, and that it was his opinion that the few facts and incidents which are recorded in them would be found elsewhere, amongst the original Minutes of the Excise Board in Scotland and Ireland, and also in the Registers of the Inland Revenue Office. And his Honour having considered the said Report was pleased, 25th February 1853, to inform the Inland Revenue Office that he therefore saw no reason for requiring that any of the Books and Papers mentioned in Mr. Hardy's Report should be removed into his custody or charge.

12. *Chester Records.*—Much information respecting these very valuable and important Documents, principally furnished by Mr. Black, will be found in preceding Reports (First Report, App. No. 31, I. 1 (1), II. 1, 2; Fourth Report, I. § 6; Seventh Report, I. § 6, App. I. Nos. 10 to 18; Eighth Report, App. I. Nos. 18 and 28; Ninth Report, II. § 10, App. I. No. 11; Thirteenth Report, I. § 12, App. No. 3*a* and *b*.), and the attention of the Master of the Rolls has been called thereto under the following circumstances:—A letter dated 12th December 1851, having been addressed by the direction of the Master of the Rolls to the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Chester relating to the custody of the Records of the abolished Courts of the County Palatine of Chester and the County of Flint, kept in the Castle of Chester (Thirteenth Report, I. § 12), in which, besides certain specific questions relating to the due custody and preservation of the Records, his Honour requested to know whether there were any other points or matters upon which the Bench of Magistrates might desire to have the opinions and directions of the Master of the Rolls, the said letter was brought before the Court of Quarter Sessions, and the Court thereupon appointed a Committee to report thereon to the Court at the next General Quarter Sessions.

At a meeting of such Committee held 28th January 1852 they reported their opinion that the respective places of deposit of the Records of the abolished Courts of the County Palatine of Chester and the County of Flint in the Castle of Chester were suitable and proper. They further reported that having attentively considered the provisions of the Record Act 1 & 2 Vict. c. 94., they were strongly impressed with the opinion that it would be extremely undesirable to remove the said Records to London or any other distant place. The Committee allege that at a comparatively small amount of expense and labour, the classification and arrangement of the Documents could be accomplished on the spot so as to answer every purpose which would be required.

The Committee further think that much public inconvenience will be produced by the removal of the Documents from their present respective places of deposit, notwithstanding that they might contain historical and antiquarian Documents of general public interest, and they state that beyond doubt the far greater portion of such Documents comprise evidences of title to estates within the County Palatine affecting the private interests of individuals, and which, whenever wanted, have been found easily accessible in the places where they are now deposited, and capable of production at assizes at a cost infinitely less than would have been incurred if their place of deposit had been at a distance. The Committee recommend to the Court to represent these circumstances to the Master of the Rolls with a view to the appointment, so far as would be consistent with the Record Act, of a proper person to be resident in Chester to have the care and custody of the whole of the Records and Documents so as to ensure their being in legal custody for the purposes of evidence required by the Act, and the Committee suggest to the Court the propriety of appointing a standing Committee to communicate with the Officers of the Rolls in the meantime until the final place of deposit for the Records should be determined upon.

In consequence of this order, a deputation of the Special Committee of Justices, viz., Sir Edward Cust (Chairman), the Marquis of Westminster, and Sir John Hanmer attended the Master of the Rolls at the Rolls House, 19th May 1852. The matter was then fully discussed, and it was agreed that the Master of the Rolls should appoint a competent person, being an Officer of the Public Records, who should survey the state of the Records, and ascertain the length of time that would be needful to put them into a state of repair. It was further agreed that the expenses of the journeys and the maintenance of the Officer whilst at Chester should be defrayed by the county; and that if he should require help they should also pay the wages of two efficient workmen. It was further understood that this examination was to be made for the purpose of ascertaining whether any scheme could be formed, with the approbation of the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, for the purpose of continuing the location of the Records in Chester Castle, instead of their being removed to London, the county defraying all the expenses of the local Repository, keeping up the building, and paying the salaries and allowances of the Custos, and of a sufficient number of clerks and workmen. It appears that the reasons which induce the nobility and gentry to wish that the ancient Records should continue in the county are partly grounded upon convenience, inasmuch as, notwithstanding the changes of ancient tenures and other alterations and reforms of the law, the county, though no longer a County Palatine, may in some respects be considered as one great manor, and the Records thereof more or less concern all the landed property within its ambit. But another motive is found in the interest which is taken in the ancient dignity of the Palatine earldom, and the wish to have its muniments readily accessible to those residing in or near the county who may wish to investigate its history.

In consequence of these transactions, his Honour nominated Mr. Black as a fit and proper person to go to Chester for the purpose of making the examination, and in making this selection of Mr. Black his Honour was guided by his appreciation of the intimate knowledge of the Welsh and Chester Records possessed by that gentleman, and the zeal which he had exhibited when on former occasions he was called upon to examine them; and the County Magistrates in Quarter Sessions, 28th June 1852, ordered, upon the recommendation of their Committee, that a sum not exceeding 60*l.* should be granted out of the county stock for defraying the expenses of Mr. Black, and of such assistants as he might employ in making his inquiries. Pursuant to these arrangements, Mr. Black was directed to proceed to Chester for the purpose of making the examination; and full instructions were given by the letter of the Deputy Keeper of the 20th July 1852 as to the points into which he was to inquire, and full explanations were also afforded to Sir Edward Cust, as Chairman of the Committee, by the letter of the Master of the Rolls, dated 19th July 1852, as to the course Mr. Black was directed to pursue. Mr. Black repaired to Chester on the 26th July, and, excepting the intervals during which he was compelled to come to London, continued so employed until the 8th of October. Various communications have since ensued between the Master of the Rolls and Sir John Hanmer on this subject; but as the request made by the County Magistrates offers very many difficulties, no determination thereon has yet been adopted by the Master of the Rolls.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the Regulations of the Statute.

Carlton Ride; and Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.

Records of the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas, and of the Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer; Equity Records of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Revenue Side of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Palace Court; &c.—(Assistant Keepers, the Rev. Joseph Hunter, Mr. Roberts, and Mr. Nelson.)

Mr. Roberts' Division.

1. *Business of the Division.*—The public Business of this Division, and the Amount of Fees received, will appear from the following statement:—

Fees received from 1st January to 31st December 1852.

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Net Amount of Fees.	Total.
						£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Common Pleas, and Palace and Marshalsea Courts	667	– –	– –	– –	– –	33 7 0	—
	– –	79	– –	– –	– –	3 19 0	—
	– –	– –	392	– –	– –	44 4 0	—
	– –		– –	365	–	35 0 0	—
							116 10 0
Queen's Bench	34	– –		– –	– –	1 14 0	—
	–	38	– –	– –	– –	1 18 0	—
	– –	– –	12	– –	– –	6 4 0	—
	– –	– –	– –	9	– –	5 9 0	—
							15 5 0
Exchequer	77	– –	– –	– –	– –	3 17 0	—
	– –	284	– –	– –	– –	14 4 0	—
	– –	– –	155	– –	– –	48 5 0	—
	– –	– –	– –	92	–	48 9 6	—
	– –	– –	– –	– –	3	6 6 0	—
							121 1 6
Total	778	401	559	466	3		252 16 6

But the foregoing Table does not include the business transacted for Government Departments, nor does it denote the extent of labour imposed by the attendance on literary inquirers, upon which services remarks will be found in a subsequent section of this Report (III. §§ 2, 3).

2. *Receipts or Transfers of Records.*—According to previous arrangements (Thirteenth Report, I. § 1), no transfer of Accruing Records of the Queen's Bench and Common Pleas has taken place during the year ending 31st December 1852. A large quantity of Records has been received from two Offices which ought to have been delivered at or before the last transfer in 1850, viz., from the Queen's Remembrancer's Office in the Exchequer, and from the Masters' Office, Queen's Bench, as follows; and certain Accruing Records of the Exchequer of Pleas have, as is before mentioned (I. § 1), been recently transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and received in this Repository.

The Queen's Remembrancer's Office.

In consequence of some inquiries by Mr. Roberts at this Office, a correspondence took place between the Deputy Keeper and H. W. Vincent, Esq., Your Majesty's Remembrancer in the Exchequer, and three lists were furnished by Mr. Vincent, two being of such Records as he was then ready to deliver to the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and the third containing certain Records that Mr. Vincent was desirous of retaining in his custody at the Queen's Remembrancer's Office; and the Master of the Rolls having issued his Warrant (I. § 3) for the transfer of the Records in the first-named lists, Mr. Roberts, on the 14th August 1852, received the Records at the Queen's Remembrancer's Office, and deposited them in this Repository, and they have been re-bound or repaired as after-mentioned.

The following is a summary of the Documents, &c. received:—

Exchequer Plea Roll, - 2 Edward II.
" - 28 Edward III.
" - 41 Edward III.
" - 1 Richard II.
" - 19 Edward IV.
" - 3 Richard III. (Trinity).

These six Rolls belong to the series previously at Carlton Ride, and were denoted as missing in the List appended to the Deputy Keeper's Second Report (App. II., pp. 106—115). They have now been repaired, re-sewn at head, and covers and tickets added.

Repertorium Brevium Cancellariæ ab anno primo Regis Edwardi Secundi usque annum octavum regni ejusdem.

This Roll serves as an additional Repertory to the Originalia, and is placed with the other Repertories (class 1). It only extends from 1 to 7 Edward II. inclusive.

Commission, articles, and depositions in a suit in the Exchequer between James Bristow, Esq. and Thomas Wilson, with plan of part of the parishes of St. Martin and St. Giles, Middlesex. 27 Elizabeth.

Compotus Willielmi Chaillou clerici operationum domini Regis in Palatio Westmonasterii et Turri London., de omnibus receptis, misis, et expensis per ipsum factis in prædictis Palatio et Turri, &c. [17–19 Edward II. 19 membranes.]

Notwithstanding the title of this Roll, it only contains the account for the works at the chapel in the Palace of Westminster, and does not relate to the Tower of London.

Wardrobe Account of William de Melton, 9 Edward II. [1315–1316.]

Vellum Book, 139 leaves, in fine condition. In the original vellum cover.

Wardrobe Account of John de Claxton, 5–6 Edward 2. [1311–1312.]

Vellum Book, 18 leaves, including the outside ones, in good condition.

Petitions and Claims of the Creditors of the Earl of Cleveland, 1661. By virtue of two Acts of Parliament, 12 and 13 Charles II., a Copy whereof is attached.

1 Vol. folio. Has been re-bound.

Surveys of the possessions of the Archbishop of Canterbury (in right of his See) in the counties of Kent, Lancaster, and York, 1616–1617. By virtue of Commission attached, dated 29th June, 14 James I.

Parchment Book, large folio. The Seal of the Commission is lost. The Volume has been re-bound.

Survey of the possessions of Thomas Lord Paget and Charles Paget, Esquire, his brother, (fugitives,) in the county of Stafford. By virtue of a Commission, dated — May, 27 Elizabeth, 1585. The Commission is not attached.

1 Vol. folio. Has been re-bound.

A Copy of the original Survey examined and signed by Thomas Fanshaw, Richard Sutton, and John Wynnes.

[The original Survey is with the Special Commissions, Stafford and Derby, No. 197.]

Survey of the possessions of Sir John Nevill, Knt., Leonard Dacre, and other rebels, in the counties of York, [? Lincoln,] Northumberland, Westmoreland, and Cumberland, and the Bishopric of Durham. By virtue of a Commission, dated 10th [should be 18th] March, 12 Elizabeth, 1569.

This is the Second Volume of the Homberston Survey. The Commission was directed to William Homberston and others, to take a special survey of the possessions of the Earls of Northumberland and Westmoreland, and of Leonard Dacre, Esq., and others their adherents in rebellion. The Volume already known as the "Homberston Survey," only contains the possessions of the said two Earls, and this Second Volume comprises the possessions of Leonard Dacre, Sir John Nevill, and various other persons. In form and writing, the two Volumes are exactly alike, and a copy of the Commission is inserted in both. The original Commission has not yet been found; but it is recited on the Queen's Remembrancer's Memoranda Roll, Michaelmas, 12 and 13 Elizabeth, ro. 285, with the return endorsed thereon, signed by Edmund Hall and William

Homberston, wherein these *two* Volumes of Survey are mentioned as being returned therewith. Like the first Volume, this is a thick folio, on vellum, in fine condition. It was transferred in the old wooden boards, which were much worm-eaten, and it has since been strongly re-bound to match the first Volume.

Survey of the possessions of Leonard Dacre, Esq., (attainted,) in the counties of Cumberland and Westmoreland, and the city of Carlisle, 31 Elizabeth, 1589. By virtue of a Commission (not attached).

Parchment folio. Signed by the Commissioners.

The Minutes and Proceedings of the Commissioners appointed to inquire into the fees duly taken or unwarrantably exacted in every court, and in every parish church, and in every office, within England and Wales, from the highest to the lowest, with the oaths to be administered to parties, and various other matters, 1627–1636.

4 Volumes, foolscap.

Pipe Office.

Board's End Books, 1818 to 1830.

3 Vols. Belong to Series previously at Carlton Ride.

Bill Books (Accounts and Receipts).

26 Volumes. One Volume was previously at Carlton Ride.

Copies of Orders of Court (Comptroller's Copies), 21 Charles II. to 6 George III.

1 Volume. A new Series.

Sheriffs and Under Sheriffs, Names of, 1735 to 1832.

2 Volumes; the intermediate Volume being previously at Carlton Ride.

Creation Money, Acquittances (or Receipts), Duke of Norfolk, 1821 to 1823.

A Series already at Carlton Ride.

Foreign Apposer's Office.

Sheriffs' Accounts (duplicates), as regards Green Wax Process, 12 William III. to 33 George III. (1793).

4 Volumes. A new Series.

Sheriffs, States of Accounts of, 3 William and Mary to 4 George I., with some omissions.

1 Volume.

Affidavits of Bailiffs of Liberties claiming Fines, 1821 to 1829.

Duchy of Lancaster, Accounts of Fines set over to.

1 Parcel prior to 1830. Part of a Series already at Carlton Ride.

Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Office.

Orders of Court, Entries of, 35 Charles II. to 4 William IV.

18 Volumes. A new Series.

Draft Levy Books, 1805 to 1833. Several previously at Carlton Ride.

Draft Order Books, 1820 to 1833. A parcel; some of these previously at Carlton Ride.

Estreats, Entries of Receipts of, 1791 to 1828.

2 Volumes. A new Series.

Process (Fieri Facias), old Schedules of, withdrawn from the Process Rolls.

5 Bundles. A new Series.

Clerk of Estreats' Office.

King's Warrants, 1821 to 1826.

A Parcel. A new Series.

Queen's Remembrancer's Office.

Sheriffs' Allowances, Entries of, 1719 to 1832.

2 Volumes. A new Series.

Pix Juries, Proceedings on Trials of, 1603 to 1727.

3 Books. A new Series.

Masters' Office, Queen's Bench.

Mr. Roberts having ascertained that various Records of more than 20 years old had not been transferred to the custody of the Master of the Rolls when the last transfer took place, by warrant dated 23d February 1850 (Eleventh Report, I. § 2), and that the same were covered by that or previous warrants, communicated personally with the Officers on the subject, the result of which proceeding was that various Rolls and Documents relating to service, clerkship, admission, &c., of Attorneys, were delivered into the Repository, 1 Sept. 1852, as follows :—

The Oath Roll or Roll of Attorneys.
23 Geo. II. 1750, to 41 Geo. III., 1800. One Roll (108 Membranes).
41 Geo. III. 1801, to 1 Geo. IV., 1820. One Roll (81 Membranes).
The Roll or Book of Attorneys.
1729 to 1821. 3 Volumes.
Abstract Roll or Book of Attorneys.
1729 to 1814. 1 Volume.
1790 to 1810. 1 Volume.
Residence Book.
1790 to 1815. 1 Volume.
Certificate Books.
1785 to 1821. 39 Volumes.

Four Volumes appear to be duplicates of others, and 1 Vol., 1819–1820, is missing.

Affidavits of the due execution of Articles of Clerkship.
30th September 1817 to 30th January 1821. Nos. 1 to 2,400, but some numbers appear to be missing.

The following is a general view of the repairs and operations performed upon the Records in this Repository :—

Queen's Bench.

3. *Doggett Rolls.*—These Rolls are much used by Searchers, being equivalent to Calendars of the Judgment Rolls. They are not in sound condition, and require to be rendered secure. They are flattened, repaired when necessary, and tied together again at the head like the Common Rolls. Twenty-four Rolls have been completed, and the series will be finished during the present year.

Common Pleas.

4. *Common Rolls.*—The work of dividing, re-tieing, and placing in covers these large Rolls, as described in former Reports, (Second Report, II. § 13; Fourth Report, II. § 18; Fifth Report, II. § 10, III. § 1; Sixth Report, II. § 18; Seventh Report, II. § 42; Eighth Report, II. § 45; Ninth Report, II. § 42; Tenth Report, II. § 30; Twelfth Report, II. § 22; Thirteenth Report, II. § 3) has been carried on actively during the past year, and has now been completed as far as practicable under existing circumstances. The termination of this heavy task has enabled Mr. Roberts to render the labour of the workmen employed thereon, available for other classes of Records. The very laborious operations upon these Records, which have perhaps presented more difficulty than any others, and have occasioned much expense to this Department, have been amply detailed in my above quoted Reports, and have been performed with much labour and intelligence by Mr. Roberts. By the operations noticed in my last Report (II. § 3) the work had been brought down to the middle of the reign of Charles II. During the past year, the period from Charles II. to George IV. has been finished, viz., from Charles II. to George II. 676 Rolls, divided into 1,012 parts; and from George III. to George IV. 284 Rolls, divided into 286 parts; total, 960 Rolls, divided into 1,298 parts. This mode of dealing with the Rolls, while it renders them far more easily consultable than before, does not in any degree affect the legal continuity of the Record. In addition to these, 43 Rolls have been packed up entire, inasmuch as they were so much damaged and decayed that it would not be safe to divide them into parts until they can be thoroughly repaired.

5. *Early Feet of Fines.* (Rich. I. to Rich. III. in counties, and Hen. VII.

and Hen. VIII. in terms.)—The operations on this class of Records have been continued as detailed in former Reports (Ninth Report, II. § 43; Tenth Report, II. § 31; Eleventh Report, II. § 22; Twelfth Report, II. § 23; Thirteenth Report, II. § 4). The whole number has now been flattened, and the processes of mending, guarding, arranging, and placing in cases are in progress. They are of great value in all genealogical and topographical inquiries.

6. *Modern Feet of Fines.* (Edw. VI. to William IV.)—Of this series, the reigns of Edw. VI. and Philip and Mary have now been finished, and that of Elizabeth is in progress. From Elizabeth to George II. remain to be done, and the whole series will then be completed. The portion from George II. to William IV. was previously completed. The whole series is also now undergoing the process of stamping.

7. *Concords of Fines.*—These Records are at present only arranged in terms; the Documents when transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls by the Officers of the Court were found in utter confusion. The operations now performing upon them consist in sorting and connecting the Documents in their relative sets and sequences, sewing a ticket on each parcel, and arranging the parcels by counties in each term. The whole of these Documents are also undergoing the process of stamping; up to the present period the number operated upon amounts to 49,843.

Exchequer: Queen's Remembrancer.

8. *Bills and Answers.* (Elizabeth to George III.)—The arrangement of these Records has been completed, and the Documents are placed in Portfolios. During the past year 21,154 Bills and Answers were compared with the Books, and the result of this very tedious labour was the discovery that the Bill Books, as delivered by the Officers of the Court, were incomplete and imperfect, no less than 698 Suits having been omitted by those who compiled the Books; and, consequently, whoever trusted to the Books was in danger of being misled by them. The entries made on slips of all those not entered in the Bill Books are now in course of arrangement in alphabetical order so as to constitute an Index.

9. *Original Decrees.*—In every branch of the Exchequer, the burthen thrown upon the Record Department has been exceedingly heavy. The arrangement of these Records, found in a very unsatisfactory state, has also been continued from 1734 to 1831 inclusive, and the Documents have been packed in 25 Portfolios. This completes the arrangement of this series. The Original Orders from 1788 to 1829 have not yet been operated upon.

10. *Arrangements, &c.*—The labour of the bookbinder has been very continuous and important. Thirty-nine large folio Volumes of Records belonging to this Office have been wholly rebound; many of them needed a great deal of mending, and various other Volumes which did not need entire new binding have been repaired. Besides these, 42 Volumes of the Books of the Court of Requests, and two other Volumes now in the Chapter House, have been wholly bound. Many of these were decayed, and required much skill and attention for the repairs of the pages previously to their being put into the binder's hands.

11. *Miscellaneous Records in the Loft of the Repository.*—When Mr. Roberts took charge of the Carlton Ride, he discovered in the Loft of the Repository a very large mass of unarranged and miscellaneous Records. The character and nature of these Records, and the labour he has bestowed upon them, will appear from my previous Report (Thirteenth Report, II. § 15). The sortation of the mass of these Records, which had previously occupied so much time, has been continued and brought to a close. These Records relate to a great variety of classes, but chiefly of those classes which were in other portions of the Repository, and of which the nature had been ascertained; and all the said unarranged Documents have now been examined and placed with the Records of the class or Court to which they belong, with the exception of a very few, the Court to which they belong having not yet been ascertained.

It is with much satisfaction that I am able to report that Mr. Roberts, by his diligence and perseverance, has accomplished, (so far as relates to his own department,) the duty which at the present moment is the most important in the Service, the preparation for removal into the New Repository. He has completed the primary arrangement of all the miscellaneous Documents in his

charge, and there is every reason to believe that, with the exception, perhaps, of as many as would fill one box, there are no Records whatever in his very extensive Department which are not ready at any time to be removed to the New Repository in the order of their respective Courts and classes. Many of these classes will, of course, require much sub-sortation, and afford employment of a very important nature for years to come, in placing the Documents in chronological, county, alphabetical, or such other arrangement as may be best adapted to each class, and in perfecting or preparing proper lists and calendars thereof; yet the main difficulty has been conquered.

In addition to the work specified, a great variety of operations of a minor kind has been performed, in sorting, packing, cleaning, and repairing Records, making lists, &c.

Inventories, &c.

12. *Particulars for Grants.*—The Inventory of these Documents for the reign of Edward VI. has been continued and completed from R. to W., and the whole of this reign will be shortly finished.

The Index for this reign has been made by Mr. Turner from A. to part of C. He has also completed the Index for the reign of Henry VIII. It is creditable to this gentleman that he so employed himself on this latter Index when absent upon leave on account of ill-health.

For the reign of Philip and Mary, a similar Inventory has been made by Mr. Turner, from A. to part of R.

13. *Plea or Judgment Rolls.*—The fair copy of the draft of the Calendar, noticed in previous Reports (First Report, II. § 5, App. I. Nos. 35, 36, and 37; Second Report, II. § 21, App. I., Nos. 22*a*, 22*b*, App. II., No. 6; Third Report, App. I., Nos. 10*a*, 10*b*; Fifth Report, App. I., No. 13; Thirteenth Report, II. § 14) has been completed, and is ready to be bound in Volumes to match the portion already bound up. The arrangement of the slips of the draft in alphabetical order, so as to form a Calendar, is in progress. As soon as completed, this will also be bound up in Volumes.

14. *Calendar of the Patent Rolls.*—The draft of this very important Calendar, of which specimens will be found in the Second Report, App. II. No. 7, and Ninth Report, App. II. Nos. 1 and 8, and details of its progress in the following Reports (Eighth Report, II. § 90; Ninth Report, II. §§ 6, 24; Tenth Report, II. §§ 9, 14; Eleventh Report, II. §§ 8, 12; Twelfth Report, II. §§ 16, 37; Thirteenth Report, II. § 19), has been continued from the 18th to the 25th year of Henry VIII., Fifteen Rolls; but the pressure of other business, particularly the consumption of time occasioned by the admission of literary inquirers, has retarded the progress of the work.

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15. *Tabular Summaries of Records.*—These tables, a specimen of which was given in my last Report (Thirteenth Report, II. § 20), will disclose, when completed, the whole contents of the General Repository, very briefly yet very intelligibly; a map, so to speak, on the smallest scale, but still showing every *unit of class* which the Repository contains. The condition of the Record will be displayed, and at the same time it will enable the Officers to register their operations in an intelligible and convenient form. It will disclose the whole quantity of work which has been performed, and will also give information of the needs of the Office, so as to enable the Officers to apply themselves to those portions of the repairs and arrangements which are most needed, and thus, by degrees, to satisfy all the claims which each class of Records may respectively have upon the care and attention of the Officers. The variety of Documents in the Carlton Ride is by far greater than those contained in any other Office, and Mr. Roberts has been employing himself sedulously thereon. The Summaries for the Courts of Queen's Bench, Common Pleas, and Exchequer of Pleas, and the Queen's Remembrancer's Records, were noticed in my Thirteenth Report (II. § 20); they have since received considerable additions, resulting from the miscellaneous Records which were in the Loft of this Repository, which have been incorporated with their respective sets. The Summaries of the Records of the Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer and the Pipe Offices has employed the greater part of the year, and has required a great amount of time and labour. This was occasioned partly by the very numerous

classes (nearly 300) into which the Records of these Offices are divided, but still more by the circumstance that many of the classes had been placed in different parts of the building, and packed, divided in different packages, all of which it became necessary to open in order to ascertain the particulars. The knowledge, which has been gained by this tedious process, is, however, highly useful. The collection of materials for the Summary of the Augmentation Office is now in progress, and that for the First Fruits and Tenths will follow. On completion of these Tabular Statements, they will afford a complete view of all the different classes, and their dates, of all the Records in the charge of Mr. Roberts, both in this Repository and at the Stone Tower. They will also, to a great extent, denote the form and probable bulk of each class, in which particulars Mr. Roberts will endeavour, during the present year, to render them as perfect as possible. Thus completed, the result of the labour of Mr. Roberts will afford material assistance, when the Records are about to be removed, in deciding on the place which they shall respectively occupy in the New Repository.

Mr. Hunter's Division.

16. *Business of the Division.*—In the following summary, the business of this Division for the several months of the year is set forth; the Government business, which has occupied much time, being excluded:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Fees.		
1852.					£	s.	d.
January -	- -	42	15	2	5	4	6
February -	- -	4	- -	- -	0	4	0
March - -	- -	49	2	- -	1	9	0
April - -	- -	1	1	1	0	11	0
May - -	- -	9	6	3	1	5	6
June - -	- -	42	- -	- -	0	8	0
July - -	- -	53	4	- -	1	7	0
August -	- -	42	40	40	16	4	0
September -	- -	- -	27	- -	5	3	0
October - -	- -	4	- -	- -	0	4	0
November -	- -	- -	1	- -	0	14	6
December -	- -	9	2	- -	0	8	6
Total -	- -	255	98	46	33	3	0

17. *Queen's Remembrancer's Miscellaneous Records.*—Mr. Hunter's operations upon this mass of Records have continued, and have been noticed in every preceding Report (First Report, II. § 4; Second Report, II. § 22; Third Report, II. § 2; Fourth Report, II. §§ 2, 5, 8; Fifth Report, II. § 4; Sixth Report, II. § 2; Seventh Report, II. § 69; Eighth Report, II. § 78; Ninth Report, II. § 27; Tenth Report, II. § 22; Eleventh Report, II. § 14; Twelfth Report, II. § 13; Thirteenth Report, II. § 22). They consist in reducing into consultable order the immense mass of matter (so heretofore regarded) placed under his charge, and framing Calendars of it, which is fast bringing into existence an immense mass of Record evidence, beforetime utterly inaccessible and useless. On the nature of these duties, which, in the extent to which they go, are almost peculiar to this Department, reference may be made to all the before-mentioned Reports. As the task approximates its completion, it becomes more difficult, inasmuch as the matter with which Mr. Hunter has now to deal consists of a vast number of fragmentary pieces, sometimes capable of being pieced together, and thus forming entire Documents. Others cannot, and probably never will, be made complete. Mr. Hunter has had, in respect of these broken Rolls, to select between the chance of allowing valuable fragmentary matter to remain unascertained, and the undertaking a punctual description of every scrap of evidence which would enable him to discover, as far as possible, the date or sequence of each fragment, so that ultimately it may take its place in the slips and the Calendar; and Mr. Hunter having elected the latter course, notwithstanding the great labour which it casts upon him, is now grappling with its difficulties.

The removal of these Records to the New Repository now in preparation, has been kept constantly in view; but as the operations in all past years have

been conducted with the same prospect in view, little change has been necessary in the mode of conducting them.

18. *Calendars.*—The number of Documents which have gone through all the processes, and are now in boxes prepared for removal to the New Repository, is 2,308. These, added to those formerly reported, make the total 85,692. They are of the reigns which follow :—

Henry III.	36	Elizabeth	162
Edward I.	372	James I.	73
Edward II.	220	Charles I.	211
Edward III.	368	Interregnum	7
Richard II.	118	Charles II.	42
Henry IV.	49	William and Mary	2
Henry V.	30	Anne	1
Henry VI.	132	George I.	2
Edward IV.	62	George II.	1
Richard III.	4	Undetermined	36
Henry VII.	71		
Henry VIII.	264	Total	2,308
Edward VI.	35		
Philip and Mary	10		

Rolls Chapel Office.

Records of the Chancery, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe).

19. *Business of the Division.*—The business of the Division appears from the following statement :—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies and Quantity.	Authentications and Quantity.	Attendances.	Fees.
1852.			Folios.	Folios.		£ s. d.
January	79	141	16 = 563	13 = 727	—	40 6 0
February	75	76	29 = 528	21 = 413	—	29 4 6
March	85	136	22 = 414	13 = 260	3	25 16 0
April	79	122	21 = 534	9 = 302	—	29 4 0
May	42	79	18 = 591	5 = 167	—	23 6 0
June	47	100	9 = 210	6 = 202	3	16 19 0
July	42	120	23 = 728	46 = 2,241	—	79 14 6
August	52	106	8 = 200	2 = 46	—	12 14 0
September	60	83	10 = 307	1 = 34	—	14 16 6
October	42	50	5 = 153	3 = 49	—	10 2 6
November	70	75	16 = 323	13 = 292	2	21 5 6
December	52	61	8 = 230	3 = 27	1	11 3 6
Total	725	1,149	185 = 4,781	135 = 4,760	9	314 12 0

This is exclusive of the searches, &c., made for the use of Parliament, or for Public Departments, or for literary searches, which last have been very considerable.

20. *Transmissions of Records.*—According to the ancient course of the Chancery, the following Records have been brought into the Rolls Chapel during the year, and deposited in their proper places, viz. :—

From the House of Lords :

The Parliament Rolls of Session 15 and 16 Queen Victoria, consisting of 32 parts (printed), together with a printed table of contents.

From the Enrolment Office :

The Recognizance Rolls of 1836 (two parts).
The Close Rolls of 1837, consisting of 204 parts, forming 209 Rolls.
Twelve monthly Bundles of Memorials of Grants of Life Annuities of 1837.
But the Recognizance Rolls of 1837 have not been transmitted.

From the Office of the Clerks of Records and Writs :

The Enrolments of 64 Decrees in Chancery, together with the Docquets.

But the Patent Rolls remain due from the Petty Bag Office.
The transfer into the custody of the Master of the Rolls of the Records, &c.,

deposited in the lately-abolished Signet Office in Abingdon-street, was reported in my last Report (Thirteenth Report, I. § 11; II. § 34), but the employment of Mr. Holden's time in sorting and taking an account of them, and afterwards in removing them to the Rolls Chapel, and there chronologically arranging them, constitutes a portion of the business of the present year.

21. *Arrangements, Repairs, Indexes, &c.*—Mr. Holden has been employed upon a Conspectus (Thirteenth Report, II. § 20) of the Records, Calendars, and Indexes in the Rolls Chapel, and, in so doing, ascertained that many of the Rolls wanted covers, and that where covers did exist, many were in bad condition, and the indorsements defective and unintelligible; he has caused the needful repairs, &c., to be done, of which further details will appear from the Tabular Summary (Appendix No. 3).

Mr. Holden has continued employed upon the Office Index of Close Rolls of various dates, from 1824–34, and also the Indexes of the Memorials of Grants of Life Annuities, 1836–7; also the Indexes of the Enrolment of Decrees, taking care, when needful, to give proper cross references.

Mr. Sharpe has been employed upon the Indexes of the Close and Patent Rolls, and the latter has been completed as far as 4 William IV.; also on an Index to the proceedings on the Common Law Side of the Court of Chancery.

Tower of London.

Records of the Chancery, Admiralty, &c.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. Hardy.)

22. *Business of the Division.*—The business of this Division, for which fees are paid, has been as follows:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.
1852.				
January	—	9	5	1
February	1	11	5	—
March	1	12	15	30
April	—	31	9	8
May	—	12	5	3
June	1	1	4	3
July	1	25	8	—
August	2	13	4	—
September	2	7	9	—
October	—	20	25	—
November	3	16	24	—
December	—	12	11	—
Total	11	169	124	45

23. *Inquisitions Post Mortem and Ad Quod Damnum.*—Since the last Report, the arrangement of the Inquisitions Post Mortem, and also of the Inquisitions Ad Quod Damnum, has been continued. Anterior proceedings have been noticed in former Reports (Fourth Report, II. §§ 44, 45; Fifth Report, II. §§ 25, 26; Sixth Report, II. §§ 70, 71; Seventh Report, II. §§ 14, 15; Eighth Report, II. §§ 105, 106; Ninth Report, II. §§ 17, 18; Tenth Report, II. § 5; Eleventh Report, II. § 3; Twelfth Report, II. § 2; Thirteenth Report, II. § 28). Of the former, 3,742 instruments have been examined and entitled, and 17,836 arranged in portfolios; and of the latter, 7,246 have been examined and entitled, and 4,006 arranged and ready to be placed in portfolios.

24. *Royal and other Letters, &c.*—Of the Royal Letters, 236 have been calendared, but the calendaring of these Documents has been suspended until the sortation of the Miscellaneous Records has been completed, as very many of those instruments have been discovered during the sortation of the Miscellaneous Records.

25. *Miscellaneous Records.*—The sortation of the Miscellaneous Records have been commenced, and 3,800 have been arranged in classes. Of these, 1,800 has been calendared.

26. *Repairs, &c.*—The repairs executed by the workmen during the year are the following:—

Inquisitions Post Mortem.

	Cleaned and Repaired.	Sewed.
Henry VI.	762	456
Edward IV.	4,525	1,213
Edward V.	1	—
Richard III.	225	3
Henry VII.	69	13
Henry VIII.	40	18
Elizabeth	28	10
James I.	59	25
Charles I.	2	1
	5,711	1,739

Inquisitions Ad Quod Damnum.

	Cleaned and Repaired.	Sewed.
Edward II.	2,408	997
Edward III.	4,505	2,118
Henry IV.	1,595	684
Henry V.	241	67
Henry VI.	606	264
Richard III.	286	100
	9,641	4,230

Royal Letters.

Inlaid 99 Documents.

CHAPTER HOUSE.

Common Law, Exchequer, and Miscellaneous Records.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Devon and Mr. Burtt.)

27. *Business of the Division: Miscellanea, Proceedings of the Court of Wards and Liveries, Court of Requests, &c.*—The business of this Division, except as to that portion connected with the literary searches, will appear from the tabular summary (App. No. 3). Mr. Devon and Mr. Burtt have continued their operations upon the Documents of the Court of Wards, and also upon the Documents of the Court of Requests, as well as upon the Miscellaneous Documents, which afford a vast fund of information. Various notices concerning them may be found in preceding Reports (Ninth Report, II. § 2; Tenth Report, II. § 2; Eleventh Report, II. § 37; Twelfth Report, II. §§ 7–10; Thirteenth Report, II. § 24). A clear and learned Report in particular was made by Mr. Burtt upon the origin, nature, and utility of these Documents, which, having been embodied in Mr. Devon's Report of 1850, is included in substance in my Report to Your Majesty of that year (Twelfth Report, II. § 8). The value of these Records of the Court of Requests, with respect to property and genealogy, is of extreme import; for through them the tracing of marriages, the discovery of the links of pedigrees, and the particulars of property belonging not only to the nobility and gentry, but to all classes of society, can in many cases be accomplished more successfully than from any other Documents. During the period which they include, they afford most ample information concerning ecclesiastical and lay property, with their respective tenures, services, boundaries, and customs, as well as connected with the descents and lineage of the possessors or those who claimed or defended their rights to the same; whilst, in many instances, they constitute the sole sources from which a knowledge of the facts can be gained. In the Court of Requests, many of the suits or proceedings not connected with real property, but brought for other objects, are very curious. Some specimens have been given by Mr. Devon in a previous Report (Eighth Report, App. II. No. 5). One recently discovered is interesting, as connected with legal literature. It is a document or bill in Edward VI.'s time (if not earlier) from John Lucas against James Dudall, Executor of William Delahyde, Irishman, Student

of the Inner Temple, London, to recover a Law Book, containing "Glanvill's "Works with divers old monuments, as Saint Edward's Laws, the Dane Law, "the West Saxon Law, the Merchthen Law, Magna Carta devised by King "John, the Charter of King Henry I., the observing of the Testament of "William the Conqueror by King William Rufus, divers other old statutes, the "changing and transferring of the Sees of Bishopricks in old times, divers "ancient stories of King Canute and other Kings; with other notable things of "learning contained in the said book, which, if not restored, but conveyed to "Ireland, will be a great loss to Your Majesty and the whole realm of England; "the like whereof your said subject, who hath seen very ancient things, did "never see nor read."

Of a different nature, and of a later date (namely, 6th January 1642), is a petition or complaint to the House of Commons, signed by the merchants of London trading to Spain, Portugal, and France, against the Cavaliers in the King's army having the command of the castles at Falmouth, "for unloading "and taking the sails away from their ships that had put into Falmouth,—praying "restitution of their ships, and protection for other vessels expected with at "least 200,000 pounds worth of silver, should they be obliged to put into Fal-"mouth. They also request that two pinnaces may be placed at the mouth of "the said harbour, to give ships notice of their danger, and to prevent any "munition being carried to the said Cavaliers." Signed by six-and-thirty merchants of the City of London.

Mr. Devon has commenced an Index of the Cause Books of the Court of Requests, and he has continued his Catalogue of Miscellaneous Documents noticed in preceding Reports (Ninth Report, II. § 2; Tenth Report, II. § 2; Eleventh Report, II. § 37; Twelfth Report, II. §§ 7—10; Thirteenth Report, II. § 24), and 750 Documents have been added to his Catalogue, making 2,300 on the whole; amongst them are many Letters and Papers concerning the pecuniary and military transactions of Ireland, many Papers of a theological, ecclesiastical, and controversial nature, showing the law and discipline of our Church from the time of Henry VIII.

Mr. Burtt has been usefully employed in arranging the Office Documents and reducing them into order, previous to their removal. Many of the proceedings of the Court of Star Chamber for the reign of Queen Elizabeth, which were indexed some years ago, had become detached from the Bundles to which they belonged, and therefore considerable inconvenience occurred if those Documents were required by searchers. The whole of these detached Documents have now been restored to their proper places, and consist of 8 entire Bundles, all of which have been recovered, with the exception of a few items. The Bundles have been re-arranged and labelled when necessary.

In four presses in the Star Chamber had long been kept the remains of the "Miscellanea," which had been formerly packed at the sides of the passage leading to the cloisters, and from which have been selected a very considerable number of important Documents of various kinds. Many of these have been entered in the "Catalogue of Contents of Presses," and it seemed advisable to add to the classes into which they had been there divided, those of a similar nature, which a sortation of the remaining unexamined portion would most probably disclose. And while the bulk of this portion evidently consisted of Common Law Writs, liable to further injury, the valuable Documents which had been mingled with them required to be removed, as soon as possible, from a state in which any injury they had received might be liable to be increased. The following are the classes into which this last portion of the "Miscellanea" has been sorted for the present:—The bulk of the Documents has been divided into Writs, Wardrobe Debentures and Warrants, Receipts, and Fragments. The Documents relating to the Wardrobe deserve careful attention. Notwithstanding all the accidents to which they have been exposed, many have preserved fine specimens of "*appliqué*" and other Seals, and upon the Documents themselves are entered many minutiæ relating to the Royal and Public Expenditure, which do not appear elsewhere. They chiefly belong to the reigns of Edward II. and III., and very few of that period exist in other Departments.

The selected Documents are—Deeds, 7 boxes of various size. These are chiefly Charters of Feoffment and the like, of various dates from the time of Henry III. to Charles II.

Placita, 5 boxes, i. e. Rolls of Gaol Delivery, Placita de Juratis et Assisis, Coroners' Rolls, &c. There are also among the Writs many "pannels" and other proceedings that would probably come under this head, but which could not at present be selected.

Papers, 5 boxes. The greater portion of these are of a date subsequent to the reign of Henry VIII., and have supplied numerous additions to the series of Miscellaneous Papers and Letters in the Catalogue Raisonné.

Bills for Warrants and Commissions under the Privy Seal, Henry VIII. to Queen Elizabeth. The greater number relate to the raising of loans of money or musters.

Indentures of Receipt, 3 large boxes, Edward I. to Henry VI. These consist principally of receipts by Customers and other Officers of Ports, for expenses of Ambassadors; by the Treasurer and Officers of the Royal Household and Wardrobe, for proceeds of talliages and other collections; by the Mayor and Treasurer of Calais, for proceeds of customs; by native and foreign Nobles and Military, for "annual fees" and wages of war; by Constables and other Officers, for supplies of money and ammunition; by persons to whom assignments of fines and other casual moneys had been made. To many of these documents the Warrants directing payment are still annexed.

Judicial proceedings. These are—Miscellaneous Proceedings in the Courts of Star Chamber, Requests, and Wards and Liveries, from the reign of Henry VIII. to Charles I.

Fragments of Diplomatic Documents, 1 box; Miscellaneous, 13 boxes of various sizes. This collection comprises, Accounts relating to the receipt and disbursement of the Royal and Public Revenue, and Documents subsidiary thereto, Ministers' Accounts, Court Rolls, Inquisitions, Letters, Muster Rolls, &c., besides numerous detached portions of similar Documents, which will be valuable for supplying lacunæ. The following list of the principal Documents in one small box is given as a specimen:—Caen, payments into the Exchequer of Normandy, John; Fragments of the Roll of expenses of the Embassy to Tartary, Edward I.; Complaint against Ralph de Hengham and other Justices, Edward I.; Letters Patent of William, Bishop of St. Andrew, testifying his having come into the peace of the King of England, and binding himself to answer for the temporalities of his Bishoprick at the King's pleasure, A.D. 1304; Letters to and from Aymer de Valence Earl of Pembroke, John Earl of Warren, and Hugh de Cressingham, Edward I. and II.; Further instructions to Ambassadors as to conditions of re-delivery of the Duchy of Guienne by the French King, Edward II.; Account of John de Felton, Constable of the Castle of Alnwick, 8 Edward II.; Memorandum of Jewels delivered into the Royal Treasury, 4 Edward III.; Account of Peter de Belagh, Receiver of the Lands of Queen Philippa, South of Trent, 7—10 Edward III.; Account of John de Baddeby, Receiver of the Lands of Queen Isabella, 8—10 Edward III. (imperfect); Indenture witnessing the delivery into the King's Treasury of the forfeited plate, &c. of Thomas, late Earl of Warwick, 22 Richard II.

500 Rolls of Receivers' Accounts, chiefly belonging to the Prince of Wales, in James and Charles the I.'s time, have been indorsed and indexed. A rough Index to 860 Inquisitions Post Mortem has also been made.

Rolls House.

Pell Records, and other Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer, late in the Custody of the Comptroller-General, &c.; Treasury Records; Slave Registration and Slave Compensation Records; Welsh Records; &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe.)

28. *Business of the Division.*—Mr. Black resigned his situation of Assistant Keeper on the 31st March last, when Mr. Nelson was appointed in his place, and Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe have taken charge of the Department. The work continues, as before, to be performed by Mr. Lascelles and Mr. Knight, acting under their directions, as they were accustomed to do under the direction of Mr. Black. Mr. Black's Report, of which the substance is here given, was sent in by him after his resignation, and is dated 8th April 1853. The amount of business will be found in the Tabular Summary (App. No. 3). Much time has been employed in attending to literary inquiries. Mr. Black has also been much employed in attending at the Treasury Chambers to survey and report on the accumulated Books and Papers there, with a view to the transfer of such

as could be spared to the Record Department; the transfer of a portion thereof is afterwards noticed (II. § 29.)

29. *Transfers.*—In the course of the past year the under-mentioned Records have been brought into this Department, in addition to those formerly received; and upon them some of the operations herein-after described have been performed:—

(1) From the Treasury Chambers.—On the 7th of January 1852, the whole collection of Treasury Fee Books, amounting to 142 Volumes, was transferred to the Rolls House, in consequence of the final abolition of the payment of fees at the Treasury (Thirteenth Report, I. § 9, II. § 36; this Report, I. § 4).

On the 5th of February 1852, Mr. Black effected the removal to the Rolls House of 688 Volumes of Treasury Books, described in the Report made by Mr. Black and the Treasury Officers, 29th January 1852 (Thirteenth Report, I. § 10, App. No. 2*b*). This and the preceding are the transfers mentioned in the Thirteenth Report (II. § 36); this transfer was made by authority of a Treasury Minute, dated 30th January 1852 (Thirteenth Report, App. No. 2*a*).

At the same time, Mr. Black received from the Commissariat Department at the Treasury, a quantity of Commissariat Papers (about a sackfull) and five Volumes of Books, in complement of a former transfer made from that Department in 1851 (Thirteenth Report, I. § 7, II. § 36).

On the 24th of February 1852, Mr. Black received from the Master of the Rolls an original Under Treasurer's Declaration for the year ending at Michaelmas, 8 Henry VIII., sent by order of the Lords of the Treasury, and now filling up a gap in the series described in the Catalogues printed in the Second Report (App. II. No. 5, I. i.), and in the list at the end of the printed Treasury Report (Seventh Report, App. II. No. 1, A. § 4). It is written in folio, on vellum.

On the 1st of July 1852, Mr. Black removed from the Treasury Chambers the contents of 22 large boxes, (except No. 19, &c. reserved there,) consisting of Cash Books, Magazine Books, Letter Books, and other books relating to Commissariat and Irish Relief, belonging to the late Office of Deputy Commissary General in Dublin, from 1846 to 1852; also, Cash Accounts, Accounts Current, Store Accounts, Tenders, Bonds, Correspondence, and other Papers of the said late Office, for the same period. These Records were transferred pursuant to warrant, dated 28th June 1852, as herein-before stated (I. § 8). Previously to their removal the cases were opened by several workmen, under the superintendence of Mr. Black, their contents examined, and the waste paper separated.

(2) From the Office of Commissioners for British Claims on France, &c., Mr. Black received, on the 1st of November 1852, from Dr. Phillimore, in addition to those mentioned in the Thirteenth Report (I. § 5, II. § 36), a great variety of Papers relative to French and Danish Claims, and a further quantity on the 8th of the same month, which had escaped his observation on the former day.

30. *Arrangements, &c.: Exchequer Records.*—Mr. Knight has, at some short intervals, continued the arrangement of the Receipts for Pensions, as mentioned in the Thirteenth Report (II. § 38), and thereby almost completed the arrangement of the Tellers' Vouchers, except the better packing and stowing of them in the closet in Room No. 4.

Treasury Records.—The operations, as described in the Thirteenth Report II. § 39), have been continued on the Treasury Papers. The flattening and final arrangement of the Returns has been carried on to the present time as opportunity served. The arrangement of the older Registered Papers has been carried on by Mr. Knight, who has also arranged in strict chronological order some important series, particularly the Letters from Secretaries of State, the extent of which may give an idea of the voluminous nature of the Treasury Papers:—

Secretaries generally, from 1689 to March 1782 - -	716
Home Office, from March 1782 to 1837 - - -	1,107
Foreign Office, from 1786 to 1838 - - - -	4,916
War and Colonial Office, from 1794 to 1834 - - -	864
Total number of Documents - - - -	7,603

The following have also been collected and arranged in strict chronological order; and all the Papers thus treated have been stamped, but not yet flattened for portfolios or binding:—

Secretary-at-War.—Letters, Reports, and Memorials, 1693 to 1832.
Ordnance Office.—Memorials and Miscellaneous Papers, 1695 to 1834; Yearly Estimates, 1703–1794.
Commissioners for building new Churches, 1826–1838.
Lord Chamberlain's Office.—Certificates of Appointments, 1714–1790; Unexecuted Warrants, 1701-1767; Letters, 1703–1835; Accounts and Estimates, 1783–1809.
Board of Green Cloth.—Letters, 1697–1838.
Queen's Servants.—Accounts of Salaries and Pensions, 1714–1782.
Treasurer of the Chamber.—Memorials, Accounts, Certificates, Reports, &c., 1689–1780.
Master of the Robes.—Memorials, &c., 1685–1809.
Master of the Horse and Stables.—Memorials, &c., 1699–1826.
Lord Almoner's Applications for Issues, 1702–1807.
Cofferer of the Household.—Memorials, Accounts, &c. (including like Papers of Board of Green Cloth prior to 1782), 1688–1702.
Great Wardrobe.—Accounts, 1701–1765; Estimates, 1695–1769; Statements, 1754–1764; Memorials, &c., 1667–1768.
Hawkers' and Pedlars' Office.—Certificates, 1724–1832; Reports on referred Petitions, 1701–1832; Memorials and Petitions, 1704–1789; Accounts, 1718–1790; Representations and Certificates, 1711–1729; Letters, Establishments, &c.
Post Office, Paymaster General, Mint, } in progress.

The Draught (or more properly Original) Treasury Minutes from 1760 to 1816, which were reported in 1848 (Tenth Report, II. § 19), as then made up in 159 bundles or packets, within millboards, having been necessarily removed from their position, have been dusted, taken out of the mill-boards, and made up more compactly in 100 bundles, covered with brown paper, labelled, and numbered.

The Original Treasury Commissions have been collected and arranged, to the number of 53, from 1762 to 1845, also the boxes cleansed and labelled.

The various classes of Parchment Documents from the Treasury have been increased by the incorporation of the contents of a box (No. 122 from the Loft) of Deeds, Patents, &c., which have been cleansed, and all the bundles are placed in press A. in Room No. 5.

Of the Treasury Books (Thirteenth Report, II. § 39), the following series have been operated upon, and the Miscellaneous Books have been further arranged:—

		Volumes.
Military Establishments, 1700–1809, cleansed, arranged, stamped, and numbered		752
Docquet Books Lord Chamberlain's Books Public Disposition Books Crown Lease Books American Books Civil List Books Law Opinions Declared Accounts	arranged in order of printed Report on Treasury Records (Seventh Report, App. II. No. 1. F.), on shelves	120
Money Books, &c. (Seventh Report, App. II. No. 1. G), the like		52
Yearly Revenue Books, 1693–4—1782, and Quarterly Revenue Books, 1700–1782, cleansed, repaired where needful, and arranged		488
Registers of Papers (Seventh Report, App. II. No. 1. M.) arranged		29
Treasury Fee Books, arranged, some repaired, and labels prepared for pasting		142
Total number of Volumes		1,403

31. *Slave Compensation Records.*—The remaining operations on these Records (Eighth Report, II. §§ 97, 98; Ninth Report, II. § 12; Tenth Report, II. § 19; Twelfth Report, II. § 43; Thirteenth Report, II. § 40) have been almost completed by Mr. Lascelles, in the identification and incorporation of many loose papers, the making up of some additional bundles, and labelling of them.

32. *French Claims' Commission Papers.*—The operations described in previous Reports (Fifth Report, I. § 5, II. § 37, App. I., No. 6; Thirteenth Report, II. §§ 36, 42) have been continued, and many series and bundles, formerly imperfect, have been supplemented, by means of the transfers afore-mentioned (I. § 7). A separation has also been made of the bundles of Vouchers from those of Correspondence, arranged in boxes in 1849. The latter, 1814–28 and 1833–43, now fill 6 boxes; the former are now classified and arranged in 2 boxes. All these Records, excepting the bound Volumes, are now placed in boxes duly labelled. The Books need proper labels and numbers.

33. *Welsh Records.*—The Duplicate Fines and Recoveries of the Four Counties of the Old Chester Circuit (Seventh Report, I. § 6, II. § 6; Eighth Report, App. I. No. 18; Tenth Report, II. § 19) being often referred to, their proper arrangement has been resumed, and confided to Mr. Lascelles, who has made progress in the flattening, arrangement, and more safe and convenient making up of these valuable Records.

34. *Irish Commissariat and Irish Relief Records.*—The first operations on these voluminous Records were performed at the Treasury, as herein-before stated (I. § 8, II. § 29). Since their transfer, the Papers have been arranged in two new moveable presses, constructed for the purpose, at the foot of the staircase of the Rolls House; and the Books have been placed at the top of the racks in the room No. 9. The arrangement follows the order of the boxes, as described in a Schedule to the Treasury Letter of 12th June 1852 (I. § 8).

35. *Inventories.*—The following have been made within the period of this Report, in draught or for use in the Office:—

Military Establishments, chronologically and systematically arranged in tabular form.

Yearly Revenue Books.

Irish Commissariat and Relief Documents; list of the boxes.

Vouchers of the Commissioners of Deposit and Award at Paris, 72 bundles; tabularly described.

Draught or Original Treasury Minutes, 100 bundles.

There has also been made a copy of the old book entitled "Inventory B.," with its Index, describing the Treasury Papers, for use in the Office, and to receive additions.

36. *Chester Records.*—Pursuant to a Letter of Instructions, dated 20th July, above noticed (I. § 12), Mr. Black proceeded to Chester on the 26th July, and there explored, cleansed, temporarily arranged, and made accessible the Records in Chester Castle, and also surveyed the buildings, fitted up shelves, provided new keys where needful, prepared a scheme for future custody and management, attended searches, and made office-copies, until 8th October. Mr. Black fully reported thereon to the Master of the Rolls, on 31st December 1852.

III. General Matters connected with the Care and Management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

1. *General Record Repository.*—The first block of the New Repository is now completely roofed in. The completion of the interior is in progress, and arrangements are making for the preparation of the fittings, of which the most important will be racks, presses, cases, and other articles required for the deposit of the Public Records. These will require very considerable attention, and the utmost endeavours must be used to exercise all possible caution in planning the same. It is also needful to keep in view any adaptations which may be required when the building, as at present existing, shall become part of another building. This extension will be speedily required; for, besides the block of building which will be needed for the Documents of the State Paper Office, coloured brown in the plan (Sessional Paper, House of Commons, 1850,

No. 571, VIII.), it may be possibly necessary to commence the block coloured blue, inasmuch as, owing to the transmission of Government Documents into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, the mass under his charge is very considerably larger than when the measurements were first taken.

2. *Admission of Literary Inquirers.*—In the Deputy Keeper's Thirteenth Report (III. § 2) it is stated that a memorial, dated 7th July 1851, had been presented to the Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls by various historical writers, members of various literary societies specially interested in the prosecution of historical inquiry, and persons otherwise engaged in literary pursuits, or connected therewith, praying that his Honor would be pleased to order that persons who are merely engaged in historical inquiry, antiquarian research, and other literary pursuits connected therewith, should have permission granted to them to have access to the Records with the Calendars and Indexes without payment of any fee; and that his Honor, having carefully considered the matter, returned his answer of the 31st July 1851, which, with the memorial and the reply of the memorialists (2d August 1851), is annexed to the Thirteenth Report App. Nos. 4, 5, and 6). In conformity to his promise, his Honor therefore prepared the rules and regulations for facilitating literary inquiries, from which extracts are annexed to the Thirteenth Report (App. No. 7); and the same having been transmitted to the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, their Lordships were pleased to approve thereof, as signified by their letter of 17th November 1851 (Thirteenth Report, App. No. 8). Since the 1st January 1852, the same regulations are in active operation; and all the Assistant Keepers having made their Report or Returns thereon, the following points have been ascertained, and are submitted to Your Majesty. In the year 1852, about 10 literary inquirers have attended per week, during what may be considered as the business portion of the year; the sum total of Documents consulted, examined, perused, or transcribed by these gentlemen during the twelve months probably exceeds 10,000. Large as this number may appear, it does not convey any accurate idea of the time employed and the labour performed, whether by the Assistant Keepers, or their Clerks, or the workmen, in complying with the wishes of the literary applicants. This is particularly the case with regard to the establishment at the Carlton Ride. A large portion of the Records which the literary inquirers consult are the Rolls of early date deposited in the Stone Tower adjoining Westminster Hall, which, being the most valuable of their class, are placed in that fire-proof structure for the sake of obtaining greater security. But the characteristics which have caused these Records to have been subjected to peculiar precautions are exactly those which render them the most interesting to a large class of inquirers; and, inasmuch as there is no accommodation for searchers in the Stone Tower, it is needful to remove the Records which they require, bodily from thence to the Carlton Ride when they are used.

Each literary inquirer, moreover, usually makes a longer stay in the Office than a business inquirer, and requires a larger number of Documents, and consequently requires a larger proportion of attendance and more constant inspection than a business inquirer, lest the documents should sustain injury. One gentleman in the course of the year consulted nearly 7,000 Documents, principally at the Rolls Chapel, for the purpose of compiling the history of a single township; and this example may be quoted equally as displaying the praiseworthy industry of the individual and the labour which that industry imposes upon the Record Officers. The majority of inquirers have hitherto directed their attention to topographical researches: biography and genealogy constitute important heads. The investigation of other subjects, especially those connected with history and statistics, or all the various branches of the series, will, it is hoped, be equally promoted by the access now granted to the Public Records and Archives, when their nature is better known, and the need felt of more expansive inquiries. It is very gratifying to observe that no case has been reported to the Deputy Keeper by the Assistant Keepers of any irregularity or improper conduct on behalf of the individuals admitted under his Honor's regulations; and, if the prosecution of literary inquiries be a national object and a national benefit, then, even in the present initiatory stage of the measure, that benefit is a sufficient compensation for the diminution of fees and the increased occupation given to the Record Officers.

On the whole, the result of the experiment has been as satisfactory as could

have been expected, considering how its working has been impeded by the very limited accommodation which the present Offices afford. In the New Repository there will be sufficient space, and it is probable that the Search Office will be divided into two branches,—the "Business" or "General Search Office," and the "Search Office for Literary Inquirers." At present, the business searchers are not unfrequently incommoded by the number of Records which the literary searchers require; and the literary searchers, on their part, complain that they are disturbed by the bustle and conversation of the business searchers. The contemplated arrangement, namely, the separation of the literary searchers from the business searchers, is adopted in Your Majesty's General Register House, Edinburgh, and is there found to be advantageous.

3. *Aid rendered to Government with respect to Government Documents.*—When the Record Office was first established, the immediate attention of the Officers was necessarily called to Records, in the strict and confined sense, viz., of Your Majesty's Courts of Law and Equity, and the branches thereof; but within a short time after the Office had been brought into notice, and its efficacy had been in some degree tested, Your Majesty's Public Departments of Government began to avail themselves of the powers imparted by the Record Act for rendering the Master of the Rolls the general Custos of all Your Majesty's Archives, whenever public convenience required the same. These operations, which began with the transmission of the Admiralty Documents (Second Report, I. § 5, II. § 3; Third Report, I. § 6; Fourth Report, III. § 2), have since been carried to a very great extent. And the Government Documents so received into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, constitute as prominent a class amongst the Documents placed under the care and management of the Record Officers, as the Records—properly so called—of Your Majesty's Courts of Law.

The operations in question extend to or embrace the following Departments, &c.:—

Admiralty, Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy.—Records and Documents deposited in Deptford Dockyard.
Admiralty, Somerset House.—Lieutenants' Log Books.
Admiralty, Whitehall.—Log Books.
American Claims, from the State Paper Office.
Army Medical Board.—Books and Papers of.
Audit Office.—Accounts and Vouchers of the Peninsular War.
Boundaries' Commissions, Municipal and Parliamentary.—Records, Maps, Plans, &c. of.
Charities' Commission.—Documents belonging to.
Commissariat Department.—Records relating to Forts Garry, America.
Commissariat Department.—Books of the late Commissary-General's Office, &c.
Commissariat Department.—Books, Papers, &c. of the Irish Commissariat during the Irish Famine.
Custom House.—Books of Customs' Establishments; Registers of Seizures, &c.
French Claims' Commission.—Documents and Proceedings of.
Greenwich Out-Pension Office.—Documents of.
Inland Revenue Office, Old Broad Street.
Inland Revenue Office, Tower Hill.—Books and Documents in.
Ireland.—Records of the Exchequer, &c. of, at Dublin.
National Debt Office.—Rolls, Books, &c. relating to Exchequer Annuities.
Ordnance Office.—Returns and Duplicate Papers in.
Potato Crop.—Returns relating to the, in Great Britain and Ireland, in 1848.
Privy Signet Office.—Signed Bills, Royal Warrants, &c., previous to December 1800.
Registrar-General's Office.—Registers of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.
Registrar-General's Office.—Population Returns or Papers of the Census Commissions of 1841 and 1851.
Slave Compensation Commission.—Documents and Proceedings of.
Slave Registration Office.—Records and Registers of.
Treasury.—Books and Papers of, and of the late Receipt of the Exchequer; also of the late African Company.

Treasury.—Fee Books.
Treasury.—Revenue Books; Letter Books; Treasury Commissions, &c.
Treasury.—Revenue Books; Entry Books, &c.
Treasury Solicitor's Office.—Papers in.

Lists, Particulars, Catalogues, or Descriptions of all the before-mentioned Documents, save and except those which have been transmitted since 1st January 1852, will be found in the Deputy Keeper's Annual Reports, as follows:—

Admiralty, Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy.—Records and Documents deposited in the Deptford Dockyard. (Second Report, I. §. 5, II. § 3; Third Report, I. § 6; Fourth Report, III. § 2; Eighth Report, I. § 4, II. §§ 109—116, App. I. Nos. 8, 9, 17, App. II. No. 12; Ninth Report, II. § 16, App. I., No. 13.)

Admiralty, Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Somerset House.—Lieutenants' Log Books. (Ninth Report, II. § 16, App. I. No. 13; Twelfth Report, I. § 5, II. § 2; Thirteenth Report, I. § 3.)

Admiralty, Whitehall.—Log Books. (Eleventh Report, I. § 4, II. § 2.)

American Claims, from the State Paper Office.

Army Medical Board.—Books and Papers of. (Eighth Report, I. § 6; II. § 118, App. I. Nos. 5, 6, 7, 7*a*.)

Audit Office.—Accounts and Vouchers of the Peninsular War. (Tenth Report, I. § 6; Twelfth Report, I. § 6, II. § 45; Thirteenth Report, I. § 4.)

Boundaries' Commissions, Municipal and Parliamentary.—Records, Maps, Plans, &c. of. (Tenth Report, I. § 4, II. § 18.)

Charities' Commission.—Documents belonging to. (Third Report, I. § 8; II. § 22.)

Commissariat Department.—Records relating to Forts Garry in the Hudson's Bay Territory. (Tenth Report, I. § 5, II. § 17.)

Commissariat Department.—Books of the late Commissary-General's Office, &c. (Thirteenth Report, I. § 7, II. §§ 36, 39.)

Commissariat Department.—Books, Papers, &c. of the Irish Commissariat during the Irish Famine.

Custom House.—Books of Customs' Establishments, Registers of Seizures, &c. (Seventh Report, II. § 2; Ninth Report, II. § 11; Tenth Report, I. § 8, II. § 16; Thirteenth Report, I. § 8, II. §§ 36, 39.)

French Claims' Commission.—Documents and Proceedings of. (Fifth Report, I. § 5, II. § 37, App. I. No. 6; Thirteenth Report, I. § 5, II. §§ 36, 42.)

Greenwich Out-Pension Documents. (Eighth Report, I. § 4, II. § 117, App. I. Nos. 10—13.)

Inland Revenue Office, Old Broad Street.

Inland Revenue Office, Tower Hill.—Books and Documents in.

Ireland.—Records of the Exchequer, &c. of, at Dublin. (Eighth Report, I. § 9; Tenth Report, I. § 10.)

National Debt Office.—Rolls, Books, &c. relating to Exchequer Annuities. (Ninth Report, II. §§ 9, 13.)

Ordnance Office.—Returns and Duplicate Papers in.

Potato Crop.—Returns relating to the failure of, in Great Britain and Ireland in 1848. (Eleventh Report, I. § 5, II. § 44.)

Privy Signet Office.—Signed Bills, Royal Warrants, &c., previous to December 1800. (Thirteenth Report, I. § 11, II. § 34.)

Registrar-General's Office.—Registers of Births, Deaths, and Marriages. (Seventh Report, I. § 4, App. I. Nos. 24, 25; Thirteenth Report, I. § 6.)

Registrar-General's Office.—Population Returns, or Papers of the Census Commissions of 1841 and 1851. (Seventh Report, I. § 3, App. I. No. 23; Eighth Report, I. § 5; Thirteenth Report, I. § 6.)

Slave Compensation Commission.—Documents and Proceedings of. (Eighth Report, II. §§ 97, 98, App. I. Nos. 19, 20; Ninth Report, II. § 12; Tenth Report, II. § 19; Twelfth Report, II. § 43; Thirteenth Report, II. § 40.)

Slave Registration Office.—Records and Registers of (Twelfth Report, I. § 7, II. § 39; Thirteenth Report, II. §§ 36, 41.)

Treasury.—Books and Papers of, and of the late Receipt of the Exchequer; also of the late African Company. (Fourth Report, I. §1; Fifth

Report, I. § 6; Sixth Report, I. § 2; Seventh Report, I. § 2, App. II. No. 1.; Eighth Report, I. § 8, II. §§ 99, 100, App. I. Nos. 21—24*a.*, App. II. Nos. 11—11*d.*; Ninth Report, I. § 8, II. § 11; Tenth Report, I. § 8, II. § 16; Eleventh Report, II. § 40; Twelfth Report, II. § 41; Thirteenth Report, I. § 10, II. § 36, App. No. 2*a.*)

Treasury.—Fee Books. (Thirteenth Report, I. § 9; II. § 36.)

Treasury.—Revenue Books, Letter Books, Treasury Commissions, &c.

Treasury.—Revenue Books, Entry Books, &c.

Treasury, Solicitor's Office.—Papers in.

Upon a rough calculation, the quantity of Government Documents transmitted into the custody of the Master of the Rolls to 30th June 1853, is as follows:—

	Volumes and Rolls.	Chests, Boxes, Sacks, Bags, Bundles, Portfolios, &c.
Admiralty - - -	49,102	1,424
Boundaries' Commissions -	—	61
Charities' Commission - -	181	447
Commissariat Department -	505	33
Custom House—Documents from	643	—
French Claims' Commission -	125	460, and others not enumerated.
National Debt Office - -	618	—
Potato Crop Returns -	—	5
Privy Signet Office - -	40	1,701
Slave Compensation Commission	831	311
Slave Registration Office -	672	29
Treasury - -	6,000	513

Being, as far as can be reckoned, 58,717 Volumes, Rolls, &c., and 4,984 Chests, Sacks, Bags, Bundles, Portfolios, &c. Of the contents of these Chests, &c., a rough account has been taken; on the average each receptacle or cover contains not less than 1,000 distinct or separate documents, making therefore not less than 4,984,000, and with the Volumes and Rolls, at least 5,042,717 articles in the whole. And to these will have to be added the Documents in Your Majesty's State Paper Office whenever the consolidation of the Establishment of that Department with the Public Record Office shall take place pursuant to the Treasury Minute of 8th August 1848 (Tenth Report, I. § 9, App. I. No. 1), and to Your Majesty's Order in Council of 5th March 1852 (Thirteenth Report, I. § 13, App. No. 1).

The services which have been rendered by the Officers of the Record Department to the various Departments of Your Majesty's Government, whose Documents have been transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, are extensive and important. These services, of which it is probable that the details will on a future occasion be submitted to Your Majesty, may be classed under three heads:—

1. Information, official, legal, or historical, collected, reported, or transcribed for the use of either House of Parliament, for Parliamentary Commissions, or Commissions under Your Majesty's Great Seal, Sign Manual, or otherwise, and for the various Departments of Your Majesty's Government or Government Offices.

2. Examination of Documents for the purpose of deciding whether they are or are not fit for preservation; and, if the question be decided in the affirmative, the adoption of means for the preservation and arrangement of the Documents.

3. The arrangement of the Documents when received into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, the performance of all the needful operations, sorting, cleaning, or arranging the same, placing them in portfolios, and rendering them accessible for use or search.

The Government Offices have been relieved from most inconvenient masses of Papers which encumbered their offices, either for want of space or the inadequacy of their official establishments to grapple with the heavy tasks which have been deputed to the Officers of the Record Establishment, which operations would not have been performed by Your Majesty's Government Departments, otherwise than by a great increase of labour and expense in those Departments, which labour and expense has fallen upon and been defrayed by the Record Department. A distinct account of the consumption of the time employed by the Officers of the Record Department, or the expenses which the Record Department have incurred, could not be furnished otherwise than by

an examination of all the daily memoranda generally of all officers and workmen from the beginning; but the pecuniary burthen cast upon the Record Department, and from which the Government Departments have been relieved, may be in some degree estimated from the following data:—

One Assistant Keeper, and, on the average, two clerks and two workmen, have been exclusively employed in the Rolls House upon Government Documents since the year 1846, whose salaries and wages on the average amount to 600*l.* per annum. In the Tower, the expense may on the average (that is to say, including the time of the Assistant Keeper) be computed at the salary of one clerk and one workman, averaging about 150*l.* during the same period; and in collecting information for Commissions, &c., or the like purposes, for the different Offices, the expense may on the average be estimated at 150*l.* per annum; and the total of the expenditure of the services thus rendered to the Government Departments, up to the present time amounts to about 7,200*l.*, for which sum Your Majesty's Treasury, Admiralty, and other Public Departments are in fact debtors to this Department. In consequence of the accumulation of Documents, the staff of officers fixed by the Treasury when the Establishment was formed is now becoming inadequate to the duties which the Establishment has to perform; and an increase of this Establishment is much needed at present. When the New Repository shall be opened, the need will be imperative.

All which is humbly submitted to Your Majesty.

(Signed) FRANCIS PALGRAVE,
8th July, 1853. *The Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.*

I most humbly certify to Your Majesty that this Report is made by the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, under my direction, pursuant to the Statute.

(Signed) JOHN ROMILLY, M.R.

APPENDIX

TO THE

FOURTEENTH REPORT OF THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

Appendix. No. 1 *a*.

1 *a*. TREASURY RECORDS.—Letter from the Secretary to the Treasury to the Master of the Rolls, transmitting Treasury Minute and Second Report on proposed further Transfer of Treasury Records.

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SIR, Treasury Chambers, December 29, 1852.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have directed me to transmit to you herewith the inclosed copy of the Second Report of the Commissioners for inquiring into the Records of this Department, together with copy of their Lordships' Minute thereon dated the 21st instant.

I am to request that you will give the necessary directions for the transfer of the Documents referred to, to the Public Record Department, and that you will cause a list of the Books so received to be furnished to my Lords, to be deposited in this Office as a memorandum of the transfer.

I remain, &c.
(Signed) C. E. TREVELYAN.

The Master of the Rolls,
&c. &c.

No. 1 *b*.

1 *b*. TREASURY RECORDS.—Treasury Minute, sanctioning a further Transfer of Treasury Records to the Public Record Office.

Enclosure to No. 1 *a*.

(Copy of Treasury Minute.)

December 21, 1852.

MY Lords have before them a further Report by the Committee, consisting of Mr. W. H. Black, one of the Assistant Keepers of the Records, and Messrs. Adrian and Chance, of their Lordships' Office, upon the Records preserved at the Treasury. The observations contained in this Report having reference to the official Books.

The Committee recommend, for the reasons detailed in the Report, that all the Books now remaining at the Treasury which relate to a period previous to the commencement of the present century, should be transferred to the Public Record Department.

As the Books in question are very rarely, if ever, referred to for any official purpose, and, from their great number and the slight knowledge that is generally possessed of their contents, are not likely to be preserved with the same care, or to be deposited with the same regard to facility of reference in an office where current business is transacted, as in the Public Department which has been formed for the express purpose of preserving and arranging those of the Public Records which are not required for current use, my Lords concur in opinion with the Committee that all the Treasury Books of a date not later than 1800 should be transferred to the charge of the Master of the Rolls, under whose direction they will be methodically arranged and catalogued, and, besides being available for official reference, if required, will furnish valuable materials for historical research.

My Lords deem it right that the attention of the Master of the Rolls should in particular be called to the series of Treasury Minute Books, beginning with the year 1667, which they consider to be a series of historical Documents of peculiar interest, and therefore deserving of more than ordinary attention.

The other Books which the Committee recommend should be transferred to the Public Record Office belong, for the most part, to different series of entries which have been discontinued, the remainder consisting of classes of Books to which it is not likely to be necessary to refer for any official purpose; and my Lords consider that the suggestion for the transfer of these Books also to the Record Department should be adopted.

A true copy:
(Signed) S. DRUMMOND.

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1 c. TREASURY RECORDS.—Second Report on proposed further Transfer of Treasury Records.

Enclosure to No. 1 *a*

The Second Joint Report of William Henry Black, Assistant Keeper of Public Records, and of the undersigned Treasury Officers, on a proposed further Transfer of Treasury Records.

To Sir C. E. Trevelyan, K.C.B., Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

SIR,

HAVING in our former Report, dated 29th January last, disposed of those Treasury Books mentioned in the printed Report, dated 24th November 1844, the transfer of which to the Public Record Office was not attended with any difficulty, and the same having been transferred accordingly, we have proceeded with the examination of all other species of Treasury Books, whether mentioned in the printed Report as being prior to the year 1783, or those which have a later origin. Under your instructions we have considered the question, "Whether the year 1800 might not safely be taken as the limit from "which all Books now continued and in use at the Treasury should be retained, and down "to which period they should be transferred to the Public Record Office?" Accordingly, we have not only deliberated upon this matter ourselves, but we have also consulted the most experienced officers in the several Departments, and we find that very seldom any occasion happens of referring to Books prior to the present century; so much is this the case, that they are rarely, if ever, looked at, and may be said now to have gone almost wholly out of use for the purposes of current official business.

The practical question therefore to be decided is, *Whether it be expedient to divide long series of Books, which are still in progress, and to retain only the modern portions of them?* This subject has already been discussed to some extent in the printed Report, in which it is shown that the year 1782 would be *too early* for the point at which it would be required to stay in making a general transfer, if made for the purpose of relieving the Offices of their present burthen; and it is therein added, that "it would seem that a *later* "*era* should be adopted in some cases, in order to afford any considerable relief."* This recommendation has been already carried into effect to some extent, and yet a further transfer is needed; the facts of the case will perhaps help to clear up this question.

At present, all the Treasury Books of Entry prior to May 1667 are deposited in the Public Record Office, together with all determined series of Books of the subsequent period, some of them coming down so late as to the abolition of the old offices of the Exchequer in 1834, and, (in the instance of "Declared Accounts,") to the year 1848. The Revenue Books also, both quarterly and yearly, have been lately transferred, on our own recommendation, to 1800 inclusively. Thus it is plain that, when any inquiry arises relative to matters of the time of Charles I., and for seven years after the restoration of Charles II., the Record Office must be resorted to, and that later transactions must be sought for, accordingly to their several natures, either in the Books at the Record Office, or in the Books at the Treasury Chambers, or in both places. If, therefore, *all* the Treasury Books, *prior to the present century*, should be transferred to the Public Record Office, it would be certainly known at once where the transactions of an earlier date than 1801 must be looked for; and the volumes being collected, duly classified, arranged, and catalogued, might be more easily consulted and compared, than they could be while scattered about in various parts of this House. The historical importance also of these Books, especially the *Minute Books*, is so great, independently of their official uses, and the vastness of the pecuniary affairs to which they relate, is such, as to demand the utmost care in their preservation for posterity; and it is presumed that they would be less exposed to risk of loss or damage in a Repository provided and regulated with an especial view to the safe preservation of national muniments, than they can be on the shelves of a Public Office, where the transaction of current business is the principal matter of concern.

Proceeding, therefore, on the supposition that it may be expedient to decide on the *transfer of all Books prior to the present century*, we have taken an account of the classes, denominations, and number of volumes, which must be comprehended within such a transfer, if and whensoever it should be thought proper to be carried into effect. They are as follow:—

§ 1. *Treasury Books of Entry*, described in the printed Report,† viz.:

	Volumes.
1. Minute Books, not numbered, from 25 May 1667 to 25 November 1672	4
1. Minute Books, Nos. 1–76 (except the omitted number 24), from 10 April 1689 to 13 August 1800 - - - -	75
2. Money Books, Nos. 1–61, from 1 April 1676 to 13 November 1797 -	61
3. King's Warrant Books, Nos. 1–78, from 19 March 1678-9 to 14 June 1800 - - - - - - -	78
Carried forward - - -	218

* Printed Report, (Seventh Report, App. II. No. 1,) page 26.
† Appendix (F.) pp. 41–50; see also "Minute Books" in Appendix (G.) page 50.

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	Volumes.
Brought forward - -	218
4. Books of Warrants not relating to Money, Nos. 1–41, from 29 March 1679 to 21 July 1800 - - - - - -	41
5. Customs' Books, Nos. 1–33, from 13 July 1681 to 31 December 1800 -	33
6. Letter Books, Nos. 1–45, from 6 July 1682 to 30 July 1800 - -	45
7. Irish Books, Nos. 1–14, from 11 March 1683–4 to July 1795 - -	14
11. Tax Books, Nos. 1–9, from 25 January 1703–4 to 17 September 1798	9
12. North Britain Books, Nos. 1–25, from 12 April 1707 to 14 June 1797	25
18. Patent Books, Nos. 1–3, from 12 March 1760 to 17 December 1793 -	3
23. Wood Books, Nos. 1, 2, from 23 February 1773 to 29 December 1797	2
(24.) Auditors' States of Account, Nos. 1–7, from December 1776 * to October 1800 - - - - - - -	7
Total, Volumes - -	397

§ 2. *Treasury Books of Entry,* the origin of which is later than in the foregoing list :—

				Volumes.
Council Books, Nos. 1, 2, from 26 February 1793 to 4 April 1796 - -				2
Department Books † of the several Divisions of Business, viz. :				
Division 1.	From 1807 to 1848 - - -	vols.	33	
,, 2.	,, 1803 to 1848 - - - -	,,	46	
,, 3.	,, 1808 to 1848 - - -	,,	24	
,, 4.	,, 1809 to 1848 - - - -	,,	24	
,, 5.	,, 1802 to 1848 - - -	,,	31	
,, 6.	,, 1806 to 1834 - - -	,,	12	170
Reference Books ‡ of the several Divisions, viz. :				
Division 1.	From 1806 to 1832 - - -	,,	17	
,, 2.	,, 1819 to 1831 - - - -	,,	5	
,, 3.	,, 1823 to 1831 - - - -	,,	3	
,, 4.	,, - - - - -	,,	0	
,, 5.	,, - - - - - -	,,	0	
,, 6.	,, 1824 to 1833 - - -	,,	3	28
"Reference Book, 1791," in tabular form - - - - -				1
Bill Reference Book, 1815–1818 - - - - - -				1
Total, Volumes - -				202

§ 3. *Books of the Revenue Department,* supplemental to those mentioned in the printed Report. These Books (excepting ten or twelve very small volumes found in the Revenue Room) have been discovered in a press in the passage next to the Bill Department, and were unknown when that Report was compiled; they belong to, and help to perfect, various sets of Books now at the Rolls House, which have been hitherto in an irregular state for want of these volumes. They have been removed to a room on the basement, cleansed, classified, arranged, and tied in bundles, which are labelled as follows, viz. :—

Bundles.		Volumes.
1–13.	Public Services, &c., Quarterly Books, 1737 to 1800 - -	230
14.	Balancing Books, 1756, 1758, and 1775 - - - -	3
15, 16.	Payments on account of Civil List Expenses, yearly Books, 1727 to 1753 - - - - - -	26
17, 18.	"King's Account," in 10 volumes, 1747 to 1788 - -	10
19.	"Civil List Occasional Payments," and other Books relating to the Civil List - - - - - - -	5
20.	Miscellaneous Books, relating to charge and debts of Civil List -	17
21.	Miscellaneous, Civil List - - - - -	7
22.	Odd volumes of Supply Books and Civil List Accounts, 1713 to 1802 - - - - - -	5
23.	Personal Informations, 1721; Salt, 1733; "American Sufferers and East Florida Orders," 1789; and three Miscellaneous Books	6
24.	"Weekly, Quarterly, and Annual Accounts of the Public Revenue from the Exchequer," 1793 to 1797 (atlas folio) - -	1
	Total, Volumes - -	310

* Report, page 18, where their origin is erroneously supposed to be later than 1782.

† These volumes contain a tabular registration of Papers assigned to the respective departments or divisions of business at the Treasury Chambers, showing the progress made in every transaction, in the form of a journal. They are of various sizes and shapes. The *sixth* division having been long abolished, and the others being now reduced to *two only,* it has been considered sufficient to retain those Books only which are later than 1848 for reference in the Office.

‡ These are in tabular form, distinct from the general "Reference Books," already transferred to the Rolls House. The observations contained in the foregoing note apply to these Books also.

§ 4. *Books of the Bill Department.*—The series of Books now in use in the Bill Department begin in 1796, and consist of the "Bill Ledger" (of which the first volume extends from 1 July 1796 to 31 December 1797, and the second volume ends 31 December 1801); the entries of "King's Warrants [for] Bills of Exchange" (of which the first volume extends from 31 December 1796 to 1 March 1800, and the fourth volume ends 20 February 1808); and two series of entries of "Monthly Lists," sent to the "Pay Office" and to the "Audit Office," which succeeded the warrants. The former of these lists is now discontinued. Before the system contained in these volumes was brought into operation, there were used only tabular Books of Entry, of which nine volumes remain in the Office; and which only (without disturbing No. 1 of the Ledger and No. 1 of the King's Warrants) we would recommend to be transferred to the Public Record Office, viz.:—

	Volumes.
Bill Books, Nos. 1—4, from 4 October 1765 to 18 June 1797 *	4
Account of Bills drawn by Mr. Brook Watson, Nos. 1–4, from 11 February 1794 to 29 June 1796	4
Account of Bills drawn by Mr. Alexander Davison [and others], from 21 January 1794 to 24 January 1799	1
Total, Volumes	9

§ 5. *Various Denominations.*—While making these researches we have noticed other Books, of which some portions are already at the Rolls House, or which appear to be no longer serviceable at the Treasury, and therefore may with propriety be recommended for transfer to the Public Record Office. The following is a list:—

		Volumes.
Fee Books, of fifth division, 1817 to 1824, 1831 to 1834		2
Stamp Account, third division, 1820 to 1834		1
Yearly Accounts of Exchequer Fees, for 1797, and 1802 to 1806†		6
Customs' Establishments, 1844 to 1847 (wanting London, October 1846)		31
Books of the late Exchequer of Ireland, viz.:—Original Certificates of Receipts and Payments, bound and lettered "Abstracts":—		
"Pells," 1819 to 1822	vols. 4	
"Vice-Treasurer," 1823 to 1831	,, 9	
"Tellers," 1826 to 1829	,, 4	
Irish Revenue Returns, 1819 to 1823	,, 2	
Receipts and Issues in the Treasury of Ireland, 1817	,, 1	
Tonnage of Shipping, 1775 to 1804	,, 1	21
Orders of the House of Commons, 1799 to 1810		1
Returns to Orders of both Houses, 1800 to 1817		1
"Certificates" of Officers alive in the Colonies, 1811 to 1816		1
"Tontine Annuity Order Book," 1789		1
"Commissariat Estimates," 1815 to 1817		1
American Claims,‡ viz.:—Reports on Losses, &c., in 23 volumes (whereof Volumes I., IV., and XI. are wanting), and other Reports in alphabetical order, in 16 thin books, marked A.—Q.		36
Rentals of annexed Forfeited Estates in Scotland, viz.:—Report to the King, 1756, and 106 Rentals, Certificates, &c., partly in bound books, and partly unbound papers, forming one large bundle		107
Total, Volumes, &c.		209

Summary of Volumes proposed to be transferred:—

	Volumes.
§ 1. Books of Entry, begun before 1783	397
§ 2. ,, ,, since 1782	202
§ 3. Books of the Revenue Department	310
§ 4. ,, Bill Department	9
§ 5. Various denominations	209
Total number of Volumes	1,127

As the matter of this Report involves an important question, altogether distinct from that connected with the proposed transfer of Modern Treasury Papers, we avail ourselves of your suggestion by further dividing our Report. We therefore submit these facts and considerations, through you, to the judgment of the Treasury Board, and reserve our ob-

* These dates are the first and last in the column showing the *acceptance* of Bills.

† The subsequent volumes, from 1809 to 1834, having been subjected to periodical examination by the Treasury Auditors, are reserved for further consideration in the next Report, in which the subject of Accounts and Vouchers passed by the Treasury Auditors will undergo consideration.

‡ There are also 25 volumes of Minute Books and other Proceedings of the American Claim Commissioners, preserved in the Paper Room, and bearing reference to a Paper, thus—"In No. 19,799/22." They are dated in 1794 and subsequent years; but Mr. Adrian is inclined to the opinion that these should be retained.

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servations upon the Papers for a third Report. We have only to add, that convenient shelf-room exists at the Rolls House for the arrangement of all the volumes described in this Report in proper order of their relation to other Treasury Records already deposited there.

Dated this 2d day of April 1852.

(Signed) WILLIAM HENRY BLACK,
WILLIAM THOMAS ADRIAN,
GEORGE CHANCE.

No. 2 *a*.

2 *a*. TREASURY RECORDS.—Letter from the Secretary to the Treasury to the Master of the Rolls, transmitting Third Report on proposed further Transfer of Treasury Records.

13,480 21/12

SIR, Treasury Chambers, December 29, 1852.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have directed me to transmit to you herewith the inclosed copy of the Third Report of the Commissioners for inquiring into the Records of this Department.

I am to state that my Lords approve of the recommendations of the Commissioners; and I am to request that, should you see no objection, you will give the necessary directions for the removal of the Papers selected by them to the Public Record Department.

I remain, &c.
(Signed) C. E. TREVELYAN.

The Master of the Rolls,
&c. &c.

No. 2 *b*.

2 *b*. TREASURY RECORDS.—Third Report on proposed further Transfer of Treasury Records.

Enclosure to No. 2 *a*.

The Third Joint Report of William Henry Black, Assistant Keeper of Public Records, and of the undersigned Treasury Officers, on a proposed further Transfer of Treasury Records.

To Sir Charles Trevelyan, K.C.B., Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

SIR,

THE consideration of the Treasury Papers having been postponed in our former Reports, as constituting a separate and very important question, and the arrangement of those formerly transferred to the Public Record Office being sufficiently advanced to enable the Assistant Keeper to form a better opinion on the subject, we now lay before you the result of our examination of the accumulated Papers at the Treasury Chambers, and of our best consideration of the suggestions made by you respecting the same.

First, however, it may be useful to describe, very briefly, those Papers which have already been transferred, in order to show their connexion with those to which this Report more immediately relates. They consist of the following classes:—

1. Old Treasury Papers, from 1689 (few earlier) to 1781, of all classes and denominations, partly in bundles and partly loose, when found; now reduced into their proper classes, and undergoing strict arrangement.
2. Registered Treasury Papers, since 1781, of various denominations, which had been removed from the Paper Room, as no longer wanted there; much confused when found, and now undergoing arrangement.
3. Periodical Returns of Revenue Boards, found partly in bundles and partly loose; now flatted and arranged in large bundles, for the most part ready for binding.
4. Financial Statements, Estimates, and other Papers of the Revenue Department; now collected, and in progress of arrangement.
5. Draught Treasury Minutes, found in bundles, and since flatted and arranged within mill-boards.
6. Commissariat Papers, partly mixed up with some of the foregoing, partly in separate bundles; for the most part stowed away at present in sacks.
7. African Company's Papers, in boxes.
8. Treasury Auditor's Papers, in boxes; namely, such of them as were found in the vault, and so removed in the general transfer of its contents.
9. American Claims, Papers of the Commissioners, in boxes; partly damaged with sewer water, partly cleansed, and in some measure arranged.
10. Port of London Claims, &c., in boxes, from the vault.

We shall now proceed to describe the Papers of the Treasury Chambers, which appear to require transmission to the Public Record Office, whether for the purpose of providing space for the daily accumulation of new Documents, or in order to render more complete the system of those already transferred.

1. The first deposit of Treasury Papers to which we have directed our attention consists of old Documents, similar to those described in the first item of the foregoing list. We have already noticed them in our First Joint Report, as requiring separation from

Papers of a later date, unless the latter should be transferred with them; which process of separation, considering the difficulty of it in their present situation in a dark room, and the age of those with which they are mingled, we think unnecessary to be done at the Treasury. For, as they consist partly of Documents of the same age and general descriptions as those already transferred, confusedly mixed (by workmen some years ago employed in making an alteration in that part of the building) with Documents of the next following period; we are prepared to recommend that the whole mass of papers now on the shelves of that apartment, should be indiscriminately transferred to the Public Record Office.

2. Papers later than 1781, which fall into the present system of registration, but are of so old a date that they are rarely required at the Treasury. Indeed, such is the present state of these Papers, from the causes already mentioned, that to consult them would be a very dirty, difficult, and disagreeable task. They extend from 1781 to 1809 inclusively.

3. The next deposit of Registered Papers is in presses on both sides of the passage leading to the Room No. 24, and under the window there, looking over the Park. They comprise the entire years 1810—1813, and extend as far as No. 16,000 of the year 1814. They stand in good order, in bundles, labelled with their respective years and numbers, and are easily accessible.

4. The series of Registered Papers is continued in the presses which surround the Messengers' Room, at the top of the great staircase. Here we have taken an account only of the years 1814 and 1815, beyond which we have not thought it expedient or needful to extend our observations.

It has been already shown in the printed Report* that the great increase of Treasury Papers began in or about 1807, before which time the Papers of many years lie within a small compass, and consequently no relief would be afforded to the Office by terminating the transfer at that period. For if the transfer should extend into and include the year 1809, it would have the effect only of clearing away valuable Documents from a place altogether unfit to retain them, (being incurably dark, dirty, and difficult of access,) but no available space would be obtained for the deposit of fresh Documents constantly coming into the Treasury, at a rate exceeding 30,000 a year. The continental wars appear chiefly to have occasioned the great increase of Papers; many of the transactions, therefore, to which the Documents of 1809 relate are continued to the general Peace in 1814, and to the renewal of hostilities and final overthrow of Buonaparte in 1815. Here, then, we find a resting point; and it is difficult to find any other of later date, without breaking up bundles of Papers connected with others so recent, that inconvenience to the business of this Office might be occasioned by the separation and removal of them. On the other hand, it will appear by the subjoined measurements, that unless some such transfer as we now contemplate be effected, the prodigious accession which every year brings will speedily overwhelm the present capabilities of the Repositories at the Treasury Chambers.

The following is an account of the quantity of old Papers prior to 1781, and of Registered Papers from 1782 to 1815 inclusively, stated in cubic feet:—

		Cubic feet.
1, 2.	In rooms on Basement, consisting of - - -	308
3.	In Presses in Passage - - - - -	195
4.	„ Messengers' Room - - - -	68
	Total, cubic feet - - -	571

5. The next description of Documents to which our inquiry has extended consists of a quantity of bundles and loose Papers,† found by us in presses in the passage next to the Bill Department, together with some of the Books mentioned in our Second Report. They relate to the business of the *Treasury Auditors*, and consist of Accounts and Vouchers of several services, examined and passed by those Officers; whereof the following is a list, showing the denominations of the services, and the number of the bundles:—

		Bundles.
Commissioners for	American Ships and Cargoes condemned as Prize, 1818	1
„ „	Caledonian Canal, 1809 to 1826 - - -	6
„ „	Care and disposal of Prussian Prizes, 1816 - - -	2
„ „	Care of Portuguese Property, 1810 to 1819 - -	1
„ „	Danish and other Ships condemned as Prize, 1816 -	1
„ „	Highland Roads and Bridges, 1807 to 1822 (see also *Scottish Harbours*) - - - -	5
„ „	Holyhead Harbour, 1810 to 1823 - - -	12
„ „	Management of the Crown Estates in Berbice, 1811 to 1818 - - - - - -	2
„ „	Royal Military Canal, 1820 to 1829 - - -	6
„ „	Spanish Prizes, 1810 - - - - -	1
	Carried forward - -	37

* Mr. Black's printed Report, (Seventh Report, App. II. No. 1,) page 24.

† Besides those here described as belonging to the Treasury Auditors, were found some few Documents much older, and of a different nature, which belong to classes already deposited at the Rolls House, viz.—"Consolidated Fund Papers," 1 bundle; various Financial Papers and Returns of old dates: all loose.

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	Bundles.
Brought forward	37
Consignments from St. Croix, &c., on account of Crop, 1808 to 1812	5
Danish and Dutch Loans, on account of Crop, 1813–1814	1
French Protestant Refugee Lay Committee, 1818 to 1826	6
Receiver of the Police Offices, 1810 to 1822	6
Scottish Harbours, 1816 to 1822, "and Supplementary Accounts for Roads and Bridges and Harbours, to 31 March 1824"	2
Speer's (Mr.) Accounts	21
Total, bundles	78

The following Documents were found loose:—

Correspondence and Papers relative to the Island of St. Croix.

Police Accounts and Vouchers of earlier date than those before mentioned.

The following bound Books were found with the Papers:—

"Danish and Dutch Loan, Proceedings of the Commissioners, St. Croix"	1 vol.
" " St. Croix, Register of Correspondence	2 "

We have ascertained that these Papers and Books, all which are more than 25 years old, are no longer useful to the Treasury Auditors, and may with propriety be transferred to the Record Office.

6. Connected with the foregoing, but found on the floor in the inner room beyond the kitchen, are the following bundles of Papers belonging to the Treasury Auditors, to which the same remark is applicable:—

	Bundles.
Vouchers of the Receivers of the Police Offices, viz., Mr. Reeves, 1792 to 1799; Mr. Baldwin, 1799 to 1822; Mr. Venables, 1822 to 1826; and one without designation	11
Accounts of the Royal Military Canal, 1810 to 1822	1
Vouchers of the French Protestant Refugee Committee, 1803 to 1807	1
Total, bundles	13

7. There are also in one of the rooms on the basement, in which the "Old Papers" first mentioned in this Report are kept, some boxes, chests, and packing-cases of Papers belonging to the Treasury Auditors; also the contents of three like receptacles that appear to have been broken up and removed. The following list exhibits their denominations, taken from the inscriptions painted or engraved on the outside of the several chests, &c.

Accounts and Vouchers of the under-mentioned Chief Clerks:—

	Chests.
Alcock's (Mr.) Accounts (not dated)	1
Alcock (J.), Esq., Vouchers to Accounts of, 1812 to 1815; Brooksbank (S.), Esq., ditto, 1821 to 1826	1
Brooksbank (T.), Esq., ditto, 1815 to 1820	1
Brooksbank's (Mr.) Accounts (not dated)	1
Cotton (W.), *see* Hoblyn.	
Crafer (Thomas), Esq., Papers relating to Accounts of, 1805 to 1835	1
Hoblyn (Thomas), Esq., and William Cotton, Esq., Vouchers to Accounts of, 1812 to 1829	1
West (Gilbert), Esq., ditto, 1820 to 1825	1
"Courts of Justice, England, 1815 to 1821, No. 1," and "No. 2" (so inscribed on brass plates)*	2
"Port of London Compensation, 1779 to 1824, Reports, Releases, &c., No. 2" (supposed to be part of Mr. Alcock's Accounts)	1
"Port of London Compensation;" contents of another chest, without a number, laid on floor	[1]
Treasury Auditors, Vouchers to Accounts of, 1795 to 1811	1
" " " 1810 to 1833	1
Venables (Mr.), Police Accounts, 1830 to 1835; contents of a chest laid on floor, and so labelled	[1]
Uninscribed chest of Papers	1
" contents of a chest, Jelf and others' Accounts, 1834, &c., laid on floor	[1]
Total, chests and chestfulls	16

There does not appear any objection to the removal of these Documents, none of them being now referred to for the current business of the Office; and with respect to the

* It is uncertain whether these two chests belonged to the Treasury Auditors or not.

"Port of London Compensation," the fellow chest, "No. 1," and many other chests of Documents similar to those here described, are already deposited at the Rolls House, as before-mentioned in this Report.

8. We now resume the consideration of the *Exchequer Fee Books*, which were briefly noticed in our Second Report. All the volumes that have been found prior to the year 1809, when they were first audited at the Treasury having been already placed in the Public Record Office, or recommended to be deposited there, and the Treasury Auditors being willing to transfer such of their Accounts and Papers as are no longer useful to them, we submit whether it may not be advisable to include, in this transfer of Papers, that portion of the Exchequer Fee Books which now remain at the Treasury, so that the whole series of these Books may be placed in one Repository. The following is a list of them :—

	Volumes.
Yearly Accounts of the Receiver of Exchequer Fees, from 1811 to 1828 (those for 1809 and 1810 being wanting) - - - -	18
Quarterly Accounts of the same, from April 1829 to October 1834 (the latest) - - - - - - - -	23
Total, volumes - -	41

At the same time, we venture to suggest that this transfer will be more complete if the *Reports of the Treasury Auditors*, which were made on those several accounts, be separated from the Registered Papers and attached to the volumes. If the transfer of those Reports be approved, they can easily be selected and transferred with the Books.

9. There are also two or three large chests of old *Solicitors' Papers* in the same room which contains the chests and boxes already described. As like chests of Solicitors' Papers are among those removed from the vault to the Rolls House in 1846, and as they all belong to a time prior to the establishment of the Solicitor's Office at the Treasury Chambers, it is presumed that they might be with greater propriety transferred with other old Papers than retained in the inconvenient place where they are now deposited.

It appears that there is, at the Rolls House, sufficient room *at present* to accommodate all the Records and Documents described in this Report, excepting the modern Registered Papers, from 1810 to 1815 ; and that, after greater progress shall have been made in the arrangement and stowage of the Papers now operated upon in that Office, there will *then* be space enough for the reception and arrangement of those also.

We conclude our labour, therefore, by recommending the transfer of the said Records and Documents to the Public Record Office, in such manner and by such instalments as may be most convenient to prevent confusion in that Department, and to insure ready access to them (if required) immediately after their removal, and we have only to add that, since our Second Report was presented, the under-mentioned volumes have been found, which ought to accompany those of the same series therein described, viz. :—

Department Books, Division 3, 1842 and 1843, 2 volumes ; making the total number of that Division 26, and of that denomination 172.

All which we humbly represent and submit to your consideration, and the determination of the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury.

Dated this 24th day of June 1852.

(Signed) WILLIAM HENRY BLACK,
WILLIAM THOMAS ADRIAN.
GEORGE CHANCE.

3.—Summary of Proceedings in the Public Record

OFFICES.	ARRANGEMENT, REPAIRS, &c.	REMOVALS.
ROLLS HOUSE.	Exchequer of Receipt:— Tellers' Vouchers (Receipts for Pensions)—Arrangement continued. Treasury Records:— Cleansing and arrangement continued. Slave Compensation Records:— Operations nearly completed. Welsh Records.— Duplicate Fines and Recoveries of the Chester Circuit; flattening and arrangement continued.	Treasury Chambers to Rolls House—The Treasury Fee Books, pursuant to Treasury Letter of 22 December 1851. One of the Under-Treasurer's Declaration Books, pursuant to Treasury Letter of 24 February 1852. 688 vols., pursuant to Treasury Minute of 30 January 1852; also divers Commissariat Papers. Irish Commissariat Records, pursuant to Treasury Letter of 12 June 1852, and Warrant of 28 June 1852. Office of the Commissioners for British, &c. Claims on France (5 Whitehall Place) to Rolls House—Divers Records, in addition to former transfers.
ROLLS CHAPEL.	Chancery:— Close Rolls:— Covering and indorsing; the indorsements now printed, whereby much labour saved. Various Membranes - - Damped. 25 - Mended. 2,011 - Sewed. 877 Privy Signet Records:— Arranged chronologically.	Abingdon Street to Rolls Chapel—Privy Signet Records, pursuant to Treasury Letter of 30 January, and Order of the Master of the Rolls of 14 Feb. 1852. House of Lords to Rolls Chapel—Parliament Rolls, 15 & 16 Vict. Enrolment Office to Rolls Chapel—Recognizance Rolls, 1836. Close Rolls, 1837, except Recognizance Rolls. Memorials of Annuities, 1837. Office of Clerks of Records and Writs to Rolls Chapel—64 Decrees and Dockets.
TOWER.	Chancery:— Inquisitions Post Mortem—Arrangement continued; 3,742 numbered and entitled; 17,836 arranged in portfolios; 5,711 cleaned and mended; 1,739 sewed. Inquisitions Ad Quod Damnum—7,246 numbered and entitled; 4,006 arranged ready for portfolios; 9,641 cleaned and mended; 4,230 sewed. Royal Letters—99 inlaid. Miscellaneous—Sortation commenced; 3,800 arranged in classes.	Carlton Ride to Tower—Charter Roll, 1 John, on 9 December 1852, pursuant to Warrant of the Master of the Rolls, dated 24 November 1852.
CHAPTER HOUSE.	Miscellaneous—Sorting into classes.	- - - -
CARLTON RIDE. *Mr. Hunter's Division.*	- - - - -	- - - -
Mr. Roberts' Division.	Queen's Bench:— Doggett Rolls—Flattening, mending, re-tieing at the head; 24 completed. Common Pleas:— Common Rolls—Dividing completed to George IV.;—960 more Rolls divided into 1,298 parts. Concords of Fines—Sorting and correcting, arranging, ticketing, and stamping, in progress; 49,843 stamped. Feet of Fines—Ric. I. to Hen. VIII., flattened; mending, arranging, and placing in cases, in progress: Edw. VI. and Philip and Mary, arranged: Elizabeth, in progress. The whole have been stamped. Exchequer—Queen's Remembrancer:— Bills and Answers—Arrangement completed; all placed in portfolios. Original Decrees—Arrangement completed to 1831; placed in portfolios. Miscellaneous—The whole sorted into classes, but will take some years to sub-sort.	Carlton Ride to Tower—Charter Roll, 1 John, on 9 December 1852, pursuant to Warrant of the Master of the Rolls, dated 24 November 1852. Queen's Bench:—Masters' Office to Carlton Ride—Certain outstanding Records. Exchequer:—Queen's Remembrancer's Office to Carlton Ride—Certain outstanding Records.

OFFICE, for the Year ended 31st December 1852.

INVENTORIES.	CALENDARS.	INDEXES.	FEES. Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Amount of Fees. £ s. d.
TREASURY RECORDS:— Military Establishments. Yearly Revenue Books. Draft Minutes (100 bundles). BRITISH, &c., CLAIMS ON FRANCE:— Vouchers of the Commissioners of Deposit and Award, in Tabular form.	- - - -	- - - -						
		Exchequer -	10	76	18	13	- -	7 19 0
- - - -	CHANCERY PROCEEDINGS (Common Law Side)—in progress.	CHANCERY:— CLOSE ROLLS—1824 and 1825 completed; 1827, 1832, 1834, 1836, and 1837 continued. DECREES—Entered up, 64. MEMORIALS OF ANNUITIES—1837 completed. PATENT ROLLS—Geo. IV. and to 4 Will. IV. completed. RECOGNIZANCE ROLLS, continued. SPECIFICATIONS—Entered up, 457 of 1835, 1836, and 1837.	725	1,149	185	135	9	314 12 0
- - - -	CHANCERY:— ROYAL LETTERS — 236 more done; proceedings suspended until the sortation of the Miscellaneous be completed. MISCELLANEOUS—1800 calendared.	- - - -	11	169	124	45	- -	48 17 6
- - - -	MISCELLANEOUS—750 more done, making in all 2,300.	INQUISITIONS POST MORTEM—Rough Index in progress.	70	200	91	24	- -	26 6 0
- - - -	EXCHEQUER: — MISCELLANEOUS of the QUEEN'S REMEMBRANCER —2,308 more done, making in all 85,692.	- - - -	- -	255	98	46	- -	33 3 0
EXCHEQUER—AUGMENTATION:— PARTICULARS FOR GRANTS — Edw. VI. completed as far as W.—Philip and Mary completed to part of R.	CHANCERY:— PATENT ROLLS—continued from 18 to 25 Hen VIII. EXCHEQUER OF PLEAS:— PLEA ROLLS—continued.	EXCHEQUER—AUGMENTATION:— PARTICULARS FOR GRANTS— Edw. VI.; Index from A to part of C done.						
		Q. Bench	34	38	12	9	- -	15 5 0
		C. Pleas	667	79	392	365	- -	116 10 0
		Exchequer	77	284	155	92	3	121 1 6
		Total -	1,594	2,250	1,075	729	12	683 14 6

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THE

FIFTEENTH REPORT

OF

THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY:—

PURSUANT to the Statute made and passed in the Session of Parliament held in the first and second year of Your Majesty's reign, entitled "An Act for Keeping Safely the Public Records," I, the undersigned Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, do hereby most humbly make my Fifteenth Report to Your Majesty, for the year beginning 1st January 1853, and ending 31st December 1853, up to which last-mentioned date this Report is made, except, however, so far as relates to certain particular transactions, herein-after quoted as being subsequent to the said 31st December 1853, which it becomes needful to notice. And, pursuing the plan adopted in my former Reports, I have arranged the matters hereby submitted to Your Majesty under three general heads; the tabular statement from which further details are to be collected being inserted in the Appendix hereto annexed.

I. Proceedings relating to the taking possession of Records, and also to Records not yet in the custody of the Master of the Rolls.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the regulations of the Statute.

III. General matters connected with the care and management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

I. PROCEEDINGS RELATING TO THE TAKING POSSESSION OF RECORDS, AND ALSO TO RECORDS NOT YET IN THE CUSTODY OF THE MASTER OF THE ROLLS.

1. *Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law, &c.*—The issue of Warrants for the transfer of the Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, as stated in previous Reports (Twelfth Report, I. § 1; Thirteenth Report, I. § 1; Fourteenth Report, I. § 1), continues to be suspended, in consequence of the impending removal of the Records into the New Repository (III. § 3). It has been ascertained that no inconvenience has resulted to the Officers of the Courts by reason of such suspension.

2. *Accruing Records of the Chancery and Parliament.*—These, according to ancient usage, have been transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and deposited in the Rolls Chapel, as after mentioned (II. § 27).

3. *Treasury Books and Records.*—The proceedings relative to the transfers of the Documents belonging to Your Majesty's Treasury into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, are fully detailed in very many preceding Reports (Fourth Report, I. § 1; Fifth Report, I. § 6; Sixth Report, I. § 2; Seventh Report, I. § 2, App. II. No. 1; Eighth Report, I. § 8, II. §§ 99, 100, App. I. Nos. 21—24 *a*, App. II. Nos. 11—11 *d*; Ninth Report, I. § 8, II. § 11; Tenth Report, I. § 8, II. § 16; Eleventh Report, II. § 40; Twelfth Report, II. § 41; Thirteenth Report, I. §§ 9, 10, II. § 36, App. No. 2 *a*; Fourteenth Report, I. § 4, II. § 28, App. I. Nos. 1 *a*—1 *c*, 2 *a*, 2 *b*.)

All these Documents were in the first instance deposited in the Rolls House under the charge of Mr. Black, who has resigned his situation as an Assistant Keeper, and the same were then placed in the charge of Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe, the Assistant Keepers in the Rolls Chapel Office. In the month of April 1853, the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury were pleased to transmit to the Master of the Rolls a Report of Messrs. Black, Adrian, and Chance, dated 29th April 1853, referring to their Second Joint Report, dated 2d April 1852, a copy of which Second Report is annexed to my Fourteenth Report (App. I. No. 1 *c.*), and their Lordships at the same time requested his Honour to take charge of the Documents, which by such Report are recommended to be transferred to his custody.

In pursuance of these communications, Mr. Holden, assisted by Mr. Lascelles, a Senior Officer of the Third Class, who had previously had the management of the Documents under Mr. Black, proceeded to the Treasury Chambers and having examined the Documents, they were, on the 13th May 1853, brought into the Rolls House and deposited, together with other Documents, of the like nature, in the second story of the building as after stated (II. § 30).

4. *Papers of the Solicitor to the Treasury.*—An account of these valuable papers is given in the Fourteenth Report (I. § 5), where it is stated that the rooms in which the boxes were placed were so encumbered that any accurate sortation was impracticable; furthermore, that for want of room in the habitable portion of the house, No. 10, Whitehall, where the Documents were then deposited, Mr. Burtt had been compelled to replace in the cellar the greater portion of the Documents brought from thence, and it was therefore proposed to obtain the authority of the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, for the purpose of removing them to some more convenient repository. It having been ascertained that the said Documents could for the present be deposited in the Chapter House Branch Record Office, a proposal for removing them thither was accordingly made on behalf of the Master of the Rolls to the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, who, by their letter of 6th July 1853, signified their assent to such proposal. The Master of the Rolls therefore, by his Warrant, dated 22d July, 1853, directed the same should be delivered into the charge of Mr. Devon and Mr. Burtt, the Assistant Keepers at the Chapter House, and the same are now deposited there in such manner as is stated in a subsequent portion of this Report (II. § 45).

5. *Admiralty Records.*—An account of the numerous and very bulky masses of Documents belonging to Your Majesty's Board of Admiralty, in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and the circumstances attending the transmission thereof into such his custody, are fully detailed in several preceding Reports (Second Report, I. § 5, II. § 3; Third Report, I. § 6; Fourth Report, III. § 2; Eighth Report, I. § 4, II. §§ 109, 116, App. I. Nos. 8, 9, and 17; Ninth Report, II. § 16, App. I. No. 13; Tenth Report, I. § 7, II. § 4; Eleventh Report, I. § 4, II. § 2; Twelfth Report, I. § 5, II. § 2; Thirteenth Report, I. § 3; Fourteenth Report, I. § 6). In the Fourteenth Report, in particular, will be found a notice of the correspondence between the Accountant-General of the Navy and the Master of the Rolls, as to the reception of the Documents in the New Repository. In consequence of this correspondence, the Accountant-General of the Navy, by his letter of the 21st February 1854, transmitted a statement showing the number of books, papers, &c., proposed to be forwarded from the Five Departments of the Admiralty in Somerset House to the new Repository of Records, as soon as the same shall be ready to receive them, and also showing the space required for future accumulation to the effect set forth in a subsequent section of this Report (III. § 1.)

6. *Claims of American Loyalists.*—In pursuance of a correspondence between the Home Office and the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, (Fourteenth Report, I. § 9,) the latter, by their minute of the 21st June 1853, were pleased to move Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department to instruct the Keeper of Your Majesty's State Papers to transfer fifteen rolls of Reports of Commissioners on American Claims, dated between 1784 and 1788, to the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, to be deposited in the Public Record Department, together with the other Documents relating to the same subject, which had been already transferred to this Department by directions of their Lordships' Honourable Board; and his Honour having by his warrant, 2d July 1853, authorized the Deputy

Keeper to take possession of the same, the fifteen rolls have been, and now are deposited in the Rolls House, under the charge of Messrs. Holden and Sharpe, in such manner as hereinafter mentioned (II. § 30). The following is a list thereof:—

List of Fifteen Reports, with Schedules attached, removed from the State Paper Office to the Public Record Department, pursuant to a Treasury Minute, dated 21*st June* 1853.

1. 1784, August 10.—1st Report of John Wilmot, Esq., Daniel Parker Coke, Esq., Colonel Robert Kingston, Colonel Thomas Dundas, and John Marsh, Esq., Commissioners appointed under the Act of 25 Geo. 3. for inquiring into the losses and services of American Loyalists in America. A Schedule of the Claims and an alphabetical index attached.
2. 1784, December 23.—2d Report of same Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached.
3. 1785, May 19.—3d Report of same Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached.
4. 1785, July 12.—4th Report of same Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached.
5. 1786.—5th Report of the Commissioners on American Loyalist Claims, being the Report of John Wilmot, Colonel Robert Kingston, John Marsh, and Robert Mackenzie; with a Schedule of the Claims attached.
6. 1786, July 25.—6th Report by the last-named Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached.
7. 1786, December 23.—7th Report by the same Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached.
   This Report is erroneously dated 1787, but the Schedule is correctly dated 1786.
8. 1787, March 24.—8th Report by the same Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached.
9. 1787, July 20.—9th Report by the same Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached.
10. 1787, December 26.—10th Report by the same Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached.
11. 1788, April 5.—11th Report by the same Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached.
12. 1786, June 10.—1st Report of Colonel Thomas Dundas, and Jeremy Pemberton, appointed Commissioners for American Claims in Nova Scotia, with a Schedule of the Claims attached (from Halifax).
13. 1786, September 30.—2d Report of the same Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached (from Halifax).
14. 1788, January 24.—4th Report of the same Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached (from Montreal).
15. 1788, June 5.—5th Report of the same Commissioners, with a Schedule of the Claims attached (from Montreal).

7. *Census Papers.*—Various communications having taken place between Your Majesty's Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and the Master of the Rolls (Seventh Report, I. § 3; Eighth Report, I. § 5; Thirteenth Report, I. § 6;) concerning the receipt into this Department of certain Census Papers which could not be conveniently retained by the Registrar-General, he, by his letter of 30th January 1854, requested his Honour to receive into his charge the several Census Books of the years 1841 and 1851, denominated the "Enumerators Books," the same being severally deposited in the vaults under the House of Commons and in the Census Office in Craig's Court. The Registrar-General proposed, in the first instance, that the Documents should be stowed in the New Repository without waiting for the completion of the fittings, but this course not appearing expedient it was agreed that, for the present, the removal should not extend beyond the Documents in the Office in

Craig's Court, and that they should be deposited in the Branch Record Office in the Chapter House, Westminster. It was further agreed that the Documents should be delivered in stout boxes adapted for the temporary preservation thereof, and that when the same should be removed into the New Repository, the Officers under the direction of the Registrar-General should attend and assist in finally arranging the books upon the presses. These Enumerators Books will hereafter acquire great historical and legal value, inasmuch as they contain the particulars respecting each individual noticed in the "Householders' Schedules;" they constitute as complete a nomenclature for the whole population of Great Britain as human industry could frame. They have been deposited in such manner as is herein-after mentioned (II. § 46.)

8. *State Paper Office.*—The proceedings relating to the consolidation of Your Majesty's State Paper Office with the Record Department appear in preceding Reports (Tenth Report, I. § 9, App. I. No. 1; Thirteenth Report, I. § 13, App. No. 1; Fourteenth Report, III. § 3). Further communications have been had with the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury upon this subject, and pursuant to the directions of the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, the Deputy Keeper has made a Report to him thereon, 30th July 1853, in which Report, amongst other matters, a full account is given of the various Government Documents now in the actual charge of the Master of the Rolls. This Report was transmitted by His Honour, 11th January 1854, to the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, and copies thereof have also been transmitted to Your Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, to the Keeper of State Papers, and to the State Paper Commissioners.

9. *Chester Records.*—Much information concerning these Records, as well as relating to the proceedings arising out of the wish expressed by the County Magistrates to retain them in a local repository in Chester Castle, will be found in preceding Reports (First Report, App. No. 31, I. 1 (1), II. 1, 2; Fourth Report, I. § 6; Seventh Report, I. § 6, App. I. Nos. 10 to 18; Eighth Report, App. I. Nos. 18 and 28; Ninth Report, II. § 10, App. I. No. 11; Thirteenth Report, I. § 12, App. Nos. 3 *a* and *b*; Fourteenth Report, II. § 12). Further communications have taken place, of which the result has been that the Master of the Rolls is of opinion that if the County Magistrates should think fit to try the experiment of a temporary Keepership or local Custos, whom they should appoint (with the approval of the Master of the Rolls) at the expense of the County, there might be no objection to the plan; though it was his opinion that the Records of Chester, like all the other outlying Records in Wales and the Palatinates of Durham and Ely, must ultimately be concentrated in the New Repository. This opinion was communicated to Sir Edward Cust as Chairman of the Committee of the Magistrates, 5th August 1853, but no further communications have been received.

10. *Welsh Records: Records of the Great Sessions of the Counties of Caernarvon, Anglesey, and Merioneth.*—Various proceedings relating to the building at Caernarvon, in which Records of the suppressed Court of the Great Sessions of Caernarvon, Anglesey, and Merioneth are deposited, will be found in preceding Reports (Seventh Report, I. § 8; Eighth Report, I. § 7.)

A communication has been received from Mr. Poole, Clerk of the Peace for Caernarvon, 29th January 1853, to the effect that the Magistrates had decided on pulling down the whole of the old building, and re-erecting a new one on its site; and in the said letter, the plans and elevation of the said building were transmitted to the Master of the Rolls. And the Papers having been laid before the Master of the Rolls, his Honour, 29th June 1853, replied that, before any of the Records of the late Court of Great Sessions were deposited in the new building, it would probably be needful that the same should be surveyed and reported upon by some proper person on his behalf; but no further communication has been received of the progress of the building.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the Regulations of the Statute.

Carlton Ride; and Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.

Records of the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas, and of the Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer; Equity Records of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Revenue Side of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Palace Court; &c.—(Assistant Keepers, the Rev. Joseph Hunter, Mr. Roberts, and Mr. Nelson.)

Mr. Hunter's Division.

1. *Business of the Division.*—The ordinary business of this Division appears from the tabular summary (App.).

2. *Queen's Remembrancer's Miscellaneous Records.*—When Mr. Hunter first entered upon his duties with respect to these most valuable Records, he found them in the utmost confusion, without any Calendar; and the task of bringing them into order, which has been described in every preceding Report (First Report, II. § 4; Second Report, II. § 22; Third Report, II. § 2; Fourth Report, II §§ 2, 5, 8; Fifth Report, II. § 4; Sixth Report, II. § 2; Seventh Report, II. § 69; Eighth Report, II. § 78; Ninth Report, II. § 27; Tenth Report, II. § 22; Eleventh Report, II. § 14; Twelfth Report, II. § 13; Thirteenth Report, II. § 22; Fourteenth Report, II. § 17;) has been performed solely by himself, without assistance from any one, excepting those officers who have worked under his immediate direction. When Mr. Hunter entered on these operations, he laid it down as a principle that the proper course of proceeding was, (1) the cleansing and repairing of the Documents, many of which were in a state of great decay; (2) the ascertaining and forming a written description of each Document, or set of Documents; (3) the throwing these descriptions into the class into which he found these Miscellanea, as they had been called, admitted of being distributed, and required to be distributed to make them serviceable, and which has been laid before Your Majesty (First Report, App. Nos. 33 and 34 *a*); (4) to revise the descriptions by comparison with the Documents, with the further lights and advantages which the familiarity with these had given him; and lastly, to digest them in properly constructed Calendars. The Documents which had been cleaned, covered, entitled, and their nature ascertained and described, and placed temporarily in boxes previously to the preparation of more suitable repositories to receive them, as returned in my last Report to Your Majesty, were in number 85,692, many of the units being made up of divers instruments, each requiring a particular notice. To this number there has been added 1,527 in the course of the year, consisting almost wholly of fragmentary matter, portions of Documents, often of value, but occasionally only of small importance. Whenever practicable, Mr. Hunter has brought these fragments together and united them into one roll. If not containing a date, Mr. Hunter has endeavoured to assign a date on such evidence as the Document afforded, and by comparison with others. In both these operations, needing great intelligence, patience, and knowledge, Mr. Hunter has proceeded with due caution; and he has also endeavoured to steer a course between leaving fragmentary portions apparently almost worthless without descriptions, and leaving unascertained and undescribed things which might turn out to be of some value, and worthy to be placed individually in the Calendar to be ultimately formed.

But as the business of ascertainment drew toward a close, the distribution of the descriptions in their classes according to Mr. Hunter's proposed classification, which had gone on almost *pari passu* with the ascertainment in the early stages when there were fewer interruptions, was resumed, and considerable progress has been made therein. Mr. Hunter has begun also another work of arrangement, namely, that of the Documents themselves. This has been done in part from time to time, but it is necessary to pursue it through classes not before distributed, as a part of the preparation for the orderly arrangement of these Documents.

3. *Calendars.*—In the last stage, the revising the descriptions and digesting them in a Calendar for public use, the Calendar of the Escheators' matter for the City of London, from Henry V. to Richard III. inclusive, and for the counties of Oxford and Berks, from Richard II. to 12-13 Henry VI., has been completed in the present year.

The Documents, chiefly fragments, or pieced fragments, which form the 1527 above noticed, are of the following reigns :—

Henry II.	1	Henry VIII.	397
Henry III.	1	Edward VI.	40
Edward I.	76	Philip and Mary	12
Edward II.	15	Elizabeth	193
Edward III.	44	James I.	91
Richard II.	53	Charles I.	235
Henry IV.	19	Interregnum	5
Henry V.	11	Charles II.	106
Henry VI.	87	Anne	2
Edward IV.	25	George II.	3
Richard III.	2	George III.	2
Henry VII.	36	Undetermined	71
			1,527

Mr. Roberts' Division.

4. *Business of the Division.*—The public business transacted, and Fees received during the past year, have been as follows :—

Fees received from 1st January to 31st December, 1853.

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Net Amount of Fees.	Total.
						£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Common Pleas, and Palace and Marshalsea Courts	649	-	-	-	-	32 9 0	—
	-	95	-	-	-	4 15 0	—
	-	-	352	-	-	47 13 6	—
	-	-	-	333	-	38 4 6	—
							123 2 0
Queen's Bench	68	-	-	-	-	3 8 0	—
	-	92	-	-	-	4 12 0	—
	-	-	36	-	-	18 10 0	—
	-	-	-	21	-	12 16 6	—
	-	-	-	-	1	2 2 0	—
							41 8 6
Exchequer	79	-	-	-	-	3 19 0	—
	-	283	-	-	-	14 3 0	—
	-	-	203	-	-	67 13 0	—
	-	-	-	102	-	40 12 0	—
							126 7 0
Total for 1853	796	470	591	456	1	- -	290 17 6
Total for 1852	778	401	559	466	3	- -	252 16 6
Increase in 1853							£38 1 0

It will be seen from the above Table that the sum taken in this Division in Fees in 1853 is 38*l.* 1*s.* above the amount of 1852, notwithstanding the diminution which has been caused in the receipts by persons who have availed themselves of the permission granted by the Master of the Rolls for the gratuitous use of the Records as "Literary Inquirers."

5. *Receipts or Transfers of Records.—Exchequer of Pleas.*—On the 24th June 1853 a large mass of Records were brought from the Exchequer of Pleas Office to Carlton Ride, pursuant to Warrant dated 27th May 1853, as stated in the Fourteenth Report (I. § 1 ; II. § 2.) The following is an alphabetical list of the Documents so received :—

CLASS.	DATE.
Affidavits of Increase - -	M. 1830 to M. 1832.
Affidavits used on Motions - -	M. 1830 to M. 1832.
Affidavits of Service - -	H. 1841 to Jan. 1845.
Appearance Files - - -	H. 1841 to M. 1844.
Appearance Books - -	H. 1841 to M. 1844.
Bail Files, Series I. (called Black) -	M. 1837 to T. 1838.
Ditto, Series II. (called Special) -	M. 1837 to M. 1842.
Bills of Costs (Taxed) - -	H. 1838 to M. 1844.
Cognovits - - -	Nov. 1830 to Dec. 1831.
Cognovits and Warrants of Attorneys	Jan. to Dec. 1832.
Declarations - - -	H. 1841 to M. 1844.
Ditto, remaining in the Office, Indexes to	H. 1841 to M. 1844.
Dockets of Judgments (Books) -	M. 1830 to M. 1832.
Ejectments and Affidavits of Service -	M. 1830 to M. 1832.
Judgment or Memoranda Rolls -	M. 1830 to M. 1832.
Præcipes for Issuing Writs of Summons - - -	H. 1841 to M. 1846.
Præcipe Books, called "Quo Minus" and "Venire facias" - -	M. 1830 to M. 1832.
Rule Books - - -	M. 1830 to M. 1832.
Term Papers - - -	M. 1830 to M. 1832.
Warrants of Attorney - -	Nov. 1830 to Jan. 1832.
Writs (returned) Index Books -	H. 1843 to E. 1845.
Writs returned (small) - -	H. 1841 to M. 1843.
Ditto ditto - -	H. 1844 to E. 1845.
Writs returned (large) - -	H. 1841 to M. 1842.

Inventories, &c.

6. *Depositions* (*Exchequer, Queen's Remembrancer*).—The Index Books of the Depositions have been collated with the original Documents, and proper descriptive tickets, printed in the office, are attached to each set of proceedings. About 1,497 sets of Depositions have been done to the 39th Elizabeth; and it is expected that this reign will be speedily completed.

7. *Particulars for Grants* (*Exchequer*).—The Inventory and Indexes of these Documents have been repeatedly noticed in my preceding Reports (Seventh Report, II. § 60; Eighth Report, II. § 62; Ninth Report, II. § 58; Tenth Report, II. § 39; Eleventh Report, II. § 31; Twelfth Report, II. § 30; Thirteenth Report, II. § 13; Fourteenth Report, II. § 12.) They have been continued as follows:—

Edward VI.—The Inventory for the reign of Edward VI., which, in the Fourteenth Report (II. § 12), was stated to have been made to the letter W., has been completed to the end of the reign. The Documents have been tied up in parcels, with descriptive tickets of contents on each, and placed in portfolios.

The Indexes of persons and places for this reign have been continued from the middle of letter C. to the middle of letter H.

Philip and Mary.—The Inventory for the reign of Philip and Mary, which in the Fourteenth Report (II. § 12) was stated to have been made to part of letter R., has been completed to the end of the reign; and Indexes of persons and places for the whole of the reign have been made. The Documents have been tied up in parcels, with descriptive ticket of contents on each, and placed in portfolios.

Elizabeth.—The Inventory for the reign of Elizabeth has been made to the middle of letter K., with Indexes of persons and places to the same, the plan having been adopted of making the Index concurrently with the Inventory.

Miscellaneous.—A variety of miscellaneous Particulars for Grants (the Grantee and date of many of which do not appear) have also been sorted, numbered, ticketed, and inventoried, with Indexes of persons and places for the same, by Messrs. Hunt and Turner.

These Indexes will be found highly useful in all searches relating to Real Property, whether monastic or otherwise, derived by Grant from the Crown.

The Particulars being the foundation of the Grants frequently convey more information than is found in the Patents which were issued pursuant thereto. They also furnish a sufficient clue for discovering the Patents themselves.

8. *Calendar of the Patent Rolls.*—The pressure of current business has retarded this most useful work (Second Report, App. II. No. 7; Eighth Report, II. § 90; Ninth Report, II. § 6, 24, App. II. Nos. 1 and 8; Tenth Report, II. §§ 9, 14; Eleventh Report, II. §§ 8, 12; Twelfth Report, II. §§ 16, 37; Thirteenth Report, II. § 19; Fourteenth Report, II. § 14.) Mr. Gairdner, however, has completed the draft as far as the 29 Henry VIII., and a large portion being sufficiently perfected to be fit for ordinary consultation, it is intended to deposit the same in the Rolls Chapel Office for the use of the Public. The want of Indexes of Places, which will require some time to prepare, will be not inadequately supplied by the Indexes to the Particulars for Grants (II. § 7.) And the Calendar is so clear and full as to be a perfectly useable abstract of the Roll, not omitting any matter primarily useful to the Searcher; so that, for many practical purposes, it will not unfrequently satisfy the inquirer, without resorting to the original. These reasons have induced the Master of the Rolls to direct that the Calendar in question should be rendered accessible, as affording assistance to a considerable extent, until the means can be found of placing a sufficient number of competent Officers to work thereon when the Establishment shall be located in the New Repository.

Repairs, Arrangements, &c.

Queen's Bench.

9. *Doggett Rolls.*—The operations of flattening, repairing, and re-tieing of these Rolls (Fourteenth Report, II. § 3) have been proceeded with, and 36 Rolls finished. The whole series would have been completed during the year, but from a diminution of force, two of the workmen having been removed to the Rolls House.

Common Pleas.

10. *Early Feet of Fines.* (Rich. I. to Rich. III. in counties.)—The operations on these Records, noticed in several preceding Reports (Ninth Report, II. § 43; Tenth Report, II. § 31; Eleventh Report, II. § 22; Twelfth Report, II. § 23; Thirteenth Report, II. § 4; Fourteenth Report, II. § 5) have been continued, and 9,328 Documents have been flattened, guarded, mended when necessary, and stamped, and are in course of being placed in cases. The County of Kent is completed, and the Counties of London and Middlesex, and Norfolk, are in hand and nearly finished.

11. *Modern Feet of Fines.* (Edward VI. to William IV., in terms.)—The operations upon these Records have been continued, and 89,216 Documents flattened and stamped, whereof 50,481 have been arranged in 3,506 parcels, according to counties, in alphabetical order, and placed in portfolios. A great portion thereof has been collated with the Index, and mended or repaired when required. The series is completed to 19th Elizabeth. The first seven years of George II., and from 1 George III., to William IV. are also finished.

12. *Concords of Fines.*—The operations on these Records, detailed in the previous Report (Fourteenth Report, II. § 7), have been continued, and 146,076 Documents have been cleaned and stamped. These have been sorted and connected in their respective suits forming 48,821 suits, and repaired when needful. The reigns of George IV. and William IV. have been finished, and placed in portfolios. The reign of George III. is in hand, and for want of portfolios the Documents are being packed in parcels between mill-boards.

13. *Recovery Rolls.*—The work done on this much used and valuable series of Records has constituted a considerable item in the labours of the year. The Rolls are very large, containing both recoveries and enrolments of deeds, with many plans and maps. The Rolls have been cleaned, the membranes and maps repaired (where necessary), re-bound at the head, and placed flat in strong vellum covers. Those from 13 George I. to 10 George IV. are very nearly completed, and arranged in chronological order. Of that portion of the series previous to 13 George I., some Rolls have at various times in past years been laid flat, and placed in vellum covers, but about 450 Rolls still remain in their

original state. This difference of form necessarily and most inconveniently occasions a division of the series, the flattened Rolls being susceptible of immediate location in their proper places, whilst those which are circular are necessarily separated and deposited elsewhere. Mr. Roberts proposes, therefore, to proceed as quickly as possible with these Rolls, and hopes to have the whole flattened and placed in covers during the current year, so that the whole series may be arranged together in continuous and chronological order.

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14. *Bills and Answers.*—The works upon these Documents have been continued (Tenth Report, II. § 34; Eleventh Report, II. § 27; Twelfth Report, II. § 26; Thirteenth Report, II. § 7; Fourteenth Report, II. § 8), and many more reduced into accessible order. Entries have been made on slips of such miscellaneous Bills and Answers as were not found entered in the Bill Books, comprising about 6,680 Documents, which have been laid down in alphabetical order, and bound in a large volume as additional index.

15. *Depositions and Commissions.*—Very many miscellaneous Documents of this class have been collated with the Deposition Books, and a list made of those not previously entered therein, describing the property, &c. The number whereof such list has been made is 1,541. The work is still in progress.

16. *Original Orders*, from 1788 to 1829.—The Records of this series, noticed as not being completed in a previous Report (Fourteenth Report, II. § 9), have been cleaned, laid flat, tied in parcels in terms, and packed in portfolios, with proper tickets thereto.

17. *Original Decrees and Orders.*—A large number of these Records were discovered out of their proper places, among the Miscellaneous in the loft (Fourteenth Report, II. § 11), and they have been sorted into years and terms, and arranged in about 17,000 suits, as supplementary to the regular series. Many have been mended, and the documents are placed in portfolios. The whole are nearly completed.

18. *Pipe Rolls.*—Although the Rolls of this magnificent series of Records, extending from Stephen to George IV., are on the whole in a fine state of preservation, yet there are very few Rolls, if any, which do not, more or less, require repair. As the repair of such Records is a work of great importance, Mr. Roberts has been anxious to commence it, although much progress could not be expected, unless two or three workmen could be constantly engaged thereon; but, during the past year, only one man could be occasionally spared for this purpose. Twelve Rolls of the reign of Henry II. have, however, been thoroughly repaired, and a parchment fly-leaf added to each for further protection.

19. *Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's and Pipe Records (Miscellaneous).*—The arrangement of this very large mass of Records, as Mr. Roberts found them, appeared to him to be so unsatisfactory, that he determined to try what beneficial alteration could be effected therein. The Documents have been closely packed in very large packages, according to their size and form; *e. g.*, those of single membranes sewn at the head, in one package; those of double membranes sewn at the head, in another; those of consecutive membranes in a third; and those in book form, in a fourth; and consequently the Records relating to one subject are very inconveniently distributed through a variety of packages. To correct these inconveniences, Mr. Roberts proceeds from class to class, collecting them. Thus the Records relating to the *Wardrobe*, whether of the Master, Keeper, or Cofferer, &c., of the Wardrobe, have been brought together from the various packages in which they were distributed; the rough lists previously made have been examined and corrected, or new ones made containing the dates and the names of the Accountants.

The Records relating to the Chamberlain and Paymaster, &c., of the *Household* have been collected and arranged in the same manner; and thus the Documents relating to either of these subjects can at once be placed before an inquirer. This work has occupied a considerable time, but the result is satisfactory; and, whenever opportunity shall admit of it, Mr. Roberts believes it will be very advantageous to proceed in the same manner through the whole mass.

20. *Miscellaneous Volumes.*—Upwards of fifty volumes of Records belonging to this Department (many of them very large) have been strongly re-bound, as the Doggett Books (Queen's Bench and Exchequer), Final Judgments' Books, (Queen's Bench), &c. Also eighteen volumes have been re-bound, and four repaired, belonging to the Court of Wards and Liveries, from the Chapter House.

This branch of work is of the highest importance; for it must be remembered that these Volumes are *Records*, and therefore could not properly be sent out to the Stationery Office, or elsewhere, to be bound. But the force of the Establishment is inadequate to its needs in this respect. The minor operations in sorting, arranging, cleaning, flattening, and repairing, making and correcting lists, &c., are too numerous to be here detailed, but they have all been stated in the monthly returns of work; and the results are found in the Tabular Summary. (App.)

21. *Tabular Summaries of Records.*—Mr. Roberts has continued the general "Conspectus" of the Records in this Repository, and also amended and added to the Divisions of it previously made (Thirteenth Report, II. § 20; Fourteenth Report, II. § 15.) The Divisions of the Exchequer belonging to the Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's and Pipe Offices, and to the First Fruits and Tenths, have been finished; that of the Augmentation Office is still in progress, and the last. Mr. Roberts has executed this very useful work with great accuracy and clearness.

Tower of London.

Records of the Chancery, Admiralty, &c.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. Hardy.)

22. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division, for which fees are paid, has been as follows:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Fees. £	s.	d.
1853.								
January -	1	19	6	- -	- -	4	18	0
February - -	1	9	5	19	- -	4	14	0
March - -	- -	1	16	- -	- -	4	9	6
April - - -	1	11	3	- -	-	1	0	6
May - -	- -	11	8	2	- -	10	10	0
June - - -	- -	6	6	- -	- -	1	2	0
July - -	1	18	9	3	1	6	8	6
August - -	3	26	7	1	- -	1	19	0
September -	2	27	48	45	- -	19	13	6
October - -	- -	45	19	3	- -	5	11	6
November -	- -	3	13	13	- -	7	11	0
December - -	32	4	41	27	- -	22	19	0
Total - -	41	180	181	113	1	90	16	6

23. *Inquisitions Post Mortem and Ad quod Damnum.*—The new arrangement of the Inquisitions Post Mortem and Ad quod Damnum mentioned in former Reports (Fourth Report, II. §§ 44, 45; Fifth Report, II. §§ 25, 26; Sixth Report, II. §§ 70, 71; Seventh Report, II. §§ 14, 15; Eighth Report, II. §§ 105, 106; Ninth Report, II. §§ 17, 18; Tenth Report, II. § 5; Eleventh Report. II. § 3; Twelfth Report, II. § 2; Thirteenth Report, II. § 28; Fourteenth Report, II. § 23) is now completed. These Documents are placed in books to the end of the reign of Richard II.; from that time to the period when the Tower Series terminates, they are arranged in portfolios according to a useful plan suggested by Mr. Sanders, an Officer of the third class in this Department, and noticed in a previous Report (Thirteenth Report, II. § 28). Mr. Hardy considers the plan thus adopted as very satisfactory. In the past year 9,838 of these instruments have been entitled, &c., and put into the portfolios in question.

24. *Miscellaneous Records.*—Mr. Hardy has continued the arrangement, repair, and calendaring of the very curious Miscellaneous Records (Fourteenth Report, II. § 25,) consisting of Petitions to the King in Council, Petitions to Parliament, Writs of various kinds, &c. Several thousands have been sorted according

to their nature; the undated Documents are arranged alphabetically, and those with dates are arranged chronologically; of these, 11,740 instruments have been flattened, cleaned, and repaired; 6,123 stitched in parcels of ten preparatory to binding them in boards, and twenty parcels put into boards; of this number, 552 have been calendared, and 3,759 sorted and arranged.

25. *Government Searches, &c.*—The Searches for the Cathedral and Channel Islands' Commissions have been very extensive, and much time has been consumed in attending to literary inquiries.

Rolls Chapel Office.

Records of the Chancery, Privy Signet, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe.)

26. *Business of the Division.*—The Business of this Division appears in the following statement:—

Summary of Business done for which Fees have been received:

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies and Quantity.	Authentications and Quantity.	Attendances.	Fees.
1853.			Folios.	Folios.		£ s. d.
January	63	113	21= 506	14= 260	3	25 9 0
February	91	186	18= 461	6= 206	1	26 0 0
March	64	104	24= 996	8= 258	—	38 5 0
April	52	95	13= 454	10= 285	—	24 1 6
May	64	149	16= 438	5= 226	—	22 14 0
June	61	179	20= 565	18= 486	1	32 16 0
July	40	74	10= 269	6= 78	—	12 5 6
August	48	104	19= 243	11= 202	—	18 15 6
September	30	97	22= 415	16= 380	—	23 5 6
October	55	87	19= 594	7= 284	—	27 14 0
November	59	179	35= 917	9= 239	—	34 9 6
December	57	192	16= 434	3= 74	3	19 0 0
Total	684	1,459	233=6,292	113=2,978	8	304 15 6

The Composition fee of five shillings for a general inspection of Documents upon one subject during one week has been available in twenty-one Searches and 505 Inspections.

Summary of Business done for which no Fees have been received:—

Seventeen Literary Inquirers occupied 133 days in searching and inspecting 638 Documents and taking copies in pencil.

For the Colonial Office, Copy of Letters Patent erecting the Bishopric of Nova Scotia, Pat. 27 Geo. 3, p. 7, n. 2, 26 folios.

For the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions by Mr. Woodcroft and his Agents, searching Indices, seventy-two Inspections, sixteen copies consisting of 553 folios and five sets of drawings.

For the Lord Chancellor by the direction of the Master of the Rolls; General search for all Grants or Charters of Incorporation containing licences to hold Real Estates in Mortmain and Special Licenses in Mortmain granted in the years 1832, 1833, and 1834, and supplying extracts.

The demands upon the time of the Officers in this Department for the purpose of attending to Literary Inquirers, and also for Government services, have been considerable. In addition to the business of the Rolls Chapel Office, the Documents in the Rolls House, heretofore in the charge of Mr. Black, have been placed under the charge of Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe; the business is nevertheless transacted by Mr. Lascelles and Mr. Knight, as before (Fourteenth Report, II. § 28), but all Copies required from the Rolls House are authenticated by Mr. Holden or Mr. Sharpe, Messrs. Lascelles and Knight not being authorised, under the provisions of the Act, to authenticate Documents.

27. *Transmissions of Records.*—According to the ancient course of the Chancery, the following Records have been transmitted into this Office, during the year, viz.:—

From the Enrolment Office:—

The Recognizance Rolls of 1837, (two parts).
The Close Rolls of 1838, consisting of 199 parts.
The Recognizance Rolls of 1838 (2 parts).
Twelve monthly Bundles of Memorials of Grants of Life Annuities of 1838.

From the Petty Bag Office:—

The Patent Rolls of 5 Will. IV. consisting of 22 parts.
22 bundles of Privy Seal Warrants and Signed Bills of 5 Will. IV.

From the Office of the Clerks of Records and Writs:—

The Enrolments of 54 Decrees in Chancery, together with the Docquets.

The above-mentioned Records have been arranged and deposited in their proper places. Moreover, in further pursuance of the arrangement that Mr. Holden should take charge of Mr. Black's Department, he effected the troublesome removal of the Documents noticed in the Fourteenth Report (I. § 4,) and also in the present Report (I. § 3, II. § 30).

28. *Arrangements, Repairs, Indexes, &c.*—All the Indexes which have been made of late years to the modern Rolls have been bound, and a great number of the ancient Indexes, which were much injured by constant use, have been carefully inlaid and otherwise repaired. These operations remain in progress, but the reparation of the old Indexes is a very delicate and tedious operation, requiring much time and attention. Some of the ancient Indexes have also been bound. Mr. Holden has been employed upon the Enrolments of the Decrees in Chancery, transmitted in the shape of membranes by the Clerks of Records and Writs. These he has made up into Rolls, adding the usual marginal notes and numbers, and he has made up the Docquets in corresponding bundles. He has also continued indexing the Deeds enrolled on the Close Rolls, upon which the Clerks have also been working, under his superintendence. The Rolls thus operated upon are of the years 1826, 1827 1834, and 1835.

Mr. Sharpe has proceeded with a Calendar to the Proceedings on the Common Law Side of the Court of Chancery; and he has also made and superintended the making of Copies of the alphabetical Indexes to the Patent Rolls of the reigns of Edward VI. and Philip and Mary, and the first five years of James I. Mr. Sharpe, besides performing his duties at this office, has also given attendance at the Tower and Chapter House, when needed by the absences of the Assistant Keepers placed in charge of those Departments.

Mr. Holden's time has also been much employed, under the direction of the Deputy Keeper, in matters connected with the New Repository, and the supply and measurements of the Presses and Fixtures, and otherwise in aiding the Deputy Keeper relating to the same.

Further details of the repairs, &c., appear in the Tabular Summary. (App.)

ROLLS HOUSE.

Pell Records, and other Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer, late in the Custody of the Comptroller-General, &c.; Treasury Records; Slave Registration and Slave Compensation Records; Welsh Records; &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe.)

29. *Business of the Division.*—The business of this Division, arrangement of the Records, and all matters concerning this Division continue to be conducted by Mr. Lascelles and Mr. Knight, who, when needed, receive instructions from the Assistant Keepers in charge. The amount of business for which fees are paid will appear from the Tabular Summary. (App.) Much time has been occupied in Government business, and also in attending to Literary Inquirers. During the greatest portion of the year the efforts of the Officers of this Branch have been principally directed to the disposal of all unsorted Documents into such systems of arrangement, whether temporary or final, as will make them readily accessible to the uses of the public, previous to their removal into the New Repository, and in such a manner also as to facilitate such removal. The miscellaneous contents of this Division render such a proceeding almost imperative, in order to avoid confusion, otherwise inevitable; and to carry out the plan, Mr. Lascelles found it became necessary to re-examine the contents of the whole office, to assign to everything a place, and to come to a final decision

relative to all Documents which may have been treated as miscellaneous, or set aside for future consideration. These proceedings, in addition to the current business of the office, have left little time for making Calendars or Indexes.

30. *Transfers.*—The following Transfers of Records have been effected in the past year: one of them of considerable bulk and importance, viz., the Transfer from the Treasury Chambers of Records which comprise Treasury Books of Entry, Books of the Revenue Department, Books of the Bill Department, and Miscellaneous, as mentioned in the Fourteenth Report (I. § 4). On the 10th May 1853 an official survey was made, in a room on the basement at the Treasury, of certain Treasury Records recommended for removal from thence to the Public Record Office, in such manner as is mentioned in the Fourteenth Report (I. § 4). On the 13th of May following, the removal was effected (I. § 3) and by the 18th the whole were placed in order in various rooms on the second story of the Rolls House.

The following is a list of the Records so removed, according to the schedule thereof transmitted hither prior to their removal:—

Minute Books, 1667 to 1672, and 1689 to 1800, 75 vols.
Money Books, 1676 to 1797, 61 vols.
King's Warrant Books, 1678-9 to 1800, 78 vols.
Warrant Books not relating to money, 1679 to 1800, 41 vols.
Customs' Books, 1681 to 1800, 33 vols.
Letter Books, 1682 to 1800, 45 vols.
Irish Books, 1683-4 to 1795, 14 vols.
Tax Books, 1703-4 to 1798, 9 vols.
North Britain Books, 1707 to 1797, 25 vols.
Patent Books, 1761 to 1793, 3 vols.
Wood Books, 1773 to 1797, 2 vols.
Auditors' States of Account, 1776 to 1800, 7 vols.
Council Books, 1793 to 1796, 2 vols.
Department Books in six Divisions; viz.—
Division 1. 1807 to 1848, 33 vols.
" 2. 1803 to 1848, 46 vols.
" 3. 1808 to 1848, 26 vols.
" 4. 1809 to 1848, 25 vols.
" 5. 1802 to 1848, 31 vols.
" 6. 1806 to 1834, 12 vols.
Reference Books in six Divisions; viz.—
Division 1. 1806 to 1832, 17 vols.
" 2. 1819 to 1831, 5 vols.
" 3. 1823 to 1831, 3 vols
" 4 and 5. Nothing.
" 6. 1824 to 1833, 3 vols.
Reference Book, 1791, in tabular form, 1 vol.
"Bills referred to the Secretary of State" Book, 1 Feb. 1811 to 1818, 1 vol.
13 Bundles of Books relating to Public Services, &c., 1737 to 1800, 230 vols.
1 Bundle of Balancing Books, 1756, 1758, 1775, 3 vols.
2 Bundles of Payments on Account of Civil List Expenses, 1727 to 1753, 26 vols.
2 Bundles of Books, entitled "King's Account," 1747 to 1788, 10 vols.
1 Bundle of Civil List Occasional Payments, and other Books relating to the Civil List, 5 vols.
1 Bundle of Miscellaneous Books relating to Charge and Debts of the Civil List, 17 vols.
1 Bundle of Miscellaneous Books, Civil List, 7 vols.
1 Bundle of Odd Volumes of Supply Books and Civil List Accounts, 1713 to 1802, 5 vols.
1 Bundle consisting of Personal Informations, 1721; Salt, 1733; American Sufferers, and East Florida Orders, 1789, and 3 Miscellaneous; in all 6 vols.
Weekly, Quarterly, and Annual Accounts of the Public Revenue, 1793 to 1797, 1 vol.

Bill Books, 1765 to 1797, 4 vols.
Account of Bills drawn by Mr. Brook Watson, 1794 to 1796, 4 vols.
Account of Bills drawn by Mr. Davison and others, 1794 to 1799, 1 vol.
Treasury Fee Books; viz.—
Division 1. 1836 to 1849, 1 vol.
Division 5. 1817 to 1824, and 1831 to 1834, 2 vols.
Stamp Account; viz.—
Division 3. 1820 to 1834, 1 vol.
Yearly Accounts of Exchequer Fees, 1797, and 1802 to 1806, 6 vols.
Customs' Quarterly Establishments, 1844 to 1847 (London, October 1846, wanting); also London, July 1831, and January, April, and July 1834; also Outports, April 1834; making altogether 36 vols.
Books of the late Exchequer of Ireland, 21 vols.; viz.—Four vols. of Original Certificates of Receipts and Payments of the Pells, 1819 to 1822; nine vols. of Vice-Treasurer's Books, 1823 to 1831; four vols. of Teller's Books, 1826 to 1829; two vols. of Irish Revenue Returns, 1819 to 1823; one vol. of Receipts and Issues in the Treasury of Ireland, 1817; and one vol. relating to Tonnage of Shipping, 1775 to 1804.
Orders of the House of Commons, 1799 to 1810, 1 vol.
Returns to Orders of both Houses of Parliament, 1800 to 1817, 1 vol.
Certificates of Officers alive in the Colonies, 1811 to 1816, 1 vol.
Tontine Annuity Order Book, 1789, 1 vol.
Commissariat Estimates, 1815 to 1817, 1 vol.
American Claims, 36 vols.; viz.—Reports on Losses, &c., in 23 vols. (vols. I., IV., and XI., wanting), and other Reports in Alphabetical Order, marked A—Q.
1 Bundle of Rentals of annexed Forfeited Estates in Scotland, viz., Report to the King, 1756, and 106 Rentals, &c., which altogether have been reckoned as 107.
2 Original Treasury Commissions in Boxes, dated 19 July 1834, and 6 Nov. 1839.

Total - 1134

In July 1853, others were brought in from the State Paper Office, viz., a box containing fifteen Reports on American Loyalist Claims, with a bulky schedule attached to each; this removal took place in pursuance of a Treasury Minute of 21st June 1853 (Fourteenth Report, I. § 9) The Documents relating to the Claims of American Loyalists have been noticed in various preceding Reports (Tenth Report, II. § 19; Eleventh Report, II. § 41; Fourteenth Report, App. No. 1 *c*, § 5); but the transmissions were not completed. The dates have been previously stated (I. § 6.)

31. *Arrangements.*—As before stated (§ 29), the principal exertions of the officers have been directed towards resuming and completing the arrangement of series of Records commenced in former years; but nevertheless, the sortation of some classes as yet untouched has also been commenced. The latter consist of the contents of the loft over the engine-house in the Rolls Yard. These Treasury Papers have sustained very great damage before their removal into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, as detailed by Mr. Black in the Reports made by him thereon (Seventh Report, App. II. No. 1, § iv; Eighth Report, App. 1, No. 24; Ninth Report, App. 1, No. 11.) They received every injury to which papers can be exposed by their deposit in lofts and garrets, in vaults and cellars, in dust-holes and coal-holes, and where they were exposed to dust, dirt, and filth of every description, to damp and rain, and more than all, to foul water from the common sewer.

This task has required great labour, involving a mass of Treasury, Pells, and Auditor's Records, Slave Compensation and Slave Registration Records, French, Danish, Spanish, and American Claims' Records, &c., which required to be distributed.

32. *Treasury Records in the Loft.*—On the 6th of June 1853 the assistance of two workmen was obtained from the Carlton Ride. Their labours have been principally bestowed upon the Records in the loft of the engine-house in the

Rolls yard, removed from the vault under the Treasury in August 1846, and which were then described as consisting of 166 boxes; and, by the diligence of Mr. Lascelles, the whole of those Records have been brought into rough order, and the further progress of deterioration checked, preparatory to a thorough and more detailed arrangement. These are amongst the Documents which received great injury before they were transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, as previously noticed (II. § 31). The operations have been of a tedious and dangerous character, the Documents having a peculiarly offensive and fœtid odour, and being agglutinated or adhering one to another, and page to page, in such a manner as to render the use of a paper-knife indispensable in separating them, while the gritty deposit or dust found universally on their surfaces was of a saline, pungent, and irritating character. The exertions of Mr. Lascelles have had a most disastrous consequence; for in consequence of his labours amongst these damp and filthy papers his right eye has been so severely attacked by inflammation that the sight has been entirely destroyed.

American Claims.—These were some of the papers already described, being for the most part much damaged by dirt and damp; many were in a very tender condition, greatly discoloured, and the writing nearly obliterated. Much attention has been bestowed upon their restoration and arrangement, which has progressed to the extent of about four-fifths. Though the most assiduous care has been used, many Documents, and portions of Documents have been lost, past all hope of recovery, having been reduced by wet in some cases to tatters and powder, and in others, by the obliteration of the ink, to the state of discoloured and almost blank paper.

East Florida Claims.—These have been opened and flattened out by the workmen, and are in this state left exposed for a time to the air for purification, having, like the foregoing Records, been much damaged and discoloured by sewage.

Accounts of the Groom of the Stole.—These Accounts have been partially arranged. They also formed part of those in the loft, and are very fœtid, having been saturated with the filthy sewer water whilst they were in the Treasury, but otherwise they have not suffered much, the paper being only stained, and the ink but little decomposed.

33. *Original Commissions for executing the Office of Treasurer of the Exchequer.*—More additions have been made to this series, or rather class, for it is altogether too imperfect to be called a series; it now consists of sixty-one Commissions, and extends from 1st June 1699 to 9th August 1845; those added were partly found dispersed in the Office, and were removed hither from the Treasury Chambers in May 1853.

34. *Original Patents in Boxes.*—These, which are all comparatively modern, and had been left behind in the office, have been collected to the number of forty-five, arranged chronologically, and numbered.

35. *Customs' Quarterly Establishment Books.*—Several volumes of these were included in the removal from the Treasury in May 1853; they have been cleaned, endorsed, and amalgamated with their proper series, which now extends, with slight deficiencies, to 1847.

36. *Treasury Fee Books.*—These volumes, transferred in January 1852, amounting to 142 volumes, (Thirteenth Report, I. § 9; II. § 36,) have, together with the sixteen volumes of Fee Books marked (I.) § 1, described in the Seventh Report (App. II., No. I.) and three volumes of Fee Books received with the Treasury Books transferred in May 1853, (I. §. 3,) been arranged and ticketed, and a list made.

37. *Registered Treasury Papers.*—The arrangement of the Registered Treasury Papers, and other Papers of the same nature, but unregistered, has been proceeded with; new series having been operated upon, and considerable additions incorporated with some of those formerly arranged and described in the Fourteenth Report (II. § 30). These additions were obtained from eleven sacks of papers, chiefly containing modern Commissariat Papers, but also along with them Papers relating to other Departments which required to be separated. The papers so selected were sorted into their several classes, stamped, arranged chronologically, and incorporated with those

formerly arranged. These various operations, to which all the Treasury Papers are subjected, occupy much time; and when it is stated that about 23,000 Papers, exclusive of inclosures, have been finally arranged in the past year, that number does not represent the manipulations which have been necessary for the arrangement; for, in the larger series, each document has been handled at least four or five times before it could be perfectly arranged. The following are the classes so treated and their estimated numbers as far as they were arranged and incorporated on the 31st of December 1853; many additions having since been made:—

Secretaries of State generally, Letters, from 1689 to March 1782 -	746
Home Office, Letters, from March 1782 to 1837 - - -	1383
Foreign Office, Letters, 1785 to 1838, partly flattened and pressed by the workmen, previously to being made up in bundles - -	6078
War and Colonial Office, Letters, 1794 to 1834 - - -	1160
Secretary-at-War, Letters, Reports and Memorials, 1689 to 1832, arranged in one series - - - - - -	470
Paymaster-General, Reports, 1689 to 1800; Letters, 1708 to 1837; Memorials, 1694 to 1837; Accounts, Abstracts, &c., 1689 to 1755	1743
Deputy-Paymasters (Morice and Sweet) Accounts, 1702 to 1712	27
Commissioners for Debts due to the Army, Certificates of Debentures issued to the Commissioners between 1718 and 1719; Reports, Accounts, and Abstracts, 1717 to 1722 - -	59
Board of General Officers, Reports, 1715 to 1744 - - -	7
Half-pay Officers, Abstracts of Pay Lists, Letters, Lists of Pay due to Invalids, 1702 to 1720 - - - -	25
Parliamentary Estimates, chiefly for Land Forces, 1694 to 1803 -	819
Comptrollers of Army Accounts, Reports, Letters, &c., 1694 to 1835 - - - - - - -	1302
Commander-in-Chief's Orders for Changes in the Quarters of Troops in South Britain, 1818 to 1820 - - -	264
Secretary to the Commander-in-Chief, Applications for Passages to the Colonies for Soldiers and their families, 1723 to 1809 -	272
Admiralty, Letters of the Secretary of the Admiralty, 1689 to 1838; Reports of the Commissioners, the Receiver-General, and the Solicitor of the Admiralty, 1691 to 1730; Orders of the Lords of the Admiralty, 1711, 1740; Licences for Transport Ships for America, 1776 - -	1215
Receiver of Admiralty Droits, Certificates, or Accounts, &c., 1702 to 1712 - - - - - - -	22
Navy Commissioners, Reports, Letters, Memorials, Accounts, &c., 1696 to 1832 - - - - - - -	693
Treasurer of the Navy, Memorials, 1698 to 1836 - -	1776
Commissioners and Treasurer of the Navy, Reports, 1691 to 1822	63
Lists of the Royal Navy, 1688 to 1695 - - - -	7
Commissioners for Naval Abuses, Applications for Issues of Money, 1803 to 1806 - - - - - - -	6
Navy Accounts and Estimates, 1702 to 1819 - - -	62
Navy Debt, Estimates, States and Accounts, 1711 to 1808 - -	26
Navy Miscellaneous, 1690 to 1804 - - - -	11
Commissioners for Victualling the Navy, and Comptroller of Victualling and Transport Services, Reports, Letters, Memorials, and Accounts, 1690 to 1838 - - - - -	1,182
Commissioners of Transports, Reports, 1690-1718; Letters, 1795-1817; Lists, 1693-1702; Accounts, Estimates, &c., 1695-1726 -	366
Presentments, Memorials, Letters, in one series, 1691 to 1719 -	257
Commissioners for Sick and Wounded Seamen, and for exchanging Prisoners of War, Memorials, Representations, Letters, Accounts, Reports, &c., 1691-1781 - - - - -	276

Commissioners for building new Churches, Letters, in the nature of Applications for the remission of duties on building materials, and inclosing Certificates by the Commissioners authorizing the repair or building of the Church for which the remission is prayed, 1826-1838 - - - - - -	434
Mint, Accounts, 1696-1777; Letters, Memorials, &c., 1690-1809; Reports, 1689-1809; Miscellaneous, &c., 1689-1786 - -	472
Board of Trade, Reports, Letters, Applications for Salaries, &c., 1684-1819 - - - - - - -	545
States of Accounts, 1740-1795 - - - - -	352
Abstracts of Accounts, 1711-1778 - - - -	221
Cash Papers, 1722-1804 - - - - - -	392
Auditors of Public Accounts, Reports, Letters, &c., 1695-1823 -	249

The various operations necessary for the arrangement of the above, have also forwarded the arrangement of those that are still in progress; and by the knowledge of the nature of these documents so acquired, the classificat onof the remainder of the Treasury Papers, although large, is rendered easy. Of the classes in progress, but not arranged chronologically, during the past year, the following are some of the chief:—

Scotland.
Ireland.
America.
West Indies.
Law Papers.
Stamps and Taxes.
Customs.
Excise.
Board of Works.
Orders in Council.
Old Commissariat.
Private Petitions.
Applications for Issues of Money.
Applications for Export or Delivery of Goods.
Applications of Prisoners.
Advices of Bills.

Excise Papers.—These, consisting of different classes, have been opened out, flattened, arranged chronologically, and tied up in yearly parcels, in brown paper, to the amount of about 15,000.

38. *Exchequer Records:—Foundation Indentures of Henry VII.'s Chapel.*—These, found detached from their class, have been arranged and entered in the Catalogue, and restored to their series.

Receipts for Pensions (part of the *Tellers' Vouchers*) have had their arrangement completed. The estimated number so arranged during the past year is 15,690; but of these, by far the greater number has required to be handled at least six times before they could be finally arranged. The Receipts have been arranged quarterly and alphabetically according to the names of the persons to whom payable, under the following heads, the estimated total number arranged being 30,534:

	Estimated Numbers.
Sign Manual Pensions, 1790-1834 - - -	14,104
King George the Third's Pensions, 1825-1834 - -	6,005
Queen Charlotte's Pensions, 1819-1834 - -	2,983
Late 4½ Per Cent. Pensions, 1831-1834 - -	697
Queen Caroline's Pensions, 1823-1834 - - -	735
Pensions of the Late Civil List of Geo. IV., 1832-1834	1,705
Late African Company's Pensions, 1825-1834 -	465
Late Lottery Officers' Pensions, 1827-1834 - -	620

Lord Gage's List of Pensions, 1784-1830 - -	930
Vaudois, Poor of St. Martin's, and other Pensions, 1783-1832 - - - - -	930
Treasury Pensions, 1782-1830 - - -	620
Princess Dowager and Queen Caroline's Pensions, 1783-1796 - - - - -	232
Princess Dowager's Pensions, 1808-1830 - -	43
Pensions to Foreign Ambassadors and Ministers, 1831 and 1832 - - - - - -	465
	30,534

39. *Slave Compensation Records.*—Upon the final sortation of these Documents (Eighth Report, II. §§ 97, 98; Ninth Report, II. § 12; Tenth Report, II. § 19; Twelfth Report, II. § 43; Thirteenth Report, II. § 40; Fourteenth Report, II. § 31), great numbers have had to be re-incorporated in the bundles of papers previously made up, so as to render new wrappers, new indorsements, and new tickets very often necessary; thus, for instance, the Trinidad Claims, originally contained in five bundles, now make ten; and the British Guiana Claims, originally nine bundles, now make twelve. The Valuer's Returns have been tied in convenient parcels in brown paper wrappers and labelled.

40. *Slave Registration Records.*—Measures have been taken for the final disposal of all the loose and unbound papers of this class (Twelfth Report, I. § 7, II. § 39; Thirteenth Report, II. §§ 36, 41). No plan seems to apply so well to Documents belonging to classes not frequently referred to, as that of tieing them up in brown paper, with labels, whereby they are preserved in order, rendered readily accessible, kept aired, and secured from the irreparable injuries caused by dust or careless moving.

41. *French Claims' Commission Papers.*—The arrangement of that portion of these Records which was removed into this office on the 1st and 8th of November 1851, has been completed by Mr. Lascelles (Fifth Report, I. § 5, II. § 37, App. I. No. 6; Thirteenth Report, II. §§ 36, 42; Fourteenth Report, I. § 7, II. § 32.) The work was not achieved without difficulty, one Board of Commissioners adjudicating on the above three several classes of Claims, which consequently were mixed up together and thrown into such a state of confusion as to render a careful perusal of each paper necessary, in order to ascertain not only the particular Claim to which it might refer, but the class of Claims also, viz., whether French, Danish, or Spanish. And, with respect to those papers, the contents of which did not yield information sufficiently explicit, or rather so scanty as to be little or no clue in defining their precise places, and which have been consequently denominated Miscellaneous, the labour was enhanced twofold; as notwithstanding the barrenness of the contents, it still became necessary to decide upon and to assign to them a definite class and to place them either with French, Danish, or Spanish Claims.

42. *Welsh Records.*—The opening, flattening, filing, and chronological arrangement of the Welsh Fines for the counties of Chester, Montgomery, Denbigh, and Flint (Seventh Report, I. § 6, II. § 6; Eighth Report, App. I. No. 18; Tenth Report, II. § 19; Fourteenth Report, II. § 33), has been continued; but to no great extent, viz., to 1806 only, there having been several other matters of more pressing importance to be got through.

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Common Law, Exchequer, and Miscellaneous Records.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Devon and Mr. Burtt).

43. *Business of the Division: Proceedings of the Court of Wards and Liveries, Court of Requests, Miscellanea, &c.*—The amount of business in this Division will appear from the Tabular Summary (App). Mr. Devon is employed upon the continuation of his very useful Tabular Index to the proceedings (principally Bills, Answers, and Depositions) of the Court of Requests, and has indexed, as to date, party, and subject, 1,390 suits,

averaging perhaps three documents to each suit; making a total of 4,170 documents, as follows:

Hen. VIII. - - - -	46
Edw. VI. - - -	7
Phil. & Mary - - -	9
Eliz. - - - -	350
Jas. I. - - - -	304
Chas. I. - - -	674
	1,390 Suits.

All these Documents are well and plainly written, and generally in fine preservation. They can be used therefore with great facility, and abound with useful information relating to families, to property, and to private history, as has been fully explained in preceding Reports (Ninth Report, II. § 2; Tenth Report, II. § 2; Eleventh Report, II. § 37; Twelfth Report, II. §§ 7-10; Thirteenth Report, II. § 24; Fourteenth Report, II. § 27). Mr. Burtt has commenced the sortation of the large mass of papers belonging to the Court of Wards and Liveries, and Court of Requests, and some thousands of these Documents have been distributed into their respective classes. They may be distinguished generally into two divisions; viz., Drafts of the various documentary processes of the Courts; and original and substantive Documents of those Courts and of parties to suits therein. The quantity already sorted fills eighty-six pasteboard boxes. These Documents, noticed as above mentioned, abound with very valuable information, especially in relation to individual history.

The contents of three boxes containing "Decayed Miscellanea" have been carefully examined, and many Deeds, Privy Seals, and Inquisitions selected from them. A bundle of Inquisitions post mortem, nearly entire, found among them, has been indexed and put in its place. An account of the general nature of the Miscellanea in the Star Chamber Presses has been given in the Fourteenth Report (II. § 27). Progress has been made in describing many of these Documents, and in assigning others to the classes to which they belong.

44. *Notes of Fines.*—The Notes of Fines from the reign of Charles II. to that of George III. have all been put into covers, endorsed, and re-arranged on the shelves.

The numbering, stamping, and entering of the contents of the bundles of Notes of Fines has been resumed (Second Report, II. § 26, App. I. No. 22 *b*; Third Report, II. § 17; Fourth Report, II. § 28; Fifth Report, II. § 42). Those for the reign of George III., upon which a commencement had been made, are now in hand. This work is rendered more necessary for the Documents of this period by the numerous deficiencies which have, from time to time, been discovered among them, and which have formed the subject of special communications (Fifth Report, II. § 42; Sixth Report, II. § 65, App. I. Nos. 10 *b* and *c*; Seventh Report, II. § 16). The operations are now rendered more complete by comparing the number of the Documents with the entries in the Index, and any deficiency or other difference being noted. Seven bundles have been thus checked.

45. *Papers of the Solicitor to the Treasury.*—The various proceedings relating to the Papers of the Treasury Solicitor are noticed in a previous portion of the Report (I. § 4). They are kept in the chests and boxes in which they have been transmitted, it being impracticable at present to contemplate their further arrangement.

46. *Census Commission Papers.*—The Enumeration Books of the Census Commission of 1851, noticed in a preceding section of this Report (I. § 7) are now all deposited in this Division, in boxes, according to the conditions imposed by the Master of the Rolls.

III. General Matters connected with the Care and Management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

1. *Aid rendered to Government with respect to Government Documents, &c.*—The business connected with or arising out of the transmission of Documents from various Government Departments continues to increase, so as to occupy a

very considerable portion of the time of the Officers. A summary of the proceedings hitherto had will be found in my Fourteenth Report (III. § 2). The additions which have been made to the previous stock during the period covered by this Report have been noticed in preceding sections (I. §§ 3, 4, 6; II. §§ 27, 30, 46, 47), and a very great increase is expected to be made by transmission from Your Majesty's Board of Admiralty. The Accountant-General of the Navy, by his letter of the 21st February 1854 (I. § 5), requires the Master of the Rolls to receive into his custody, and to provide for their future increase.

And according to a statement showing the Numbers of Books, Papers, &c. &c., proposed to be forwarded from the Five Departments of the Admiralty at Somerset House (as soon as the Repository is ready to receive them) to the New Repository of Records under the Custody of the Master of the Rolls. Their numbers and the space that will be required for future accumulation appear to be as follows:—

Department.	To be removed as soon as the New Repository is ready to receive them.	Space that will be required for future.
The Surveyor of the Navy -	None.	None.
The Accountant-General of the Navy - -	Vols. Boxes. About 8,178 and 9 of Papers „ 1,000 and 100 „	For about 1,000 vols. and 20 boxes annually.
The Storekeeper-General of the Navy - -	None.	Doubtful.
The Comptroller of Victualling - -	Space equal to about 30,000 cubic feet.	
The Director-General -	None.	None.

This branch of the business of the Public Record Establishment, *i. e.*, the management of Government Documents, becomes of increasing importance, and the matter has been fully examined into, and the results stated in a Report made by the Deputy Keeper to the Master of the Rolls, 30th July 1853, in consequence of questions now under discussion relating to the union of the State Paper Office with the Record Department, in manner stated in several preceding Reports (Tenth Report, I. § 9, App. I. No. 1; Thirteenth Report, I. § 13; Fourteenth Report, III. § 1.) This Report has been communicated by his Honour to the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, as well as to Your Majesty's three Principal Secretaries of State, &c., as previously mentioned (I. § 8).

2. *Literary Inquirers.*—The arrangements for the admission of Literary Inquirers continue to work satisfactory. The attendances at the Offices by Searchers of this Class for the year 1853 have been 505, and about 3,500 Documents have been consulted by them.

3. *General Record Repository.*—The progress of this building, commenced in pursuance of the vote taken in 1850, has been stated in preceding Reports (Eleventh Report, III. § 1; Twelfth Report, III. § 1; Thirteenth Report, III. § 1; Fourteenth Report, III. § 1). The shell of the building having been completed about the month of July 1853, it appeared to the Master of the Rolls that it would be highly desirable that one room of the Record Repository should be fitted up with models of the racks or presses intended for the Records, and also of the galleries and other means of access to the same, all of which are to be constructed of iron. This proceeding was considered expedient, inasmuch as there are many questions connected with the consideration of objects of this class which neither verbal descriptions nor even drawings can render sufficiently intelligible, and the models being submitted bodily to the examination of the Officers of the Establishment, they will better be able to form a judgment thereon. Application was therefore made, 15th August 1853, to Your Majesty's Board of Works requesting that a room should be fitted up accordingly. When the presses are completed, the removal of the Records from the present Repositories will take place—a task not light or easy under any circumstances, but peculiarly difficult with respect to the Records in the Repository at the Carlton Ride. These Records belong principally to

the Courts of Common Law, and are considerably resorted to for use and consultation; and it will be absolutely needful that the removal be conducted so alertly and systematically that not more than one clear day should elapse during which the Records should be inaccessible to the Searcher. Your Majesty's Commissioners of Works are desirous of receiving possession of the Carlton Ride for building purposes, and every effort will be made by this Department to comply with their wishes and directions.

All which is most humbly submitted to Your Majesty.

(Signed) FRANCIS PALGRAVE,

31st March 1854. *The Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.*

I most humbly submit to Your Majesty that this Report is made by the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, under my direction, pursuant to the Statute.

(Signed) JOHN ROMILLY, M.R.

SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS in the PUBLIC RECORD

OFFICES.	ARRANGEMENT, REPAIRS, &c.	REMOVALS.
ROLLS HOUSE.	TREASURY RECORDS:— Cleansing, sorting, stamping, and arranging various classes. EXCHEQUER RECORDS:— Receipts for Pensions.—Alphabetical arrangement completed. Fee Books.—161 volumes arranged and ticketed. SLAVE COMPENSATION RECORDS:— Incorporating some thousands of neglected papers. SLAVE REGISTRATION RECORDS:— Incorporating loose papers. CLAIMS ON FRANCE RECORDS:— Arrangement completed. WELSH FINES:— Cleaning, flattening, filing, sorting, and arranging, continued.	TREASURY CHAMBERS to ROLLS HOUSE—Certain Books, &c., pursuant to Treasury Minute of 21 December, and Treasury Letter of 29 December, 1852. STATE PAPER OFFICE to ROLLS HOUSE—15 Reports on Claims of American Loyalists; pursuant to Treasury Minute of 21 June, and Warrant of 2 July, 1853.
ROLLS CHAPEL.	CHANCERY:— Various Membranes, &c. - Damped. 8 - Mended. 2,184 - Sewed. 145 - Tickets. 12	ENROLMENT OFFICE to ROLLS CHAPEL—Recognizance Rolls, 1837 and 1838. Close Rolls, 1838. Memorials of Annuities, 1838. PETTY BAG OFFICE to ROLLS CHAPEL—Patent Rolls, and Privy Seal, &c., bundles, 5 Will. IV. OFFICE OF CLERKS OF RECORDS AND WRITS to ROLLS CHAPEL—54 Decrees and Docquets.
TOWER.	CHANCERY:— Inquisitions Post Mortem and Ad Quod Damnum — 9,838 more have been entitled, &c.; and the arrangement of all those at the Tower is completed. Miscellaneous—(Consisting of Petitions to the King in Council, and to Parliament; Writs of various kinds; &c.;) 11,740 flattened, cleaned, and mended; 6,123 stitched in parcels of ten, preparatory to binding; 3,759 sorted and arranged.	- - - -
CHAPTER HOUSE.	COMMON PLEAS:— Fines, Notes of—Car. II. to Geo. III., re-covered and endorsed; Geo. III., contents of the bundles stamped, numbered, and entered, and the numbers compared with entries in the Index; in progress: great deficiencies discovered. COURT OF WARDS AND LIVERIES—COURT OF REQUESTS:— Sorting the documents of these Courts (which for want of care formerly have become what may be termed Miscellaneous), and arranging in their respective classes. COURT OF STAR CHAMBER:— Some progress made in examining the Miscellaneous and in sorting them into classes. TREASURY SOLICITOR'S PAPERS:— In course of examination.	No. 10, WHITEHALL to CHAPTER HOUSE—Treasury Solicitor's Papers, pursuant to Treasury Letter of 6 July, and Warrant of 22 July, 1853.
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THE

SIXTEENTH REPORT

OF

THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY:—

PURSUANT to the Statute made and passed in the Session of Parliament held in the first and second year of Your Majesty's reign, entitled "An Act for Keeping Safely the Public Records," I, the undersigned Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, do hereby most humbly make my Sixteenth Report to Your Majesty, for the year beginning 1st January 1854, and ending 31st December 1854, up to which last-mentioned date this Report is made, except, however, so far as relates to certain particular transactions, herein-after quoted as being subsequent to the said 31st December 1854, which it becomes needful to notice. And, pursuing the plan adopted in my former Reports, I have arranged the matters hereby submitted to Your Majesty under three general heads; the Tabular Statement from which further details are to be collected being inserted in the Appendix hereto annexed.

I. Proceedings relating to the taking possession of Records, and also to Records not yet in the custody of the Master of the Rolls.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the regulations of the Statute.

III. General matters connected with the care and management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

I. PROCEEDINGS RELATING TO THE TAKING POSSESSION OF RECORDS, AND ALSO TO RECORDS NOT YET IN THE CUSTODY OF THE MASTER OF THE ROLLS.

1. *Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law, &c.*—The issue of Warrants for the transfer of the Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, continues to be suspended, as stated in previous Reports (Twelfth Report, I. § 1; Thirteenth Report, I. § 1; Fourteenth Report, I. § 1; Fifteenth Report, I. § 1;) in consequence of the impending removal of the Records into the New Repository (III. § 1). It has been ascertained that no inconvenience has resulted to the Officers of the Courts by reason of such suspension.

2. *Accruing Records of the Chancery and Parliament.*—These, according to ancient usage, have been transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and deposited in the Rolls Chapel, as after mentioned (II. § 33).

3. *Records of the abolished Courts of the Principality of Wales, and the Palatinate of Chester.*—The various proceedings in relation to these important Records have been noticed in many preceding Reports (First Report, App. No. 31, I. 1 (1), II. 1, 2; Fourth Report, I. § 6; Seventh Report, I. §§ 6, 8, App. I. Nos. 10 to 18; Eighth Report, I. § 7, App. I. Nos. 18 and 28; Ninth Report, II. § 10, App. I. No. 11; Thirteenth Report, I. § 12, App. Nos. 3 *a* and *b*; Fourteenth Report, II. § 12; Fifteenth Report, I. §§ 9, 10).

It will be seen from the statements concerning the Welsh Records to which reference is made, that, remaining as they did (and to some extent still are) in the various Local Repositories, the affairs connected with them have required much attention on the part of the Master of the Rolls and his officers, and inasmuch as the New General Repository has been so far completed as to be

susceptible of partial occupation, his Honour, the Master of the Rolls, has thought it expedient that the said Records should be brought up from the Local Repositories and deposited in the said General Repository. For this purpose, nine warrants, all bearing date the 18th day of July 1854, were duly signed and countersigned by the Master of the Rolls and the Lord Chancellor, empowering the Deputy Keeper and Mr. Roberts, an Assistant Keeper, or either of them, to take possession of the said Records, according to the following counties and circuits:—

1. Chester and Flint.
2. Denbigh.
3. Montgomery.
4. Caernarvon and Anglesey.
5. Merioneth.
6. Caermarthen.
7. Pembroke.
8. Cardigan.
9. Brecknock, Radnor, and Glamorgan.

The first seven warrants, and so much of the ninth as relates to the Glamorgan Records, were executed by Mr. Roberts at various periods in the months of July, August, September, and October 1854, and all the Records have been brought up by him to London. Mr. Roberts executed the task with equal diligence and judgment. His report of the 18th January 1855 giving full details and particulars of the dates when the removals were made, and other circumstances accompanying the transaction, is appended to this Report (App. No. 2). This Document points out the course Mr. Roberts adopted, and which enabled him successfully to accomplish the removals. All these Records have been deposited in the basement story of the New Repository. The proper fittings not having been prepared, the Records have been placed provisionally on racks removed from the Rolls House, and are now in course of arrangement as after mentioned (II. § 45). Mr. Roberts has since proceeded to Brecknock, and brought up the Records from thence; those of Cardigan and Radnor will be visited and removed up by him at the earliest convenient opportunity.

4. *Durham Records.*—In and by the Record Act, the Courts of the Palatinate of Durham are described as having been lately abolished, and the Records are placed under the charge and superintendence of the Master of the Rolls. The framers and promoters of the Act, however, as well as both Houses of Parliament, wholly overlooked the fact that the said Courts were not abolished, but subsisting, inasmuch as by the Act 6 Will. IV. c. 19. the Palatinate jurisdiction, power, and authority theretofore vested in and belonging to the Bishop of Durham, were separated from the Bishopric of Durham, and transferred to and vested in his then Majesty, his heirs, and successors, together with all *jura regalia*, in such manner as in the said Act is mentioned. This singular error, however, did not exonerate his Honour from duly examining into the state of the Records, inasmuch as the period is approaching when the same can, if thought fit, be brought into the New Repository; and, therefore, the Deputy Keeper, by direction of his Honour, having put himself in communication with Christopher Temple, Esq., the Chancellor of the County Palatine, and the other officers having the charge of the Records, and they having promised to render all needful assistance, Mr. Hardy, the Assistant Keeper at the Tower, was despatched for the purpose of surveying the same and reporting thereon. Mr. Hardy was employed at Durham upon the survey during the months of July and August 1854, during which he made a very diligent and searching examination of all the Records and Muniments of the Palatinate, as well as those belonging to the Bishop of Durham in his episcopal or private capacity, deposited in certain buildings at the ancient castle, now appropriated for the purposes of the University. Mr. Hardy, notwithstanding the shortness of his stay, examined very fully into the state of the Documents and their mode of deposit, and was able to frame a complete general inventory or conspectus of all the Records which were in a state of arrangement to enable him to deal therewith, but a very large number are in such a state as to preclude any satisfactory examination thereof. The inventories, as they stand, contain the only complete account of these Muniments ever presented to the public, and Mr. Hardy has also compiled a curious antiquarian summary of the history of the Palatinate, embracing also much fresh legal matter, as well as of the present practice of the Courts, as will appear from his Report hereto annexed (App. No. 4).

Several points may arise as to the effect of the Statute of the 6 Will. IV. c. 19, and the extent of the rights transferred to the Crown, or remaining still vested in the Bishop. But into this branch of the inquiry the Master of the Rolls is not competent to enter, the same being entirely foreign to his duties under the Record Act. But whether or not there be any obscurity in the construction of the Act of Annexation, it will be expedient that the Records should be properly arranged and put in order as speedily as possible, many of them being at present exposed to damage and decay, and possibly also to depredation.

5. *Peveril Court Records.*—The ancient Court of Record for the Honour of Peveril was abolished at the same time as the Marshalsea and Palace Courts, by the Small Debts Act, 12 & 13 Vict. c. 101. It will be seen by the Deputy Keeper's Reports (Eleventh Report, I. § 6; Twelfth Report, I. § 4), that these Records, after examination into their nature by the Deputy Keeper, were allowed to remain at Nottingham in the charge of Mr. Cann, the late Deputy Steward of the Court, until they could be conveniently removed into the actual custody of the Master of the Rolls. No opportunity of removal offered until recently, when it having become practicable to place them in the New Repository, his Honour issued his warrant, dated 18th July 1854, empowering the Deputy Keeper and Mr. Hardy, or either of them, to take possession thereof on his behalf. This warrant was duly executed by Mr. Hardy, as appears by his Report hereto annexed (App. No. 3), and all the books and papers contained in or relating to the said Peveril Court, were and are deposited in the New Repository. Mr. Hardy has included in his Report, hereto annexed (App. No. 3), some curious antiquarian notes or remarks on the history and origin of the Court, which may be acceptable either to those who may hereafter have occasion to consult the documents, or for general information, inasmuch as there is no description of the Court in any printed work of authority.

6. *State Paper Office.*—The union of the State Paper Office with the Public Record Department, according to the tenor of the Treasury Minutes of the 9th September 1845, and 8th August 1848, has repeatedly been adverted to in the previous Reports presented to Your Majesty (Tenth Report, I. § 9, App. I. No. 1.; Thirteenth Report, I. § 13, App. No. 1.; Fourteenth Report, III. § 3; Fifteenth Report, I. § 8). The Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, by their letter of the 22d of April 1854, informed the Master of the Rolls that their Lordships had learned that the office of Keeper of State Papers had become vacant by the death of the late Keeper, the Right Hon. Henry Hobhouse; and in this letter they requested that if his Honour had completed the preparations for receiving the documents to be entrusted to him, he would propose without delay a scheme for effecting the transfer, and carrying on the business for the future; and his Honour accordingly submitted to their Lordships an outline of a scheme to carry on the business of the said Office, pursuant to the recommendation of the Select Committee of the House of Commons on Miscellaneous Expenditure, 1848, and the Correspondence referred to in the said letter.

Much Correspondence then ensued between Your Majesty's Chief Secretaries of State, the Treasury, and the Master of the Rolls, concerning the regulations to be adopted in the Office, in consequence of the same having become subjected to the direction of the Master of the Rolls, and particularly as to the portions of documents to be left in the State Paper Office, or to be removed into the New Repository. Further Correspondence took place thereon with the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, who, by theirs of the 30th June 1854, stated to his Honour that it was desirable he should immediately assume the charge of the State Paper Office, subject to the conditions required by the Secretaries of State. Whereupon his Honour, by his of 12th July 1854, stated that he was prepared forthwith to comply with their Lordships' directions. His Honour, in this letter, states the course which he considered desirable to adopt, and particularly with respect to the mode in which the Deputy Keeper was to take possession thereof; and their Lordships, in reply, amongst other things, requested (2d August 1854) that the Master of the Rolls should procure and transmit to the Treasury the information needed for determining the relative position to be occupied in the consolidated establishment by the officers belonging to the two Departments; and that for such purpose his Honour should procure and transmit to their Lordships, particulars relating to the length of service, salary, and emoluments of the officers belonging to the two Departments.

Pursuant to this last-mentioned Treasury letter, his Honour forthwith issued his warrant, 10th August 1854, empowering the Deputy Keeper to take possession, in his name, of the building commonly called Your Majesty's State Paper Office, and of all the Papers and Records therein; and having done so, to re-deliver the same into the temporary charge of Charles Lechmere, Esq., then Deputy Keeper of the State Paper Office, who was to receive back the same, in the capacity of an officer of the Public Record Department, until further order and directions should be made thereon. His Honour was also pleased to order and direct that the said Charles Lechmere, and all other the officers and servants of the State Paper Department, and all supernumeraries employed in the State Paper Office whether under the State Paper Commission or otherwise, should thenceforth, until further order, perform their several duties as officers of the Public Record Department, provided the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury should be pleased to re-appoint them as such officers, and subsequently the State Paper Commission was revoked by Your Majesty.

In pursuance of the before mentioned warrant, the Deputy Keeper took possession of the State Paper Office on the 11th August 1854, in such manner as the warrant directs; and having reported the same to the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, they were pleased, by theirs of the 18th August 1854, to state that the salaries and personal allowances of the persons employed in connexion with the State Paper Office and Commission should be paid at the then existing rates until further directions.

As soon as was convenient after taking possession, the Deputy Keeper began the examination of the affairs of the State Paper Office, for the purpose of reporting thereon to the Master of the Rolls. In course of the inquiry, the Master of the Rolls and the Deputy Keeper put themselves in personal communication with all the officers of the establishment, without exception. Written questions were addressed to Messrs. Lechmere and Lemon, the chief officers, to which written answers were furnished; the officers were also examined and re-examined orally, previously to their giving their written answers, and also afterwards, so as to obtain full and correct particulars of the rank, position, former and present salaries and services of the several officers, of their functions and duties, and as to the mode of carrying on business in the office, whether public business or private business, from which certain emoluments were derived by fees or gratuities for transcriptions, searches, agency or otherwise. From this information a report, dated 29th November 1854, was prepared by the Deputy Keeper and submitted to the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, who having taken the same, as well as the information which he obtained when he conferred with the officers, into consideration, made his Report thereon, dated 29th January 1855, to the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury; and subsequently, pursuant to his Honour's directions, the Deputy Keeper made another Report to his Honour, containing suggestions respecting the establishment of the Public Record Office, which his Honour transmitted to their Lordships by his of the 19th April 1855, according to their previous request, and in order to enable them to direct the terms upon which the incorporation of the two Departments should take place; but their Lordships have not yet given their decision thereon.

7. *Records transferred by the Queen's Remembrancer.*—A transmission from this office out of the ordinary course has been noticed in a preceding Report (Fourteenth Report, I. § 3; II. § 2). Subsequently to the general transmission, important Documents have been discovered by the Queen's Remembrancer in different chests and boxes of the office, mixed with other matters; they consist of Warrants and Letters Patent, of the reigns of Henry VIII., Mary, Elizabeth, and Charles II.; and Your Majesty's Remembrancer, by his letter of 5th May 1854, transmitted the same accordingly. It is very probable that the system anciently prevailing in the Exchequer (Fourteenth Report I. § 3, II. § 2), which empowered any officer to remove any Document he required for his use, has dispersed very many Records and Documents, which remain in the possession of individuals who cannot be ascertained. Sufficient, however, is known upon the subject to be convinced that the loss is equally grievous and irreparable.

8. *Wellington Funeral, Plans of Arrangements.*—Your Majesty's Commissioners of the Office of Works, &c., were pleased to address theirs of the

12th December 1854, to this Department, stating that Your Majesty's Commissioners, having caused plans to be carefully prepared for the purpose of exhibiting the arrangements made under their direction in St. Paul's Cathedral on the occasion of the Funeral of Field Marshal his Grace the Duke of Wellington, requested that his Honour would be pleased to permit them to be deposited among the Public Records of the kingdom. In reply, the Commissioners were informed by his Honour, that he was equally ready to take charge of the same, or any other Plans or Documents of the like description, which being no longer required for the practical purposes of the Board might be usefully deposited among the Public Archives, such for example as plans of buildings demolished or altered, or indeed any other Documents, which may be calculated to afford either historical or statistical information.

For the information of the Commissioners of Works, his Honour further stated, that there are amongst the Public Records a vast number of other Documents relating to Royal Palaces and Residences, and to architecture in general. These are found upon the Rolls of King John, and exist continuously from reign to reign in various classes of Documents, varying according to the modes of transacting business. Even amongst the Treasury Papers recently transmitted are very curious and important Documents bearing upon architecture and the arts, such as the Reports made by Sir Christopher Wren, relating to Royal Palaces and various Public Buildings, all of which came incidentally under the notice of the Treasury;—and the said plans have been transmitted accordingly.

9. *Ordnance Application for the White Tower.*—In February 1855, Your Majesty's Board of Ordnance, upon the motion of the Storekeeper and Deputy Storekeeper stationed in the Tower, stating how much the Ordnance Service suffers from the great want of store room, owing to the great pressure of business, which had now increased to four times that of any former year, directed that an application should be made to the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, praying their Lordships to direct that the Records should be removed from the Tower as early as might be practicable, and that the space then occupied by the same should be given up to the Ordnance. They offer as the ground for this demand, the claim of the Board of Ordnance to the premises occupied by the Records, the Storekeeper having stated that it appears upon an old plan of the White Tower in their possession, that it was ordered by the Master-General of the Ordnance, 26th May 1736, that the "match room marked B. on the plan" should be "lent" for keeping the Records in the White Tower, and that the Master of the Rolls should obtain His Majesty's Warrant for that purpose. Whether or not "the match room marked B." constituted the whole or part of the floor now occupied by the Records does not appear, but it may be collected from the statement made by the celebrated William Prynne, that in his time the ancient Norman chapel called Julius Cæsar's chapel was then, as it is now, appropriated to the Record Service, being filled with Chancery Records in a manner which he describes as resembling a dungheap, until at the peril of his life he brought them into order. And it will be seen from the "Hand-Book to the Public Records" compiled by Mr. Thomas, the Secretary to this Department, and published by orders of the Treasury, 1853, that more or less space in the Tower has been appropriated to the Public Records, at least since the time of Edward I. The origin or nature of the title, however, of the Record Service to any portion of the Tower, is however of small importance, compared with the practical necessity of its retention, it being sufficient to observe, that under existing circumstances the Records could not be removed to the New Repository without occasioning the most ruinous expense, and frustrating all the arrangements which have been made with great attention and labour, for the clearing out of the Carlton Ride, and surrendering the same to Your Majesty's Board of Works for building purposes, which, amongst other injurious consequences, would entirely prevent the deposit of the Records in the New Repository, according to the plans which have been so carefully arranged. His Honour therefore stated these and other reasons against the sudden removal of the Records, by his letter of the 13th March 1855, hereto annexed (App. No. 1*a.*), and Your Majesty's attention is particularly called to the same. To this their Lordships were pleased to reply, by theirs of the 19th March 1855, regretting the inconvenience to this Department, but requesting to know whether some temporary arrangement might not be made, and to this his Honour, by his letter of 22d March 1855, also hereunto annexed

(App. No. 1*b*.), entered again fully into the reasons against any alteration in the original scheme of deposit, stating that the whole mass of Records would, in case of sudden removal from the Tower, be thrown into inextricable confusion.

10. *Admiralty Records.*—The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Admiralty were pleased by theirs of 9th March 1855 to request the Master of the Rolls to cause their Lordships to be acquainted when it would be likely that certain books and papers in the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy can be deposited in the New Building, to which his Honour replied that there would be no room whatever in the New Repository, nor in any of the Repositories under his charge, for any Government Records in addition to those already in his custody, but that if the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury would be pleased to assign certain houses on the Rolls Estate for the purposes of temporary deposit, communication should be made thereof to Your Majesty's Admiralty.

11. *Rules of Friendly Societies.*—Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department was pleased by his letter of the 12th April 1855, to transmit to his Honour a copy of a letter, dated 9th April 1855, from John Tidd Pratt, Esquire, Registrar of Friendly Societies in England, inquiring as to a place of deposit for the transcripts of Rules of Friendly Societies returned pursuant to 17 & 18 Vict. c. 101. s. 2. Mr. Pratt states that he had then upwards of 20,000 sets of rules in his custody, and he expected there would be an annual increase of about 1,200; that these papers were then kept in wooden boxes in two rooms in the National Debt Office, which were not fire-proof, and he had no place in which he could deposit those which he was daily expecting to receive. Mr. Pratt suggested that there might be room in the Record Office for their deposit. This Correspondence having been laid before the Master of the Rolls, he replied to the effect of the preceding communication (§ 10), that the documents could not be received into the New Repository, but that if the Treasury would comply with his Honour's request, every effort would be made to comply with Mr. Tidd Pratt's suggestion.

12. *Removal of War Office Papers.*—A very large number of Papers belonging to Your Majesty's War Office were, until the removal hereunder mentioned, deposited in a capacious house in the immediate vicinity of the Horse Guards, situate No. 6, Whitehall Yard, and usually called the War Office Depôt. These premises being suddenly and urgently required for the purposes of the Army and Ordnance Medical Board, orders were given to the Deputy Keeper verbally, 10th February 1855, and to his Honour the Master of the Rolls, 14th February, to take possession of and transfer the whole of the Documents, with the utmost speed, into the New Repository. They were examined by the Deputy Keeper and by the Officers, and communications were forthwith made from the Treasury to the Master of the Rolls to receive them permanently in the New Repository. The space they would occupy being absolutely necessary for the accommodation of the Records now in the Carlton Ride, all the plans made for the arrangement of the Records would be utterly subverted, but his Honour stated that he would do his best to aid the Treasury in the emergency, and would receive the Papers in the New Repository temporarily, but that it would be absolutely necessary to contemplate forthwith the enlargement of the Building, and possibly an increase of the Establishment; and subject to these observations, his Honour would forthwith make every effort to comply with the request of the Treasury.

The very laborious task of removal was entrusted to Mr. Holden, an Assistant Keeper of the second class, and Mr. Lascelles, an officer of the third class; and it being ascertained that a sufficient number of workmen could not be spared from the staff of the Record Establishment to make the removal, application was made to Your Majesty's Board of Works for help, and a gang of workmen was sent accordingly. These measures commenced on Tuesday the 13th February, and the plan adopted was the following—that Mr. Lascelles should commence the removal on the afternoon of February 13th, remaining at the Depôt (which he did during the whole time embraced by the removal), consigning the Papers to Mr. Holden, the latter remaining in the New Repository, and accompanying each van load with a list or summary of its contents. The house was entirely filled with papers from top to bottom; great quantities had to be handed down a tortuous and narrow staircase from the attics and second floor,

whilst others required to be passed up from the kitchens, yet the removal was prosecuted by Mr. Lascelles without pause and through all obstacles, notwithstanding the inclement weather and the inconveniences resulting from the crowding of workmen of all descriptions employed upon the repair of the premises as fast as they could be cleared of the papers and old presses. The hours of labour were extended often from 7, and generally from 8, in the morning to 9 in the evening; and by dint of unflagging exertions this vast bulk was entirely transferred by 3 o'clock on Saturday, 10th March, the weight exceeding 150 tons, and the number of van-loads being 113.

On the whole, the Documents, at least the more important and useful, were in fairly consultable order; some were deposited confusedly or negligently, *e.g.* in the corners of rooms and on vacant tables; but, nevertheless, the papers most commonly wanted for current office business, could be produced without much delay. The whole of the rooms and passages at 6, Whitehall Yard were fitted up with shelved presses; the convenient accommodation afforded by which enabled this degree of order to be maintained. Hence arose the great difficulty of the present transfer. It was needful that a scheme should be adopted to meet the unusual responsibility imposed on the Record Officer, not only of transferring in order, uninjured, and in a very brief period (three weeks alone being allowed for the purpose) 40,104 parcels and books, but of keeping them whilst in course of transfer in such a state that any paper might be ready at hand and instantly selected to meet the necessities, however pressing and urgent, of the present important crisis. This had to be accomplished without presses and shelves ready at hand to meet the emergency; and, owing to the great care and attention of the gentlemen employed, the removal was most successfully carried out; for though on the arrival of the Documents at the Record Office, they were sometimes stowed necessarily in bulky and solid blocks, still the public service has never been brought to a standstill nor even delayed, for want of the production of a paper, however minute, from the very heart of those imposing masses.

Some, however, of the papers are in a very bad state, fœtid and rotten; they had been placed in presses in the kitchen, the roof of which was arched, and formed a terrace projecting from the house towards the garden. Not only this pavement, but the whole house also, had been much neglected, and successive rains had for a long period percolated between the flag stones, soaked through the brickwork of the arches, and been absorbed by the mass of papers beneath; fortunately they are Documents of not the most valuable kind, being Militia Accounts and Vouchers only.

During the continuance of this removal, a small remove, which may be described as of a supplementary character, took place on the 24th February; it consisted of books and bundles of military papers originally set aside to be forwarded to the office at Chelsea Hospital, to be there placed with others of the same kind; but such removal having been subsequently countermanded, they were sent to the Record Office instead. They consist of Registers of Records of Services, and Attestations, and some old Irish Accounts belonging to Mr. Anderson; in all, 19 parcels of books and papers.

The manner in which the Records are temporarily deposited in the New Repository will be stated in a subsequent section (II. § 44).

13. *Further War Office Papers.*—Your Majesty's Secretary-at-War, by his of the 4th April 1855, informed the Master of the Rolls that certain documents of a like nature to those removed from the War Office Depôt in Whitehall Yard, were deposited in Chelsea Hospital, but that the rooms in which they were deposited being required for other purposes, he requested that directions might be given to receive the same into the Record Repository. To this application it was stated in reply by his Honour the Master of the Rolls, 13th April 1855, that it was impossible to receive any more Government Documents in the present building without subverting all the plans for the arrangement of the Public Records; and his Honour further referred to the communications addressed to the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, as before stated (§ 9); and all the replies addressed by the Master of the Rolls to the Home, Admiralty, and War Office Departments have been transmitted to the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury for their information.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the Regulations of the Statute.

Carlton Ride; and Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.

Records of the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas, and of the Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer; Equity Records of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Revenue Side of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Palace Court; &c.—(Assistant Keepers, the Rev. Joseph Hunter, Mr. Roberts, and Mr. Nelson.)

Mr. Hunter's Division.

1. *Business of the Division.*—The extent of the business of this Division appears from the following statement:—

——	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Fees.		
1854.						£	s.	d.
January	-	43	2	-	-	2	11	0
February	-	77	3	-	-	1	4	0
March	-	74	11	12	-	7	18	6
April	-	22	3	-	2	5	7	6
May	-	32	3	1	-	5	10	0
June	-	21	4	5	-	1	19	6
July	-	-	2	-	2	4	10	6
August	-	12	-	-	-	0	7	0
September	-	1	1	-	-	6	15	0
October	-	2	1	-	-	3	8	0
November	-	62	6	2	-	2	4	0
December	-	-	6	-	-	0	16	0
Total	-	346	42	20	4	42	11	0

The total number of folios of copy is 1,027, large portions of which have been made in "anastatic ink," at the particular request of a searcher. The greater part of these have been well executed by Mr. Haydon.

Mr. Hunter has shared in the labour of examining and advising upon the fitting up and completion of the New Repository. He has also assisted in Mr. Roberts' Department, in collating and certifying copies, apart from the large assistance rendered by Mr. Nelson in that Department.

2. *Queen's Remembrancer's Miscellaneous Records.*—Mr. Hunter has continued the very laborious task of the cleansing, repairing, entitling, and describing the ancient and long-neglected Compotuses deposited in the Exchequer, described in every preceding Report (First Report, II. § 4; Second Report, II. § 22; Third Report, II. § 2; Fourth Report, §§ 2, 5, 8; Fifth Report, II. § 4; Sixth Report, II. § 2; Seventh Report, II. § 69; Eighth Report, II. § 78; Ninth Report, II. § 27; Tenth Report, II. § 22; Eleventh Report, II. § 14; Twelfth Report, II. § 13; Thirteenth Report, II. § 22; Fourteenth Report, II. § 17; Fifteenth Report, II. § 2). It was nearly brought to a conclusion about the beginning of the past year, when he entered more expressly on the arrangement and distribution of the documents under proper heads. This Mr. Hunter would have done under ordinary circumstances; but it became the more urgently necessary in the prospect of their speedy removal to the New Repository, where they must, when deposited, be placed in a state of orderly arrangement. When thus brought before him to be distributed in order of subject and time, opportunity was afforded for a partial recension of the descriptions which had been prepared of them; the perfect performance of which being to take place when the portions still without calendars shall be calendared, a work which has also been in progress during the past year. Altogether this task is one which requires, besides heavy labour, great critical knowledge and that stimulus of earnest antiquarian zeal and energy,

with which Mr. Hunter is so peculiarly endowed. The total number of documents operated upon has been as follows:—

To the 87,219 reported as having been ascertained and described in the Fifteenth Report (II. § 2), are to be added 1,855, the work of the past year, making the total 89,074.

They are of the following reigns:—

Richard I.	1	Edward VI.	73
Henry III.	9	Philip & Mary	19
Edward I.	28	Elizabeth	181
Edward II.	58	James I.	130
Edward III.	78	Charles I.	343
Richard II.	26	Interregnum	27
Henry IV.	19	Charles II.	239
Henry V.	8	James II.	1
Henry VI.	46	William and Mary	3
Edward IV.	14	Anne	1
Edward V.	1	George I.	2
Richard III.	1	George II.	4
Henry VII.	47	George III.	2
Henry VIII.	457	Undetermined	37
			1,855

3. *Calendars.*—The Calendar of the Escheators' Accounts and Inquisitions, for the second of the three periods into which the Calendar is divided, viz. from Richard II. to Richard III., has been completed for all the Escheatries; and a slight beginning has been made of the Calendar of the same kind of matter for the first period, viz. from Henry III. to Edward III. Two of Mr. Hunter's officers having been temporarily removed to other Departments, his progress in these works has been impeded.

4. *Indexes, &c.*—An Index has been made to the part of the Calendar of Escheators' matter which is printed at pp. 1-222 of the Second Appendix to the Tenth Report of the Deputy Keeper.

An Index is also in progress to the Possessions of Religious Houses, as shown in the Sixth Volume of the Valor Ecclesiasticus of King Henry VIII., being greatly wanted both in this Department and in Mr. Roberts', and, indeed, found to be almost essential to the proper execution of Mr. Hunter's duties in the arrangement of the Ministers' Accounts.

The fine book of Cardinal Pole's Return of Corrodies, &c., has been placed in proper covers; and the depositing the finished Escheators' Inquisitions in portfolios has been begun.

Mr. Roberts' Division.

5. *Business of the Division.*—The public business transacted, and for which fees have been received, during the past year, is as follows:—

FEES RECEIVED FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 31ST DECEMBER 1854.

——	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Net Amount of Fees.	Total.
						£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Common Pleas, and Palace and Marshalsea Courts	632	-	-	-	-	31 12 0	—
	-	99	-	-	-	4 19 0	—
	-	-	334	-	-	33 17 6	—
	-	-	-	330	-	31 9 0	—
							101 17 6
Exchequer	122	-	-	-	-	6 2 0	—
	-	364	-	-	-	18 4 0	—
	-	-	172	-	-	59 4 6	—
	-	-	-	67	-	19 5 6	—
	-	-	-	-	3	6 6 0	—
							109 2 0
Queen's Bench	58	-	-	-	-	2 18 0	—
	-	58	-	-	-	2 18 0	—
	-	-	34	-	-	18 11 6	—
	-	-	-	14	-	12 2 0	—
							36 9 6
Total	812	521	540	411	3	-	247 9 0

Some business has also been transacted for Government Departments.

The important services afforded by Mr. Roberts in the removal of the Welsh Records and their deposition in the New Repository, appear in other sections of this Report (I. § 3; II. §§ 25, 45).

Inventories, Calendars, &c.

6. *Feet of Fines* (*Modern Series*), (*Common Pleas*).—The collation and correction of the Index to the Feet of Fines has been resumed, and completed from Easter Term 38, to Hilary Term 45, George III., comprising in the whole 18,695 Documents. The Index has been collated with the Records, and the corresponding numbers added thereto.

7. *Depositions by Commission* (*Exchequer, Queen's Remembrancer*).—In the Fifteenth Report (I. § 6.) it was stated that a collation of the old Index Books with the Depositions was in progress, a printed Form being attached to each set of proceedings, on which the clerk entered the subject matter of the Documents, which were then placed in order in portfolios, and the work had then been continued up to the 39th Elizabeth. Early in the last year, the said reign was completed, when Mr. Roberts, after much consideration, considered it expedient to make a fresh Calendar on a better plan than that adopted in the old Office Calendars. The old system, therefore, has not been continued, and Mr. Bond, an Officer of the Third Class, has commenced a new Calendar of these Records, which, it is expected, will be found as complete and useful as need be. This has been completed from the 1st to 26th Elizabeth, and the reign will probably be finished during the now current year; Mr. Roberts hopes also during this year to have a similar Calendar made to the Barons' Depositions for the reign of Elizabeth; and as opportunity occurs he purposes having the Calendar continued for both classes of Depositions, during the succeeding reigns.

8. *Particulars for Grants* (*Exchequer*).—The Indices Nominum and Locorum to the Inventory of these Records for the reign of Edward VI. which (Fifteenth Report, II. § 7) were completed to the middle of Letter H, have been continued to the end of the reign. These slips have now to be arranged in alphabetical order and fair copied.

The Indices Nominum and Locorum to the Inventory for the reign of Philip and Mary, have been arranged alphabetically, and fair copied.

The slips for the Inventory for the reign of Elizabeth, which at the time of my last Report (II. § 7) had been made to the middle of Letter K, have been continued to the end of Z. They are now in progress of arrangement, and the Indexes will be speedily completed and fair copied. The Indexes of "Miscellaneous" Documents of this Class (which bear neither name of grantee nor date), are in progress and will speedily be arranged and copied.

9. *Calendar of the Patent Rolls* (*Henry VIII.*), (*Chancery*).—The Draft of this Calendar (Second Report, II. § 7, App. II. No. 7; Eighth Report, II. § 90; Ninth Report, II. §§ 6, 24, App. II. Nos. 1 and 8; Tenth Report, II. §§ 9, 14; Eleventh Report, II. §§ 8, 12; Twelfth Report, II. §§ 16, 37; Thirteenth Report, II. § 19; Fourteenth Report, II. § 14; Fifteenth Report, II. § 8;) has been continued through the 30th year, and to Part V. of the 31st year, of the reign—13 Rolls. It has been necessary to occupy a considerable portion of the time of Mr. Gairdner (the gentleman occupied upon this Calendar), in making copies, and upon business in the Stone Tower, by which the Calendar is delayed.

Repairs, Arrangements, &c.

Queen's Bench.

10. *Doggett Rolls.*—The remainder of these Rolls (Fourteenth Report, II. § 3; Fifteenth Report, II. § 9;) have been flattened and repaired, and the series is finished.

Common Pleas.

11. *Early Feet of Fines.* (In Counties.)—The operations before reported on these Documents (Ninth Report, II. § 43; Tenth Report, II. § 31; Eleventh Report, II. § 22; Twelfth Report, II. § 23; Thirteenth Report, II. § 4; Fourteenth Report, II. § 5; Fifteenth Report, II. § 10;) have been continued. Those for London and Middlesex have been finished; and for the counties of Norfolk, Northampton, Northumberland, Nottingham, and Oxford, 8,188 have

been mended and guarded. For Norfolk, 2,529 have been examined by Mr. Bond and arranged in years and terms.

12. *Modern Feet of Fines.* (In Terms.)—These Records have been proceeded with (Fourteenth Report, II. § 6; Fifteenth Report, II. § 11;) and 146,585 (168 Terms) previously stamped, have been placed in portfolios or canvass packages; also 107,701 have been flattened, and, where requisite, repaired, and 103,135 of them stamped.

13. *Concords of Fines.*—Operations upon these Documents for the reign of George III. have been proceeded with (Fourteenth Report, II. § 7; Fifteenth Report, II. § 12;) the reigns of George IV. and William IV. having been done before, and 180,244 Documents (forming with the preceding, a total of 376,163 Documents of this class operated upon) have been cleaned, stamped, and mended when necessary; they have been arranged and connected in 42,733 suits, and packed in parcels between millboards.

14. *Recovery Rolls.*—This series extends from 25 Eliz. 1583, to 10 George IV. 1829. The importance of these Rolls was stated in the Deputy Keeper's last Report (II. § 13) and those from 13 George I. to 10 George IV. were then nearly completed. 35 Rolls have now been added to this portion, and the whole of it is finished and placed in vellum cases. Of the portion previous to 13 George I. there have been 224 Rolls (of the reigns of Elizabeth, James I., and Charles I.) cleaned, repaired, re-tied, and placed in cases. This work, as well as some others, has not progressed so fast as Mr. Roberts had hoped, owing to the many interruptions the workmen have received.

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15. *Bills and Answers.*—The arrangement of Miscellaneous Bills and Answers (Tenth Report, II. § 34; Eleventh Report, II. § 27; Twelfth Report, II. § 26; Thirteenth Report, II. § 7; Fourteenth Report, II. § 8; Fifteenth Report, II. § 14;) has been continued. 194 documents have been identified with the entries in the Bill Books, and 142 found not entered therein.

16. *Decrees and Orders, (Miscellaneous).*—Of these documents 2,305 have been mended and added to the Supplementary Series (Fourteenth Report, II. § 11; Fifteenth Report, II. § 17).

17. *Depositions and Commissions.*—About 271 miscellaneous Documents have been added to the series, (Fifteenth Report, II. § 15), and lists describing property, &c. made of them.

By an alphabetical arrangement the various detached documents and fragments will be brought together and placed with the suits to which they belong, and be included in the Calendar of the Depositions now in progress, before described (II. § 7), and thus eventually the whole of the miscellaneous class will be absorbed.

18. *Miscellaneous Books, Augmentation Office.*— The descriptive titles of these books made some years ago have been arranged in order, and pasted down, and bound in one large volume, which is found very useful.

19. *Pipe Rolls.*—Of this fine series of Records, 25 more Rolls (Fifteenth Report, II. § 18) have been thoroughly repaired, viz., 15 of Henry II., 4 of Richard I., 1 of John, 4 of Henry III. and 1 of Edward I. The work is in progress. These Rolls are exceedingly valuable and much consulted, and it is very important to bring them into order.

The large series of Chancellor's Rolls has been also arranged chronologically and a list of them made, and they have been repacked in 49 large packages in canvass and boards. The membranes of these Rolls are not sewn together, but only tied up in flat parcels. The first available opportunity should be taken to have the membranes carefully arranged, stitched together at the head, and placed in covers like the Pipe Rolls, when they would be more convenient for public consultation, and might frequently save the wear of the Pipe Rolls; and would also be very useful in many cases where the Pipe Rolls are illegible or defective.

These Rolls were fortunately not transferred to the British Museum when the early portion of the series was transmitted there by the late Record Commissioners in 1833 and 1834. They were called "Duplicates" of the Pipe Rolls, which in many instances they are not. The transaction was equally injudicious and unwarranted by law.

20. *Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Memoranda Roll, 8 Hen. VI.*—This valuable Roll, containing 249 membranes in a bad state, has been completely repaired.

21. *Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's and Pipe Offices (Miscellaneous).*—The arrangement by classes described in the Deputy Keeper's last Report (II. § 19) has been continued to a small extent, and a class comprising "Public Works, Buildings, Palaces, Parks, &c.," collected together, but the classification of these Records has not been proceeded with since June.

22. *Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer and Pipe Offices—Original Repertories.*—These have been flattened and placed in vellum cases, and lists are made thereof. They are a valuable series of nearly 200 Rolls, and are much used.

23. *Binding, &c.*—Upwards of 100 volumes (many of them very large) have been repaired and rebound. Additional assistance in this branch of work is much needed at present. A great variety of minor operations has been performed in sorting, cleaning, flattening, repairing, and arranging, and in correcting lists, &c., but the operations are too minute to admit of enumeration. They have been stated in the Monthly Returns of work.

24. *Tabular Summaries of Records.*—The Conspectus, or Tabular Summary of Records of the Augmentation Office, which was last year reported to be in progress, has been finished, and a similar one for the Records of the Palace and Marshalsea Courts has been made. These lists are very serviceable, and Mr. Roberts and his clerks have attended to them with great diligence. (Thirteenth Report, II. § 20; Fourteenth Report, II. § 15; Fifteenth Report, II. § 21.)

25. *New Record Repository; Welsh Records.*—In addition to his employment at the Carlton Ride, Mr. Roberts has given very frequent attendance in the New Record Repository. From the end of April to the middle of July 1854, a considerable part of his time was occupied on the plans for the Fittings of the New Repository, and for the arrangement of the Records therein. From 6th September to 6th December he was chiefly engaged in packing and bringing up to London the Records of the abolished Welsh Judicature, and placing them in the New Record Repository (I. § 3); and during his absence Mr. Nelson performed the superintending duties of the office.

Chapter House.

Common Law, Exchequer, and Miscellaneous Records.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Devon and Mr. Burtt).

26. *Business of the Division; Proceedings of the Court of Wards and Liveries, Court of Requests, Miscellanea, &c.*—The following is the detail of business in this Division:—

65 Searches.
127 Inspections.
49 Copies.
23 Authentications.
2 Attendances.

Mr. Devon has continued the Index to the Proceedings of the Court of Requests during the reign of Elizabeth, as stated in the Deputy Keeper's last Report (II. § 43), giving the names of the parties, object of the suit, and nature of document, to 1,066 more suits, which, added to the 1,390 done before, makes a total of 2,456 suits already completed, which averages at least three documents to each suit, thus making a total of 7,368 documents. A manuscript bound volume of part of this index has been transmitted to the Deputy Keeper, accompanied by two other volumes of index (not made this year) to 2,300 more documents, found amongst these proceedings (but not belonging thereto), making a total of 9,668 documents indexed, and thereby for the first time made searchable and accessible to the public.

Mr. Burtt has continued the very useful work of sorting and indexing the decayed and other miscellanea about the office, and has discovered many im-

portant Records which have been placed in their several localities, and the whole will much facilitate the removal into the New Repository. Much of his time has also been occupied with searches amongst the Treasury Solicitor's Papers, which were deposited in the Chapter House in 1853, (Fifteenth Report, I. § 4, II. § 45), but are now removed from this department to the Rolls House (II. § 42), the indexes transmitted therewith being very imperfect, and giving much trouble. He has also, besides official searches and copies, been considerably employed in attending upon literary inquirers; the return on that head does not show the time taken up in explaining the documents they consult, and answering the inquiries they make. Some of Mr. Burtt's time has also been occupied with the Census Papers of 1851, brought into this Repository (Fifteenth Report, I. § 7, II. § 46).

27. *Notes of Fines.*—The numbering, examining, and stamping of the Notes of Fines (Second Report, II. § 26, App. I. No. 22 *b*; Third Report, II. § 17; Fourth Report, II. § 28; Fifth Report, II. § 42; Sixth Report, II. § 65, App. I. Nos. 10 *b* and *c*; Seventh Report, II. § 16; Fifteenth Report, II. § 44;) has been continued; above 89,000 of the reign of Geo. III. have been so treated. In the course of this process, it has been ascertained that very many were defective when transmitted into this office, 37 not indexed, and 207 lost.

Tower of London.

Records of the Chancery, Admiralty, &c.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. Hardy.)

28. *Business of the Division.*—The business of this Division, for which fees have been paid, has been as follows:—

——	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.
1854.					
January - -	5	35	3	—	—
February - -	2	9	11	2	—
March - -	4	27	42	25	—
April - - -	2	8	13	8	2
May - - -	1	5	10	6	—
June - - -	1	55	15	14	1
July - - -	5	17	- -	- -	2
August - -	1	3	4	2	—
September - -	- -	2	11	—	—
October - -	2	10	7	—	—
November - -	2	10	5	1	—
December - -	1	10	19	3	—
Total - -	26	191	140	61	5

The progress made in calendaring and arranging the Records in the office has not been so great during the above-mentioned period as in former periods. The causes are various; the reduction of the establishment (one of Mr. Hardy's assistants having been temporarily removed to Carlton Ride), and the illness of another gentleman; but principally from Mr. Hardy's absence whilst employed upon the surveys of the Durham and Peveril Records, as noticed in previous sections (I. §§ 4, 5), and the preparation of his laborious Reports thereon. Nevertheless, 2,331 miscellaneous Records, most of them ancient Parliamentary documents, have been numbered and calendared, as well as checked with the printed Petitions, corresponding references having been made to a great portion of them, a work of much labour, but absolutely necessary, as unless this labour be performed, it is not possible to find any of the printed Petitions. Mr. Hardy has also been much employed in the arrangements for the New Repository.

29. *Parliamentary Writs and Returns.*—The Parliamentary Writs and Returns (Fourteenth Report, II. § 25; Fifteenth Report, II. § 24), from the reign of Edward I., to that of Edward IV., amounting to 6,563 instruments, have all been re-sorted and arranged between boards chronologically, according to Parliaments, and also entitled.

30. *Proceedings on the Common Law Side of the Court of Chancery.*—Of the documents which have been noticed and described in preceding Reports

(Seventh Report, II. § 11, App. II. No. 8; Eighth Report, II. § 103; Ninth Report, II. § 19;) commonly known as the County Placita, but more properly called Proceedings on the Common Law Side of the Court of Chancery, 5,789 have been prepared for the workmen to mend, and lists of them made. These Inventories will be very useful hereafter.

31. *Literary Inquirers, Repairs, &c.*—The searches of literary applicants have been very numerous this year, and occupied a great deal of time, but the importance of the results has more than repaid the trouble bestowed upon these gentlemen. Mr. Hardy specially reports the services of Mr. Sanders, an officer of the third class, to whom he entrusted the management of the office during his absence in the North, and states that he conducted the business of the office in every way satisfactorily.

During the above-mentioned period, the workmen have repaired generally 5,940 documents, have sewed 14,687 instruments in boards, having first stitched 11,541 pieces in parcels of ten. They have also cleaned and partially repaired 3,910 of the County Placita before referred to, as well as carefully mended several membranes of the Chancery Enrolments. They have also been employed 297 hours on Admiralty Searches.

Rolls Chapel Office.

Records of the Chancery, Privy Signet, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe.)

32. *Business of the Division.*—Mr. Holden, in addition to his usual duties in relation to the general management and superintendence of the business of this Branch Office, also acts as Clerk of the Chapel, under the old constitution, to attend his Honour the Master of the Rolls in his judicial capacity, when entries of recognizances, &c., require to be vacated. He has, by the direction of the Master of the Rolls, received the key of the New Repository, which is placed under his charge, as Care-taker. In this capacity he has to regulate and superintend the attendance given by the police, as after mentioned (III. § 2), as well as the conduct of the workmen employed by the Board of Works or the contractors. He receives into his charge such articles of furniture as are furnished for the apartments, and is responsible for the care and security of the same. These duties consume much of his time; and he also attends to searches in the Chester and Welsh Records, brought into the New Repository as above mentioned (I. § 3), and acts with Mr. Roberts in the care and custody of the said Records, and has received and accounted for the fees.

In performing the above duties, Mr. Holden's time has been fully occupied more than six hours per day on the average, and it will be obvious, on reference to the amount of work done by the Commissioners of Patents, that their proceedings have added considerably to the labours and care of the Assistant Keepers in this Division.

The following Table shows the Office Business transacted in the course of the year, for which Fees were paid:—

——	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies and Quantity.	Authentications and Quantity.	Attendances.	Fees.
1854.			folios.	folios.		£ s. d.
January - -	68	100	21= 543	8= 251	- -	26 10 0
February - -	56	146	22= 527	7= 147	2	24 18 0
March - - -	72	119	38= 959	27= 458	- -	42 0 6
April - - -	56	123	27= 652	11= 262	4	32 14 6
May - - -	49	91	20= 765	8= 310	1	32 7 6
June - - -	73	173	25= 711	25= 500	1	37 19 6
July - - -	69	197	15= 673	11= 279	3	34 18 0
August - -	33	134	7= 187	7= 224	1	15 12 6
September - -	27	155	7= 170	2= 80	- -	10 9 0
October - -	33	32	4= 76	2= 10	- -	4 18 0
November - -	63	150	38=1,175	7= 181	2	39 18 0
December - -	38	75	25= 915	9= 138	1	31 8 6
Total - -	637	1,495	249=7,353	124=2,840	15	333 14 0

Business has also been done in relation to copies, &c., for which no fees have been received.

Much time also has been employed in attending on Mr. Woodcroft, on behalf of the Commissioners of Patents of Inventions, in conjunction with Your Majesty's Printers, his clerks, writing stationers, draftsmen, lithographic printers, readers, and examiners. 404 applications, by 1,209* applicants, who, exclusively of searching the Indexes, inspected 2,267 Documents, copied in ink (by the especial permission of the Master of the Rolls) upwards of 15,000 folios of Specifications, and 400 sheets of drawings, and likewise examined the same. The time of workmen occupied in reference to this service was 1,133 hours.

In cases of Foreclosure, there have been 73 attendances to receive money in compliance with Orders of Court; each attendance is limited to one hour, and sometimes two hours. The attendances are entered by the parties in the Office Day Book, and, if the day appointed should fall on a holiday, an Assistant Keeper attends to open the office.

33. *Transmissions of Records.* — According to the ancient course of the Court of Chancery, the following Records have been brought into this office during the year, viz.:—

From the Enrolment Office :—

The Close Rolls of 1839, consisting of 215 parts.
The Recognizance Rolls of 1839, consisting of 2 parts.
12 monthly bundles of Memorials of Grants of Life Annuities of 1839.

From the Petty Bag Office :—

The Patent Rolls of 6 Will. IV. consisting of 25 parts.
The Privy Seal and Signed Bill Warrants of 6 Will. IV., consisting of 25 bundles.

From the House of Lords :—

The Parliament Rolls of 16 & 17 Vict., consisting of 50 parts, together with a printed Table of their contents.
The Parliament Rolls of 17 & 18 Vict., consisting of 52 parts, together with a printed Table of their contents.

From the Office of the Clerks of Records and Writs :—

The Enrolments of 71 Decrees in Chancery, together with the Dockets. The Enrolments have been sewed together, and form four Rolls or Parts; the Dockets have been tied up in bundles to correspond.

All the above Records have been arranged and placed in their proper order of succession.

34. *Arrangements, Repairs, Indexes, &c.*—Mr. Holden has employed the intervals of time not occupied in the current business, in making an Office Index to the Memorials of Grants of Life Annuities of the year 1838, consisting of 854 Memorials; in looking through the contents of 199 Close Rolls of 1838, and selecting therefrom the titles and dates of 187 Specifications, and entering them in the Specification Index; in continuing the Office Index to the Close Rolls of 1834; in indexing 71 Decrees brought in during the year, and adding the marginal notes and numbers to the Enrolments, and occasionally making office copies.

Mr. Sharpe has assisted to attend on applicants on public business, on literary inquirers, on the Agents of the Commissioners of Patents, and of Your Majesty's Printers. He has finished copying and comparing the Alphabetical Index to the Patent Rolls, Edward VI. and Philip and Mary, and assisted to examine the Index to Memorials of 1838, and occasionally to make and examine office and other copies. He has attended at the Bar of the House of Lords to produce Records, and at the Tower to authenticate copies in the absence of Mr. Hardy.

* That is to say, the same parties repeating their visits daily.

The works performed in relation to Indexes and Repairs has been as follows:—

Indexes to Close Rolls, 1826, 1828, fair copy in progress.
" 1827, fair copy completed.
" 1834, in progress in official form.
" 1835, done in draft.
" 1838, an alphabetical list of names made.

Memorials of Annuity Deeds, 1838, office index done.

Transcripts of the original Indexes of Names to the Patent Rolls of Edward VI. and Philip and Mary, and from 1 to 5 James I., have been continued and completed.

All Decrees brought in during the year have been indexed.

The Specification Index has been entered up, with the titles and dates of all Specifications enrolled upon the Close Rolls of 1838.

The binding and repairing of Indexes reported last year (Fifteenth Report, II. § 28) to be in progress, have been completed; and 85 volumes of Indexes, ancient and modern, have been bound up, and 5,382 leaves repaired.

158 membranes of various Rolls have been repaired, 81 membranes damped, and 787 sewed.

Rolls House.

Pell Records, and other Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer, late in the Custody of the Comptroller-General, &c.; Treasury Records; War Office Records; Slave Registration and Slave Compensation Records; Welsh Records; &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe.)

35. *Business of the Division.*—The business of this Division, arrangement of the Records, and attendance upon Searchers, &c., continue to be conducted by Mr. Lascelles and Mr. Knight, who receive instructions from Mr. Holden, the Assistant Keeper in charge. An additional clerk has been introduced into the office as after mentioned (II. § 42). The amount of business for which fees have been paid will appear from the Tabular Summary (App. No. 5), and from the following table:—

Period.	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Fees.		
						£	s.	d.
1854	10	124	62	14	2	24	18	6

But this return by no means yields a full insight into the actual amount of trouble incurred; the Literary Searchers occupy much time and attention. In addition to the above, many searches for the Government have been required, and many Documents have been inspected for the Public Service, of which no account appears in the above table. Mr. Lascelles, on behalf of Mr. Holden, has attended principally to the business and Literary Searchers, making of copies, and also to the general and particular arrangements after mentioned (II. §§ 36, 37, 38, 40, 44).

On the termination of the Commissariat Service in Ireland, 31st May 1852, the Papers were removed into this office by virtue of a Warrant dated 28th June 1852 (Fourteenth Report, I. § 8; II. §§ 29, 34). On the 8th of April 1854, Mr. Carpenter, Assistant Commissary General, attended here from the Treasury, and made a selection of some of the most recent Documents of the defunct branch of the Commissariat and late Famine Relief Service in Ireland for transmission thither; and on the 10th of April following, by authority of a letter from the Treasury, a great number of Commissariat Documents, 1845–1852, were packed up and transmitted to Deputy Commissary General Watt, Commissariat Office, Dublin.

In consequence of the advanced state of the New Record Repository, as after mentioned (III. § 1), the whole of the Records transmitted from time to time during the last fifteen years from various Government Departments, and deposited in the Rolls House, have been removed into the same. This removal commenced on Tuesday the 15th of August 1854. Six labourers were sent by the Board of Works to assist, and the floors of the attic story of the Rolls House

were equally and gradually lightened, the enormous weights of books and documents which had been piled upon racks in the centres of the different rooms were first removed; the racks upon which they stood in the Rolls House have been transferred into the new building for temporary use; the Records again placed in order there upon them, and by the 25th of September following, the removal may be regarded as having been virtually completed, such things only having been kept back as were under process of arrangement.

36. *Arrangement of Treasury Documents.*—The various operations commenced last year (Fifteenth Report, II. § 32) have been continued, and many thousand Documents have been opened, flattened, and arranged. Notwithstanding the lamentable condition in which so many of them have been found, greater numbers have been restored to such a state as to be fit for use by the care of the workmen than might have been anticipated; many entire sets, agglutinated by wet and unwholesome deposits, required to be separated leaf by leaf with a knife, and the obnoxious deposit wiped off; but notwithstanding their extreme filth and rottenness, the operations have been singularly successful.

Accounts and Vouchers of the Groom of the Stole.—The arrangement of the Accounts, &c., of the Earl of Winchelsea, Groom of the Stole to George III., has been completed (Fifteenth Report, II. § 32), they relate to what was called the Windsor Establishment, and include the period of the unhappy malady of that Sovereign. They form, as it were, a continuation of those interesting series of Records called Royal Household Books and Wardrobe Books, &c., existing from the reign of Edward I., in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, though the details contained in them are of course not so varied and curious as in ancient times. They extend from the quarter ending 5th April 1812, to that ending 5th April 1820. After the Queen's death (17th November 1818), the Duke of York was appointed guardian of the King's person, by the Act 59 Geo. 3. c. 1., so that there are many of the Duke's autographs in the years 1819 and 1820. The whole of these papers and books have been made up into forty-two bundles.

The Accounts and Vouchers for the Establishment of His Royal Highness the Duke of Sussex relate to the establishment of Augustus Frederick, Duke of Sussex, son of George III., while resident at Berlin in 1799–1800. They are in German, and curious, and contain many of his autographs. They have been arranged and made up into one bundle.

Military Canal Accounts are accounts of disbursements, &c. during the construction of the Royal Military or Shorncliffe and Rye Cut or Canal, which passes by Hythe. It is now used for traffic, though originally intended merely as a protection and impediment in case of foreign invasion. There are three bundles of these Accounts extending from the year 1811 to 1819; all have been opened, flattened, and arranged chronologically.

Accounts and Vouchers for the Establishment of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte of Wales.—There are nine bundles of these Accounts, which end July 5, 1814; they have been opened, flattened, and tied up in parcels, but are only partially arranged.

Mr. Alcock's Vouchers and the American Awards.—These arose out of the 7th Article of the Treaty of Amity and Commerce between Britain and the United States of America, signed at London, 19th November 1794. They have been all opened and flattened, but their arrangement is not yet complete.

St. Croix Loans are papers relating to the Danish and Dutch Loans in the Danish West India Islands of St. Croix, or St. Cruz, St. Thomas, and St. John, which existed prior to the capture of those islands by the British. These documents have been cleaned and flattened, and made up into bundles, which commence in 1808 and end in 1815, but are as yet only partly arranged. They have suffered less from the effects of the sewage than most of the others with which they were found placed.

North and South Carolina Accounts occupy six bundles, and contain Accounts of the pay of the loyalist militia, and of the relief to the loyalist refugees from North and South Carolina in America, disbursed at Charlestown in 1780-82. They have been cleaned and arranged.

American Loyalist Claims. — The remainder of these papers (Fifteenth Report, II. § 32) has been dealt with by the workmen. Operations upon the most damaged portion had been deferred to the last; they also were agglutinated in masses, and required to be separated one by one by means of a paper-knife. Their final arrangement is not yet completed.

The whole of the documents already enumerated formed a portion of the contents of the loft over the engine-house in the Rolls Yard, the lamentable condition of which, and the loss of the right eye sustained by Mr. Lascelles, in consequence of the illness contracted whilst working upon them, have been noticed in the Fifteenth Report (II. § 32). Their arrangement, as far as it has gone, has been carried on solely by Mr. Lascelles, with the assistance of workmen. Of course many of the documents have perished irretrievably, but no series, perhaps, has suffered more than the American Claims.

East Florida Claims.—These, having been opened and left exposed to the air for a long period to purify, have been tied up in parcels, but are not yet arranged (Fifteenth Report, II. § 32).

Cape Coast Castle Accounts, &c.—These Accounts, books, and papers, which were contained in a set of small wooden boxes in a very unsound condition, have been opened, flattened, and tied up chronologically in parcels; they have all more or less suffered from the effects of the sewer water, which in 1846 inundated the cellar at the Treasury where they had been stored.

37. *Miscellaneous Treasury Books.*—This title is applied to a considerable bulk of books, of all sizes, which from time to time came into this Branch Office during the various removals from the Treasury. Being very varied and multifarious in their contents, very often, too, destitute also of title or heading, they presented obstacles to a hasty or inconsiderate arrangement, and were in consequence left to be dealt with at some future time. Thus had they by degrees accumulated until their bulk and thorough commixture rendered the task of reducing them to system difficult and wearisome. There existed no notes to give a clue to their contents, or afford a guide as to their classification; and this very circumstance rendered it the more necessary to reduce them into order. Much of Mr. Lascelles' time has been thus engrossed, and great progress has been made towards their orderly restoration. As might have been expected, many helped to fill up gaps in serial classes already in existence here, while it was necessary to classify others under some general heading, as "Army," "Navy," "Excise," "Customs," &c. Such as had titles will be found noticed specifically in the lists which have been from time to time furnished of the various removals from the Treasury Chambers; and such as had no titles were brought into this Repository under the wide denomination of "Miscellaneous." If required by a searcher in the printed lists, great difficulties presented themselves in the way of finding them, for they had neither been ticketed nor numbered. These volumes are principally in the form of thin pass-books, varying from about 50 to 100 leaves each, generally of the size of royal or imperial folio, and in thick paper covers. Many being in duplicate, triplicate, and occasionally even quadruplicate, had to be compared leaf by leaf, and entry by entry, before they could be finally disposed of. Such as have been dealt with have been grouped into small parcels of six or eight, tied round with string, labelled, and numbered. Thus they are not liable to be again thrown into confusion. Many, as before stated, have been grafted into series existing in this Branch, and many more in all likelihood belong to classes already in existence elsewhere, but not yet removed to this Office. Whether, however, the latter be the case or not, much progress has been made in securing them from further disorganization.

38. *Rentals, &c. of Forfeited Estates in Scotland.*—These consist, in the first place, of the Report (dated 12th November 1756) of the Commissioners and Trustees for managing the forfeited annexed estates in Scotland, appointed by Royal Commission dated 20th March 1755, and pursuant to the Act 25 Geo. II. "for annexing certain Forfeited Estates in Scotland to the Crown, inalienably, &c." These papers were found by Mr. Lascelles mixed together without order: they are now arranged in conformity with the list* which accompanied the said Report of 1756, and yield the following result:—

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* By this list it appears that three surveys are missing; viz., those relating to the estates of Daniel Wemys Lord Elcho, Lord Lewis Gordon, and David Rowe.

60 Rentals, Surveys, and Inventories of Forfeited Estates, real and personal, 46 whereof are in duplicate, making together - - - - - - -	106
The said Report, list, and seven other miscellaneous papers	9
Total - -	115

To them has been added a thin volume found among the miscellaneous Treasury Books, entitled "Abstract Rentals of annexed Estates taken in the "year 1755."

39. *Registered Treasury Papers.*—The time disposable for the arrangement of the Treasury Papers during the past year has been considerably curtailed by the need of attending to the Exchequer Records (say two months), and by a nearly equal period at different times, when Mr. Knight was occupied upon office copies and other current business, both in the Rolls House and in the Rolls Chapel. The greater portion of the time devoted to them has been employed in flattening, revising, making up in bundles, and indorsing the 23,000 documents described as arranged in the Fifteenth Report (II. § 37). 2,631 documents of like nature with the foregoing have, during the past year, been arranged and incorporated with them; and 1,330, obtained since the others were flattened, have been arranged, but are not yet flattened and incorporated. All those mentioned in the Fifteenth Report (II. § 37), have been flattened by the workmen, and most of them are made up finally in 132 bundles, but from the pressure of other duties they have not been completely arranged. The operation of revision is one which needs time and care; and altogether, from the number of inclosures (not reckoned in the foregoing numbers) contained by some of these documents, this operation is in some cases little less laborious than that of the first arrangement.

The Papers reported on last year (Fifteenth Report, II. § 37), as being in progress, but not arranged chronologically, constitute the larger portion of these Papers not finally arranged. Additions have been made to them, their classification and subdivision amended, and in most cases completed; and they now for the most part only await the chronological arrangement to make them easily consultable. Six months exclusively devoted to them will, it is hoped, complete their arrangement; but a longer period must elapse before they can be flattened out, cleaned, revised, and made up in bundles.

Some additions have been made to the foregoing classes which were found among the "Periodical Papers" (Thirteenth Report, II. § 39), when many of these bulky classes were last year sorted by Mr. Knight, on their removal into the New Repository.

The arrangement of these Treasury Papers, from the very confused state in which they were sent to the Public Record Office, and the absence (except in some of the older classes) of anything approaching to classification or order (which rendered an intimate acquaintance with the whole mass necessary before arrangement could be begun), has from these causes been necessarily retarded. When, however, the numbers of documents and inclosures actually arranged, and the time occupied therein, are considered, together with the numerous necessary and long interruptions that have intervened, it will readily be perceived that considerable progress has been made. Little doubt is entertained but that, if no unforeseen interruptions of long duration occur during the present year, the operations on these papers will next year be finally completed. In the account given last year it was stated that each paper had to be put through four or five manipulations, that is, it had to be passed through four or five several processes before it arrived at the state of perfect arrangement. In consequence of this, the totals have been withheld until the completion of the work, because were they to be given at every stage, ultimately a very erroneous estimate might be formed of the total bulk of these documents. The following is a list of the various classes operated upon:—

War, Colonial, and Home Secretaries' Papers, 1696–1831.

Memorials of Paymaster-General (stamped, arranged, and incorporated with others previously arranged), 1779, 1802, 1814, 1815, 1818 to 1834.

Paymaster-General's Letters.
Foreign Office Letters, or Letters of Foreign Secretaries.
Letters of Commissioners of Navy (arranged and incorporated), 1749, 1771, 1784, 1785, 1788, 1789, 1802, 1807, 1809, 1820, 1822, 1829, 1831, 1832.
Memorials of the Treasurer of the Navy in nature of applications for the issues of money (arranged and incorporated), 1820, 1822, 1829, 1831, 1834.
Letters, Reports, &c., of Comptrollers of Army Accounts, 1791, 1794, 1798, 1801, 1803, 1806, 1809, 1817, 1819, 1825, 1827 to 1834.
Home Secretaries' Letters.
Letters of Commissioners for building new Churches.
Letters, &c. of Ordnance Office (chiefly applications for issues of money), 1692, 1697, 1701 to 1721, 1741, 1753, 1755, 1757, 1758, 1760, 1761, 1763, 1768, 1776, 1780, 1782, 1785, 1787, 1788, 1792, 1795 to 1799, 1802 to 1804, 1807 to 1809, 1814, 1823, 1825 to 1836.
Secretaries of State Papers, prior to 1782.
Secretary-at-War, Letters, Reports, and Memorials.
Admiralty Office Letters, 1705, 1711 to 1715, 1727, 1741, 1745, 1746, 1775, 1776, 1785, 1789, 1794 to 1803, 1805 to 1809, 1823, 1825, 1827, 1829 to 1833.
Admiralty Office (Victualling and Transport Department), 1832 to 1836, 1838.
Council Office Letters, 1730, 1781, 1798, 1801, 1802, 1807, 1808.
Navy Office Reports, Memorials, &c., 1686, 1704, 1707, 1711, 1713 to 1715, 1742, 1746 to 1749, 1758, 1797, 1823, 1829.
Victualling Office Reports and Memorials, 1712, 1744, 1746 to 1749, 1796, 1797, 1802, 1807 to 1809, 1814 to 1817, 1820, 1822, 1823, 1825 to 1832.
Transport Office Reports, Letters, &c., 1800, 1802, 1803, 1808, 1809.
Board of Green Cloth, 1805, 1807, 1815, 1819 to 1834.
Lord Chamberlains' Applications for Issues, 1776, 1785, 1787, 1797, 1798, 1801, 1803 to 1805, 1809, 1819, 1820, 1822, 1823, 1825, 1827, 1828, 1830.
Treasury Papers relating to Scotland, sorted into Customs, Excise, Forfeited Estates, Highland Roads and Bridges, &c., Lord Advocates' Applications for Money, Crown Rents, Barons of the Exchequer in Scotland, Commissioners for Fisheries and Manufactures, Miscellaneous Admiralty Office Papers.
Irish Papers, sorted into Forfeited Estates, Crown Lands, Dublin City, Castle, and Port, Military Affairs from 1688, Commissioners of Revenue, Lord Lieutenants' Letters not relating to any of the foregoing subjects, Customs, Excise, Stamps and Taxes, Miscellaneous, &c.
Parliamentary Estimates and Accounts.
Cofferer of the Royal Household.
Surveyor-General of Land Revenues.
Post Office } Certificates, and Incidents and Salary Bills.
Stamp Office }
Abstracts of Accounts.
States of Accounts.
Navy Commissioners' Reports and Letters.
Victualling Commissioners' Letters.
Ordnance Estimates.
Cash Papers.
Military Estimates.
Abstracts of Produce of Revenue in Ireland.

Excise Papers.—About 400 of these papers found dispersed, and which have turned up during the sortation of other Treasury Papers, have been inserted into their proper classes. These classes consist of Rests, Receipts, and Payments, Distribution of Cash, Excise Salary, and Excise Incident Bills, Hides and Salary, and Hides and Incident Bills, making in all eight distinct series, as sets of each of the above exist both for England and Scotland.

40. *Irish Commissariat Papers.*—When, as before mentioned (II. § 35), arrangements were made for the purpose of transmitting a portion of these papers to Ireland, attention was drawn to their condition. After careful examination they were reduced into classes and chronological order, and labelled and tied up in convenient parcels in brown paper.

41. *Exchequer Records.*—These have been principally attended to by Mr. Knight, who worked much upon them in Mr. Black's time. The removal of the Records from the Rolls House into the New Repository has rendered necessary the arrangement of various classes of Books and Papers of the Auditor of the Receipt of the Exchequer, which had either, as in the case of the *Books*, been arranged before by Mr. Black, and had afterwards been disturbed, or, as in the case of the *Papers*, which had previously been less perfectly arranged. The following are the classes of Books and Papers so treated:—

Books of the Auditor of the Receipt of the Exchequer.—The classes numbered by Mr. Black "V." to "XII.," amounting altogether to 319 Books have been identified with and arranged as described in the Inventories contained in Appendix II. of the Deputy Keeper's Second and Fifth Reports.

Papers of the Auditor of the Receipt of the Exchequer.—Original Treasury Orders and Receipts (part of the *Tellers' Vouchers,*) some thousands in number, have been arranged and incorporated with those formerly arranged. The more ancient of these documents were frequently nearly illegible from decay, and they all required at least four distinct manipulations before they could be finally arranged.

The whole series of these Orders and Receipts (many thousands in number) has been revised, and the series of "Great Orders" for the Bank of England, Army, Navy, Ordnance, Paymasters of Exchequer Bills, and South Sea Company, formerly arranged as a separate series (Eighth Report, App. I. No. 18), has been incorporated with them. They have also been dusted, made up in brown paper between millboards, labelled, and are now arranged in one chronological series of 81 bundles, beginning with a few in the sixteenth century and extending to 1834.

Receipts for Pensions, (also part of the *Tellers' Vouchers,*) some hundreds in number, found with the foregoing, arranged and partly incorporated with those formerly arranged. Many that had been torn in two pieces have had the halves identified, stamped, and pasted together. Some of these Receipts remain to be incorporated with those described in the Deputy Keeper's Fifteenth Report (II. § 38.)

Original Royal and Treasury Warrants (Eighth Report, App. II. No. 10, I. ii.).—Partly arranged and made up in three supplemental bundles, numbered in continuation of the rest, 89, 90, and 91, and containing respectively Royal Warrants, 1794 to 1834; Treasury Warrants (Dormant, Civil List, and others), 1805 to 1834; and Consolidated Fund Warrants, 1797, 1817 to 1834.

By these operations and others performed on the Exchequer Records, it is satisfactory that so important a class of Documents should have been made easily accessible, and secured against further loss or decay; and although the time devoted to them (more than two months) might have been usefully employed in the arrangement of the Treasury Records, yet, as the former could not, without danger of being more confused, have been removed from the shelves on which they were loosely laid, it seemed best to finish the arrangement thereof, and intermit that of the Treasury Papers.

42. *Papers of the Solicitor to the Treasury.*—These Documents have been described in previous Reports (Fourteenth Report, I. § 5; Fifteenth Report, I. § 4, II. § 45). Some notices of their nature will appear therein as well as the fact of their removal into the Chapter House. It being impracticable in the present state of business in that Branch Repository that the Officers there stationed should deal with them, they have been transferred into the New Repository; and the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury having been pleased to appoint a twentieth Junior Clerk, whose place had not been supplied since the year 1851, this gentleman has been employed thereon, the boxes

being brought in for that purpose from the New Repository. The Officer works in the Rolls House, in the apartments which have been repaired as after mentioned (III. § 1); and on account of the bulk of the Documents, and the need of bringing them into order for the use of the Treasury Solicitor, who frequently requires them, it has been determined that he should, with the smallest possible interruption, be employed thereon; and the following account of his work, performed thereon since the 29th January and 28th April 1855, is very satisfactory. The task, indeed, is one requiring much legal knowledge and acquaintance with professional business, which the officer possesses, as well as attention and bodily labour. The boxes containing the papers are 230 in number, together with a canvass bag, and a bundle of maps, plans, &c.; and they are accompanied by eight volumes of Indexes, compiled at various times by the Treasury Solicitor. These Indexes, however, are confined to about 180 of the boxes only; the remaining 50 were transmitted from the Treasury Solicitor's Department, not only without Index, but without any external description or ticketing mark, so as to denote their contents, consequently in those cases when the Treasury have directed a search for any particular Documents, and they were not found specified in the Indexes, the whole of the undescribed boxes might require examination before these Documents could be met with. Not only were the contents of these boxes without description, but the Papers in many of them were in complete confusion. The primary object was to reduce the entirety of the papers into such order that any particular bundle might be accessible when necessary. The operations therefore commenced with these unsorted boxes, with the intention of leaving those which were indexed until the last. When the accuracy of these Indexes was tested, many were so unsatisfactory as to be nearly useless, and the external description on many of the boxes which are marked was found to be so inaccurate as rather to mislead than to be of assistance in searching. For all practical purposes, therefore, it will not, perhaps, be overstating the case to say that the existence of these Indexes should be ignored altogether, except with regard to a few only of the boxes.

The propriety of beginning with these unsorted boxes is already exemplified, as the officers have thereby been enabled to produce the papers in two cases of French Claims, which were required by the Treasury; others have also been asked for, but have not yet been met with. For this reason the modern papers have been taken first in order for sortation, as they are subject to be called for by the Treasury at any instant, and it is therefore highly expedient that the sortation should continue without interruption, in order to avoid any unnecessary delay which might arise in searching for documents which have as yet been neither indexed nor sorted.

As a further illustration of the confusion which reigns among those papers it may be mentioned that the individual Documents constituting many of the bundles already made up have been collected from seventeen or eighteen different boxes; and until the whole of the work is completed, it cannot with any certainty be pronounced that a bundle is perfect. The number of boxes now completed is thirty.

New Record Repository.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Roberts and Mr. Holden.)

43. *Transfers, &c.*—In consequence of the deposits made in this building, as previously mentioned (I. §§ 3, 5, 12, II. §§ 25, 35), and the state and condition having advanced to the stage after mentioned (III. § 1), no time has been lost in commencing business therein; and the Welsh Records and the War Office Documents have been deposited as after mentioned (II. §§ 44, 45, III. § 1). The building is placed under the general charge of Mr. Holden, to whom the keys have been delivered, pursuant to the directions of the Master of the Rolls, for the purpose of acting as Care-taker of the premises. Mr. Roberts gives attendance as frequently as is consistent with his duties at the Carlton Ride, for the purpose of arranging and looking after the Welsh and Chester Records; and one of the clerks from the Carlton Ride, under his direction, has been located in the Repository, in order to give assistance to Mr. Holden in the searches which have begun to be made.

The foreman of the workmen employed upon binding has been stationed in a room appropriated as a workshop, and four other workmen are acting there under his inspection, according to the directions given by Mr. Roberts.

44. *War Office Papers.*—The removal of the War Office Papers has been fully stated in a previous section of this Report (I. § 12). Acting under Mr. Holden's direction, Mr. Lascelles takes charge of them, and they are under his management, subject to Mr. Holden's directions. The documents brought in consist of bound books or volumes, and of bundles, each usually containing several parcels of loose papers. The bound volumes amount to 6007.

The total number of bundles (some of very large size) is 34,097; and if this total be multiplied by 100, the result would yield a fair estimate of the aggregate number of small parcels of loose papers, each having reference to a separate case. Every one of these bundles has been carefully dusted, and about 22,000 of them have been re-tied with new string to hold the contents together, in lieu of the rotten tape which originally had been used; in many cases, too, where the wrappers, either through age or fracture, had become an insufficient protection from dust, fresh brown paper has been supplied. The quantity of brown paper required for the purpose will exceed twenty reams.

The following list will afford a detailed account of the total of each separate series, as well as the grand total of the aggregate:—

Books.	Number of Volumes.
Bound Pay Lists, from 1798	3,930
Casualty Return Books	925
Muster-Master-General's Indexes	163
Indexes, Series I.	354
Ditto Series II.	250
Ditto Series III.	12
Service Return Books	287
Registers	18
District Books	23
Diaries	14
Abstracts of Provisions	19
Effects and Credits	1
Nominal Returns	11
	6,007

Bundles.	Number of Bundles.
Regimental Accounts and Vouchers	10,478
District Pay Lists, Accounts, and Vouchers	2,027
Militia Pay Lists, Accounts, and Vouchers	5,206
Old Series of Correspondence	4,981
Effects Papers marked C.	1,320
Deserter Papers marked D.	682
Unnumbered Papers	1,484
Old District Muster Rolls	2
Discharges	355
Soldiers' Books	55
Monthly Returns (Head Quarters and District)	766
Correspondence marked A.	1,560
Miscellaneous, consisting of Army Reserves, Casualty Returns, Chatham Rolls, Correspondence marked B., Correspondence marked M., Commissariat Accounts, Foreign Unnumbered Papers, Hospital Accounts, Papers marked C., Papers marked M. and Arr., Papers marked R.B., Vouchers to Old Muster Rolls, Distributions, Miscellaneous, doubtful and waste (bundles and vols.)	5,181
Total of Bundles, &c.	34,097
Grand Total of Bound Volumes and Bundles	40,104

Mr. Lascelles has made a clever report on the subject of these papers, of which the following is the substance.—None are of ancient date: the earliest are the Muster Rolls of the Grenadier Guards, or 1st Foot Guards, which begin in October 1732; a large proportion relating to both horse and foot regiments, commence at 1759-60; but the greatest number extend from the latter end of the last century to the middle of the present.

Each integral portion of this mass is not always brought up systematically to the same even date throughout each series, but one or more of the component parts of a series will perhaps reach to a period eight or ten years later than another portion, depending on the amount of accommodation that lay within the reach of each subdivision of the War Office; each subdivision naturally wishing, for the purpose of easy and ready reference, to retain as many of its papers by it as it had deposit room to accommodate. As an example, we may take the bound Pay Lists. The Lists of some regiments extend to 1836–7, of others to 1840–1, and of others again to 1853–4* according to the particular Accountant's subdivision in which a regiment might happen to be included, and the facilities for warehouse accommodation at its disposal.

Originally, a separate Muster Roll was made out for each troop or company, but from about June 1785, the whole regiment was included in one Roll. The Muster Rolls and the bound Pay Lists† are perhaps the most important Records of the military forces of the British Empire, and ought to be perpetually preserved, but it is questionable whether the same value can be attached to that very bulky series of Documents called Accounts and Vouchers to Pay Lists. From these might be excerpted those particular sorts of papers known as "Renewed Pay Lists" and "Decisions;" but it is very questionable whether the preservation of the remainder, after the lapse of one hundred years, would be of any use or value either to the Public or the Government, and the War Office has not been in the habit of preserving them for any long period, and the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury have accordingly given directions for reducing into pulp any Documents which, after strict examination, shall not be found worthy of preservation. The Soldiers' Books form another series which rapidly increase, and they may be included in the class of which the preservation does not seem to be demanded by public utility. They contain printed instructions for guiding the soldier in the discharge of his duties, memoranda of his age, period and place of enlistment, number, nearest of kin, former services, promotions or reductions in rank, wounds, and services meriting distinction, &c., as well as the accounts of his monthly settlements of pay and clothing. Now, all the points of interest included in the above may be traced out by help of the Pay Lists; these books, moreover, are not sent to the War Office until the death of the soldier, and then only as part of his effects; on his discharge he takes his book with him as his own property.

Among the miscellaneous have been included all papers of doubtful import and value, some of these are decidedly mere waste, and others are asserted to be little better: the vouchers to the old Muster Rolls may be given as an instance of the latter kind.

The forces of the British empire may be classified as follows, and for lucid arrangement of the Documents such classification is indispensable:—

The Standing Army is divided into Guards, Cavalry and Infantry; Cavalry of the Line, including the Wagon Train and the Cavalry Staff Corps; Infantry of the Line, including the Rifle Brigade; Unnumbered Corps, including Garrison-Battalions, Veteran Battalions, and Colonial Corps and Regiments; British Volunteers, &c.; Foreign Regiments, and Regiments and Corps raised in the British Colonies and Possessions; Garrisons stationed in various parts of the kingdom; Independent Companies, Invalids, Recruiting Districts and Depôts. The remaining forces may be divided into Fencible and Provisional Cavalry; Fencible Infantry; Militia of Great Britain and Ireland (Embodied and Staff); the Lieutenancy of the various Counties of Great Britain; the Volunteers of Great Britain; the various Foreign Corps, and all such as come within the Foreign Department of the War Office.

The numbers, titles, and designations of the regiments of the Standing Army

* For some time past, the War Office year for accounts has commenced with the 1st of April, and ended with the 31st of March.

† The Pay Lists must be regarded as a continuation of the Muster Rolls—the practice of binding the Pay Lists in volumes commenced about 1798.

were often changed, and the whole force was continually subject to augmentations and disbandings; thus in 1796, the Dragoon Regiments ranged from the 1st to the 33rd, whereof many were subsequently disbanded. The same held good with respect to the Foot Regiments which, quite at the latter end of the last century, extended from the 1st to the 135th Regiments.

Most commonly a Regiment of Foot consisted of one battalion only, and when the numerical strength was to be increased, it was usual to do so by adding to it a second, third, and even a fourth battalion, as was the case with the 1st Foot Royal Scots from 1805 to 1816, and in December 1813, the 60th Foot (the King's Royal Rifle Corps) formed an 8th battalion, which was, however, disbanded in July 1816. In cases where a Regiment was ordered on service abroad, it left its Depôt at home, from which drafts of recruits were from time to time sent to it, but on its return from abroad, the Depôt ceased to exist, and merged again into the Regiment. It is satisfactory to find that of the vast bulk of these papers, the most important part was in fair consultable order; though bundles were misplaced, and in some cases papers had been suffered to accumulate.

It was the custom of the War Office, and the different Departments connected therewith, to write a "Requisition," for any paper wanted from the Depôt in the transaction of their official business, such Requisition contained a description of the Document, and the name of the individual by whom, or the number of the room in which, it was needed. The Requisition was inserted in the place from which the Document itself was taken, and, by this easy and simple plan, an absent paper could be readily traced, though years might have elapsed since its removal from its original bundle, and the constant necessity that arose of annexing old letters, petitions, applications, &c., to new or renewed ones, rendered the custom not only exceedingly useful, but imperative. When a bound volume, however, was demanded, such a system was not so practicable; and there is no doubt many volumes in different parts of the series just transferred are absent, without a clue being left to point out their whereabouts. Since the location of these papers at the Public Record Office, the evil alluded to has been remedied; for in addition to the Requisition, as used of old by the War Office, which is still necessary, a brief entry is made in the Government Search Book, of all Documents or Books inspected or taken away. But the public are not allowed access to those Documents, which are considered as confidential.

45. *Welsh Records.*—These (I. § 3, II. § 25) have been deposited in nine rooms on the basement story, and have been so judiciously placed by the care of Mr. Roberts that, notwithstanding the removal, and the want of proper racks, they can be searched with facility, and searches are more numerous than might be anticipated from their local character.

State Paper Office.—(Chief Officers, Mr. Lechmere and Mr. Lemon.)

46. *Business of the Division.*—The business as a Branch Record Office begun on the 11th August 1854. Mr. Lechmere was engaged for a short time (with Mr. Lemon) in making returns relative to the former State Paper Office, required by the Deputy Keeper. He began the Catalogues of the treaties and papers to be transferred to the New Record Repository, but discontinued this work in order to proceed with classing miscellaneous papers of the reign of George III., on which he is at present engaged. Mr. Lechmere has made searches for the Foreign Office.

47. *Operations upon Papers, &c.*—Various miscellaneous papers of the reign of George III. have been indorsed and sorted according to classes and date. A large series of Royal Letters (heretofore kept separate) has been indorsed, arranged, and incorporated with the correspondence of various countries. Various insertions have been made in the press lists, and incorporated papers transferred from one series to another. Moreover, the calendaring Domestic Papers of the reign of Charles II. has been continued, and a collection of English and Foreign Gazettes and Newspapers of the reign of Charles II. has been arranged.

The principal employment of Mr. Lemon, either as a clerk in the State Paper Office, or as secretary to the Commissioners for Printing and Publishing State Papers, was the formation and superintendence of calendars of the various series of State Papers. For some time before the abrogation of that Commission, the calendar of Domestic Papers, commencing with the reign of King Edward VI., was in the press, and at the period when the State Paper

Office was united with the Record Department, the work of printing had proceeded to a considerable extent, and finally reached to page 432 (signature D D, 8vo.), extending to the close of the year 1571. The whole labour of editorship and correcting the press rested with Mr. Lemon, and, concurrent with that operation, he has had in progress a general index, which he has, at intervals of comparative leisure, completed down to page 316, or in date to 15th September 1568. This portion of the State Papers, therefore, is accessible to the historical inquirer.

The calendars of the State Papers being the works of various hands, and even of several hands employed on one calendar only, showing many styles of composition, it became necessary that, before going to press, the draft copy should undergo a final revision, to reduce the whole to a uniform method, and to correct such errors of date and description as might be detected. That important work falls to Mr. Lemon. It was a matter of doubt pending the arrangements for bringing the Office of State Papers under the practice of the Record Department, whether the printing of the calendar would, or would not, be continued in the same form in which it had commenced; and, therefore, from the period of the year 1571, it has not been proceeded with, but there was no doubt that the correction of the Domestic Calendar, either for press or for consultation by readers, was a work of a very desirable kind, and its execution has formed the staple employment of Mr. Lemon. Beyond the portion of the Domestic Calendar already in print, viz., to the end of 1571, the Draft Calendar has been fully corrected, and is ready for press, to the end of the year 1576. At any intervals of leisure which may happen, Mr. Lemon proceeds with indexing that portion already in print, as before alluded to.

The four clerks attached to Mr. Lemon's division are Mr. Hans Hamilton, Mr. Impey, Mr. William Hamilton, and Mr. Hohler. They were appointed in the first instance as temporary clerks, by the Secretary of State, at the recommendation of the Commissioners for Printing and Publishing State Papers, principally for carrying out one of the powers of the Commission in the formation of calendars to the State Papers, on which work they have all been uniformly employed, subject to occasional but very rare interruption on the occurrence of any urgent business in the office.

Mr. H. Hamilton has been employed for several years on the Calendar of the Irish Papers, and that Calendar is complete from its commencement in the reign of Henry VIII. to the close of James I. In the beginning of August 1854, Mr. Hamilton commenced calendaring the papers of the year 1626, and has now completed them down to the month of September 1632.

But it must be observed that the mere enumeration of any number of years does not by any means indicate the quantity of work performed, some years being very scanty in materials, others very full, according to the political events of the period, or adventitious circumstances; and this observation applies to every series of the State Papers.

In a similar manner Mr. Impey has been for many years employed upon the Calendar of the French Papers. In August 1854, he was engaged in dating and locating in the French Calendar, the back and undated papers of the year 1626, and in October last commenced calendaring the year 1627, and has completed at this time down to the end of the year 1630. At present he is employed in inserting loose papers that had accumulated from the French and other series, of the reigns of Elizabeth, James I., and Charles I.

Mr. William Hamilton is engaged at present on the Calendar of the Spanish Correspondence, which he began in July 1854, commencing at the reign of Elizabeth, and has finished to the close of the year 1580. It must be noticed that the Spanish Correspondence in many years in Elizabeth's reign is very scanty.

Mr. Hohler, at the commencement of his clerkship, was placed on the Calendar of the Domestic Papers of the reign of Charles I. In August 1854, he was on the Papers of October 1629, and at the present time has reached to March 1631. The Domestic Papers of the 17th century, as may be supposed, are much more numerous than those of the Foreign Correspondence, but at the same time the task of calendaring them is of the easiest and most common description, and it will be expected that when the arrangements of the offices of the State Papers and Record Department are completed, a much greater progress in the Calendar of this series will be obtained.

III. General Matters connected with the Care and Management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

1. *General Record Repository.*—The progress of this building, commenced in pursuance of the vote taken in 1850, has been stated in previous Reports (Eleventh Report, III. § 1; Twelfth Report, III. § 1; Thirteenth Report, III. § 1; Fourteenth Report, III. § 1; Fifteenth Report, III. § 3). The shell of the building having been completed, application was made, 15th August 1853, to Your Majesty's Board of Works, that, according to the opinion of the Master of the Rolls, one room in the Repository should be fitted up with models of the racks or presses for the Records, and also of the galleries and other means of access to the same, all of which are of iron or other incombustible materials, and many communications were had with the Board of Works thereon. This proceeding was considered to be highly expedient, inasmuch as there are many questions connected with objects of this class which neither verbal descriptions nor even drawings can render sufficiently intelligible. The models, so far as concerns the racks and binders, and also the staircases, were not completed until the month of March 1854; and when they and the specimens of the other metallic fittings, that is to say, the iron doors and the ventilators, were put up, the same were carefully examined by the Deputy Keeper and the other officers of the establishment.

Arrangements were then adopted for taking full measurements of all the Records which will have to be deposited in the New Repository, not only the Records already in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, but also those remaining in the Treasuries of the Courts of Common Law and other legal repositories. This very laborious task was executed by Mr. Pennethorne's assistant, under the inspection of Mr. Hardy, Mr. Roberts, Mr. Holden, and Mr. Bond (the latter an Officer of the Third Class). Every Repository was examined and marked, and the numerical results of the measurements were entered in books specifying the class, the length, the form, the height, and the breadth, and the cubical contents of the several Records, together with their present localities in the several Branch Offices of this Department or elsewhere; and a separate column was left blank for the purpose of inserting therein the references to the specific localities it is proposed to assign to them in the New Repository.

For this purpose the floors of the Repository were distinguished by the letters A, B, C, D, and also as "the Tower." The rooms in each floor were numbered consecutively, and, on the plans after-mentioned, the presses were delineated and numbered consecutively. Three Assistant Keepers, viz.:—Mr. Hardy, Mr. Roberts, and Mr. Holden, with the assistance of Mr. Bond and other officers, went over the whole building, and considered the nature of the Records and the means of affording access for the purposes of search, as well as carrying on the business of the Department in the Search Office, and by the several officers and workmen in their several classes. Plans as before mentioned have been prepared of the floors, distinguishing the proposed localities in the several rooms, and all the rooms, as well as all the presses, are distinguished by numbers.

Lithographic diagrams have been also prepared, shewing the elevation of each press, marking also the future shelves, which have been also numbered upon such diagrams; and the proposed location of all the several Records, as they are intended to be placed upon the shelves, is specified in these last diagrams, that is to say, the specification is written in, in the place which the Record is to occupy, so that each is, so to speak, a view of the face of each press. All this work has been executed with great diligence and skill by Mr. Bond, and consequently when the Records shall be progressively draughted from the several Branch Repositories, each will be placed according to its pre-determined position without uncertainty or confusion, so that it is expected that the removal will be accomplished with great speed and certainty.

The nature of the materials and other matters connected with the formation of the presses were carefully discussed between the Master of the Rolls, Your Majesty's Board of Works, and the Treasury; and the contracts for the iron presses have been completed.

All the iron doors and ventilators have been put up; also the stoves required in the habitable or office rooms, and some portions of the furniture have been

sent in; and under these circumstances business has been commenced in the Repository as mentioned in preceding sections (II. §§ 43, 44, 45).

Pursuant to the original propositions transmitted to the Treasury, 14th December 1849 (Sessional Paper, House of Commons 1850, No. 571, VIII.), the upper floor of the Rolls House has been thoroughly put in order for Record purposes, and for the accommodation of officers. This floor communicates with the Repository by a tubular iron bridge, but is so cut off from the Repository by iron doors and by the distance of the Rolls House from the Repository that any fire risk is effectually prevented. By this arrangement much space has been gained for the reception of Records in the Repository.

2. *New Repository: Employment of Police, &c.*—In consequence of the deposit of the Welsh Records, and subsequently of the War Office Documents in this Repository, as well as the general circumstances of the building, and the surrounding areas and buildings, it became imperatively necessary that the Repository should be carefully and constantly watched by police constables, as well by day as by night. A large portion of the ground, formerly the Rolls Garden (but now waste), appropriated for the further extension of the Repository, has not been built upon, and is only separated from Fetter Lane by a slight fence, the workmen are constantly going in and out, and without proper inspection the premises would be exposed to constant depredation, and become liable to various annoyances by persons surreptitiously entering, and either lurking about or concealing themselves in the lengthened corridors and other parts of the building, and also in the void ground. These matters having been reported to the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury by the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, 11th December 1854, their Lordships were pleased by theirs of the 4th of January 1855 to approve of the following arrangements. The beats have been so appointed, that two constables commence duty at four o'clock p.m. and remain on till midnight; these are then relieved by two others, one remaining till six a.m. and the other till ten a.m., changing every alternate morning, and thus averaging to each eight hours daily; a fifth comes on at ten a.m. and continues till four p.m. A proper guardroom has been appointed for them, where the police force can take their refreshment conveniently when required, but there is no bed there. The day constable has the charge of the outward entrance into the New Repository, he does not allow any stranger to enter without orders, or any workman to go out with a parcel unless the individual has a proper pass. The police constables, so far as this Department has any authority over them, are under the direction of Mr. Holden, who is in charge of the building and all the adjoining premises as Care-taker, to whom they deliver the keys, reporting to him when needful. The same watch is continued during the Sundays, and also on the holidays when the Office is closed. The constables constantly perambulate the interior of the building as well as the exterior. The police watch at the Carlton Ride continues as before, and the total expense attending the police watching of the Departments amounts to 741*l.* 12*s.* 4*d.* per annum, a large sum, but indispensably needed for the security of the premises, as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Carlton Ride, Four Constables - - -	330	18	10
New Repository, Five Constables - - -	410	13	6
	741	12	4

The Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury agreed to sanction the expense, and upon communication with the Chief Commissioner of Police the needful staff required to perform the duty, under existing circumstances, has been furnished.

3. *Aid rendered to Government with respect to Government Documents, &c.*—This subject has been repeatedly brought before Your Majesty in preceding Reports of the Deputy Keeper (Fourteenth Report, III. § 3; Fifteenth Report, III. § 1). It constitutes a most important branch of the business now under the management of the Master of the Rolls and his officers. The following is the Table of the Transmissions, either completed or proposed:—

Admiralty, Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy.—Records and Documents deposited in Deptford Dockyard.—(Second Report, I. § 5, II. § 3; Third Report, I. § 6; Fourth Report, III. § 2; Eighth Report, I. § 4, II. §§ 109—116, App. I. Nos. 8, 9, 17, App. II. No. 12; Ninth Report, II. § 16, App. I., No. 13.)

Admiralty, Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Somerset House.—Lieutenants' Log Books.—(Ninth Report, II. § 16, App. I. No. 13; Twelfth Report, I. § 5, II. § 2; Thirteenth Report, I. § 3.)

* Admiralty, Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Somerset House.—(Fourteenth Report, I. § 6; Fifteenth Report, I. § 5, III. § 1; Sixteenth Report, I. § 10.)

Admiralty, Whitehall.—Log Books.—(Eleventh Report, I. § 4, II. § 2.)

American Claims, from the State Paper Office.—(Fourteenth Report, I. § 9; Fifteenth Report, I. § 6, II. § 30.)

* Army Medical Board.—Books and Papers of.—(Eight Report, I. § 6; II. § 118, App. I. Nos. 5, 6, 7, 7*a*.)

* Audit Office.—Accounts and Vouchers of the Peninsular War.—(Tenth Report, I. § 6; Twelfth Report, I. § 6, II. § 45; Thirteenth Report, I. § 4.)

Boundaries' Commissions, Municipal and Parliamentary.—Records, Maps, Plans, &c. of.—(Tenth Report, I. § 4, II. § 18.)

Charities' Commission.—Documents belonging to.—(Third Report, I. § 8; II. § 22.)

Commissariat Department.—Records relating to Forts Garry in the Hudson's Bay Territory. (Tenth Report, I. § 5, II. § 17.)

Commissariat Department.—Books of the late Commissary-General's Office, &c.—(Thirteenth Report, I. § 7, II. §§ 36, 39; Fourteenth Report, II. § 29.)

Commissariat Department.—Books, Papers, &c. of the Irish Commissariat during the Irish Famine.—(Fourteenth Report, I. § 8, II. § 29.)

Custom House.—Books of Customs' Establishments, Registers of Seizures, &c.—(Seventh Report, II. § 2; Ninth Report, II. § 11; Tenth Report, I. § 8, II. § 16; Thirteenth Report, I. § 8, II. §§ 36, 39.)

* Friendly Societies in England. — Transcripts of the Rules of, in the custody of the Registrar of Friendly Societies.—(Sixteenth Report, I. § 11.)

French Claims' Commission. — Documents and Proceedings of.—(Fifth Report, I. § 5, II. § 37, App. I. No. 6; Thirteenth Report, I. § 5, II. §§ 36, 42; Fourteenth Report, I. § 7, II. § 29.)

* Greenwich Out-Pension Documents.—(Eighth Report, I. § 4, II. § 117, App. I. Nos. 10—13.)

* Inland Revenue Office, Old Broad Street.—(Fourteenth Report, I. § 11.)

* Inland Revenue Office, Tower Hill.—Books and Documents in.

* Ireland. — Records of the Exchequer, &c. of, at Dublin.—(Eighth Report, I. § 9; Tenth Report, I. § 10.)

National Debt Office.—Rolls, Books, &c. relating to Exchequer Annuities. (Ninth Report, II. § 9, 13.)

* Ordnance Office. — Returns and Duplicate Papers in.—(Fourteenth Report, I. § 10.)

Potato Crop.—Returns relating to the failure of, in Great Britain and Ireland in 1848.—(Eleventh Report, I. § 5, II. § 44.)

Privy Signet Office. — Signed Bills, Royal Warrants, &c., previous to December 1800.—(Thirteenth Report, I. § 11, II. § 34.)

Registrar-General's Office.—Registers of Births, Deaths, and Marriages. (Seventh Report, I. § 4, App. I. Nos. 24, 25; Thirteenth Report, I. § 6.)

Registrar-General's Office.—Population Returns, or Papers of the Census Commissions of 1841 and 1851.—(Seventh Report, I. § 3, App. I. No. 23; Eighth Report, I. § 5; Thirteenth Report, I. § 6; Fifteenth Report, I. § 7, II. § 46.)

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* Possession has not been taken of these Documents.

Slave Compensation Commission. — Documents and Proceedings of. (Eighth Report, II. §§ 97, 98, App. I. Nos. 19, 20; Ninth Report, II. § 12; Tenth Report, II. § 19; Twelfth Report, II. § 43; Thirteenth Report, II. § 40.)

Slave Registration Office.—Records and Registers of.—(Twelfth Report, I. § 7, II. § 39; Thirteenth Report, II. §§ 36, 41.)

Treasury.—Books and Papers of, and of the late Receipt of the Exchequer; also of the late African Company.—(Fourth Report, I. § 1; Fifth Report, I. § 6; Sixth Report, I. § 2; Seventh Report, I. § 2, App. II. No. 1; Eighth Report, I. § 8, II. § 99, 100, App. I. Nos. 21—24 *a.*, App. II. Nos. 11—11*d.*; Ninth Report, I. § 8, II. § 11; Tenth Report, I. § 8, II. § 16; Eleventh Report, II. § 40; Twelfth Report, II. § 41; Thirteenth Report, I. § 10, II. § 36, App. No. 2 *a.*)

Treasury.—Fee Books.—(Thirteenth Report, I. § 9, II. § 36; Fourteenth Report, I. § 4, II. § 29.)

Treasury.—Revenue Books, Letter Books, Treasury Commissions, &c. (Fourteenth Report, I. § 4, II. § 29, App. I. Nos. 1*a*, 2*a*, 2*b*.)

Treasury.—Revenue Books, Entry Books, &c.—(Fifteenth Report, I. § 3, II. § 30.)

Treasury Solicitor's Office.—Papers in.—(Fourteenth Report, I. § 5; Fifteenth Report, I. § 4, II. § 45.)

War Office Papers: late Depôt, 6, Whitehall Yard.—(Sixteenth Report, I. § 12, II. §§ 35, 44.)

* War Office Papers: Chelsea Hospital.—(Sixteenth Report, I. § 13.)

Wellington, Duke of.—Plans of the Funeral of, in St. Paul's Cathedral: from Office of Works and Public Buildings.—(Sixteenth Report, I. § 8.)

In addition to all previous transmissions, the union with the State Paper Office has brought into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, the whole mass of an important class of papers of the highest character; and it is trusted that, even under the present incomplete arrangements, the Record Department has afforded material aid to the other Public Departments whose Documents have also been received into the charge of the Master of the Rolls.

Amongst the services rendered to the Government by the Master of the Rolls and the Record Officers acting under his directions must also be reckoned, the performance of the whole of the duties of the late Record Commissions in relation to the Publications made at the public expense, the care and management of the transcripts, the distribution of the volumes, the passing the accounts of the printers and booksellers, and paying the annual amount of receipts from sales into the Exchequer (including the publications of the State Paper Commissioners so far as relates to distribution or sale). This business is very considerable, and requires much attention. When an application for the Record Publications is made to the Secretaries of State or the Treasury, the application is referred to the Master of the Rolls, whose officers have to ascertain whether the request is one which can properly be complied with, having reference to the circumstances of the case and the stock in hand; and whatever publications of the same description shall in future be made either by virtue of the powers of the Record Act, or otherwise, will in like manner fall upon this Department.

4. *Appropriation of Expense.*—It should also be borne in mind that this Department is not a Department having original jurisdiction or self-contained service like the British Museum, but that it is merely auxiliary and subservient to the Legal and Government Departments; and as it may be useful to show on whose behalf the expenses voted for the "Public Records" are incurred, the following calculation of its appropriation for the year 1854, is submitted to Your Majesty:—

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Expenditure of the Public Record Office for 1854, *arranged under Courts* (*as nearly as can be estimated*), *&c.*

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Chancery - - - - - Tower (*a*) - -	1,191	19	2			
Chancery - - - - - Rolls Chapel (*b*) -	1,331	16	2½			
				2,523	15	4½
Queen's Bench - - - - - - - - - -	-	-	-	260	3	2½
Common Pleas (*c*) (Carlton Ride and Chapter House) -	-	-	-	1,849	15	3
Exchequer of Pleas - - - - - - - - -	-	-	-	131	4	0½
Exchequer - Queen's Remembrancer, including Augmentation, Pipe, Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer, First Fruits, and others, in Mr. Roberts' Division - - -	1,184	9	2½			
" Queen's Remembrancer's Miscellaneous, in Mr. Hunter's Division - - -	1,243	13	1½			
				2,428	2	4
Exchequer of Receipt (Rolls House) - - - - - -	110	16	10			
" Treasury of, (Chapter House) - -	300	17	0½			
				411	13	10½
Courts of Wards and Liveries, Requests, and Star Chamber	-	-	-	306	17	0
Government Documents (Tower) Admiralty (*d*) - -	101	0	5			
" (Rolls House) Treasury, Slave Compensation, French Claims, Slave Registration, &c. - -	469	11	3			
" (Chapter House) Treasury Solicitor, Census Papers, &c. - - -	106	3	8			
				676	15	4
State Paper Office (coals only) - - - - - -	-	-	-	9	6	8
New Record Repository (coals and police only) - -	-	-	-	59	9	11
Durham and Peveril Records - - - - - -	-	-	-	103	3	2
Welsh Records - - - - - - - - - -	-	-	-	413	14	9
Public Office (Management, &c.) - - - - - -	-	-	-	2,103	10	11
Expenditure for the year 1854 -			(*e*)	11,277	11	10

(The fees, amounting to 749*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* for the year, are paid in to the Treasury.)

(*a*) Including some few other Records, e.g. *Court* of Admiralty, Census Papers, &c.
(*b*) Including Charities' Commission and Privy Signet Records.
(*c*) Including Marshalsea and Palace Courts.
(*d*) The other Government Documents in the Tower are included in the Chancery.
(*e*) The expense of fittings and furniture supplied by the Board of Works is not included; nor the wages of the fire-watchmen, &c., at Carlton Ride and the Rolls, paid by the Board of Works.

All which is humbly submitted to Your Majesty.

(Signed) FRANCIS PALGRAVE,
2d June 1855. *The Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.*

I most humbly certify to Your Majesty that this Report is made by the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, under my direction, pursuant to the Statute.

(Signed) JOHN ROMILLY, M.R.

APPENDIX

TO

THE SIXTEENTH REPORT

OF

THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

No. 1.—ORDNANCE APPLICATION FOR THE WHITE TOWER.

1 *a*. Letter from the Master of the Rolls to the Treasury.

1. Correspondence respecting the Ordnance Application for the White Tower.

1 *a*. 13th March 1855.

Sir, Rolls House, 13th March 1855.

In answer to your letter of the 7th March instant, I beg to state that I have carefully read and considered the letter from the Board of Ordnance of the 3rd instant, and its inclosures, respecting the necessity of re-appropriating to store purposes the Record Rooms in the White Tower, Tower of London. I entertain the strongest desire to comply with the wish of their Lordships in this respect if it could be rendered practicable, but it is necessary for me to point out the difficulties attendant upon it to their Lordships, and to submit the following remarks for their consideration on this subject. That portion of the New Repository which is now completed is wholly inadequate to contain all the Records at present under my charge, without taking into account the constant regular annual additions, which, under the Statutes now in force, increase this number. Besides, I am frequently called upon to take charge of and find space for other public documents of a bulky nature, as an instance of which I may mention that in the course of the last month I have had to take charge of the documents in the Pension Office, Whitehall, the contents of which were 112 cart loads, weighing about 160 tons. Since I received your letter I have been applied to, by letter of the 9th instant, by the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, who desired to be informed when certain books and papers in the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy can be deposited in the New Repository; a verbal application has been made at the same time to the Deputy Keeper, Sir Francis Palgrave, from the War Office, to the like effect.

The New Repository being unable to contain all the Records, the selection of those which are to be taken there has been a matter of much consideration, and it has been settled that the Records now preserved in the Carlton Ride should be transferred to the New Repository. It is, in truth, imperatively necessary that the Records in the Carlton Ride should be brought into the New Repository. The building is not fireproof, and is most insecure in other respects; besides which, the separation of the numerous officers connected with it from the Deputy Keeper's Department is a great impediment to the public service. It is equally needful that the Records in the Chapter House, which are comparatively speaking few in number, should be brought into the New Repository, the building being inconvenient, and the waste of time and labour resulting from the circumstance of the separation of these Repositories from the Deputy Keeper's Department being very objectionable; and it is also desirable that the Chancery Records in the Tower should be consolidated in the New Repository, with those now in the Rolls Chapel; and room must be found also for the sections of the State Papers, viz., to the year 1750, which are to be brought into the building; and, lastly, space must be reserved for the annual accrual of the Common Law Documents, transmitted pursuant to the Statute. These, and the very important Records transmitted by their Lordships from the Treasury Chambers, will entirely fill the New Repository. For these reasons it was, upon considering the fitting up of the New Repository, determined by me, upon the advice of the Deputy Keeper, to leave the Admiralty Records in the Tower, and to transfer there also whatever Government Documents now or hereafter might be in my charge, for which space could not be found either in the New Repository, or in the Rolls Court Gallery, or the Upper Story of the Rolls House, until the proposed addition can be made to the New Repository, according to the plan.

I had also been given to understand that the ground occupied by the Carlton Ride was required by the Office of Works for building purposes. If the Records are brought from the White Tower, in the Tower of London, to the New Repository, it will be impossible also to transfer to it the Records now deposited in the Carlton Ride, and the Records there deposited must remain there, or must be transferred to some other temporary place to be

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supplied by their Lordships. If their Lordships can supply such a temporary place of deposit, it would probably be better that the Documents in the White Tower of the Tower of London, the great bulk of which consist of Admiralty Documents, should be transferred thereto, and allow the measures proposed by me with respect to the Carlton Ride, and the Documents therein deposited, to remain unchanged, as an alteration in that respect would occasion considerable inconvenience by disturbing the plans already settled for the transfer and classification of these Records, all which would be interfered with by removing the Tower Records in place of those at the Carlton Ride.

Whatever decision may be come to, the New Repository is not yet in a situation to receive any of the Records, either from the Tower, or from the Carlton Ride, and, until the presses and racks are put up, it would be impossible to take them in, and from the communication taking place between me and the Board of Works on this subject, I see no probability of their being complete for some months yet to come.

It is necessary however, for me strongly to point out to their Lordships, that nothing can be more detrimental to the Record Service than the repeated transfers and removals of Papers and Records. Such removals always occasion loss and damage of the Records, and keep them in a state of disorder and confusion, besides the waste and loss of money and of labour. The great detriment resulting from this practice was pointed out forcibly by the Record Committee, and every exertion should be made to avoid it.

I beg to suggest that the real remedy for these evils, and which will put the space occupied by the Records at the Tower of London at the disposal of the Government, is that the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury should at once determine to erect one of the wings of the New Repository for reception of the Records, according to the plan approved by Government, and which, if properly arranged, would render the New Repository sufficient to hold all the Records at present within my charge, or likely to come into it for some years to come, but, at all events, no Documents can be transferred from the Tower to the New Repository, until it is in a state to receive them, which is so far from being the case at present, that the contracts for the presses have not yet been settled.

I repeat that it is my earnest wish to facilitate all the Government proceedings, but I cannot but feel that if the course proposed is adopted, it will prevent me for a series of years from accomplishing the most important task I have to perform, viz., the proper classification and arrangement of the Public Records, and which is what alone renders them accessible to the public, and without which they are useless.

I have, &c.

Sir Charles E. Trevelyan, &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) JOHN ROMILLY.

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1 *b.* LETTER from the MASTER of the ROLLS to the TREASURY.

1 *b.* 22nd March 1855.

SIR, Rolls House, 22nd March 1855.

IN reply to yours of the 19th instant, whereby their Lordships request me to consider whether some temporary arrangement might not be made whereby the Records in the Tower, as well as those in the Carlton Ride, might not be transferred at an early period to the Rolls Estate, I have to reply as follows:—

So far as regards the New Repository, the racks and shelves necessary for the reception of the Records have not yet been put up. If the Records were brought from the Tower or the Carlton Ride into the New Repository in its present condition, they would have to be placed upon the naked floors, they would have to be shifted from time to time to make room for the workmen to put up the racks and shelves, and the inevitable consequence would be that the careful arrangement and classification of the Documents, upon which the Officers of the Establishment have been employed for more than twelve years, would be wholly lost, and the experience of the Record Establishment during that time mainly thrown away.

In order to explain this, I beg to state to their Lordships the preliminary measures which have been adopted with the view to the removal of the Records. The rooms in the New Repository have been designated by letters and numbers, and appropriated, under the direction of the Assistant Keepers and Deputy Keeper, for the several classes of Records according to courts and classes. The places for all the presses throughout the building have been marked upon the plans of the several floors of the building. All the Records in my custody have been carefully measured by the Assistant Keepers in connexion with Mr. Pennethorne's Managing Clerk. Lithographed elevations of the presses have been prepared, distinguishing the shelves; and the placing of the several Records in each press has been settled and determined by the several Assistant Keepers. The Deputy Keeper informs me that Mr. Roberts and Mr. Bond, upon whom the superintending of the removal will principally rest, assure him that, as soon as the first room shall have been fitted up with racks or presses, the Records to which it has been appropriated can be removed methodically, document by document, class by class, court by court, from day to day, each having its appropriate place provided for it.

If the Records are removed in this manner, the preparations for which have been the work of great labour and time, it will be done so systematically, that within twenty-four

hours, any Record in the building might be produced and consulted. All these arrangements would be subverted and rendered useless if, before these racks and shelves are prepared, the Records are brought into the Repository, and the whole mass of Records would be unavoidably involved in inextricable confusion, the labours of the Establishment for twelve years would be nearly wholly lost, and would have to be begun over again. I trust that their Lordships will not compel any steps to be taken which will involve such serious and injurious consequences to the Public Service. As soon as the New Repository is prepared for the reception of the Records, I will undertake that the utmost diligence shall be employed in their removal; but the Deputy Keeper informs me that with the utmost human exertions, the Record Officers, who have all entered heartily into the spirit of the business, and will exert themselves to the utmost, could not complete the removal, according to the course before suggested, under some months, probably not within six months.

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1 *b*. 22nd March 1855.

So far as regards the placing in the New Repository the Admiralty Documents now preserved in the White Tower of the Tower of London, I am informed that the New Repository, by actual measurement, has not space sufficient to hold these Records, together with those now in the Carlton Ride, together with the War Office Papers, which have been lately sent thither, and which, as they are not classed or sorted, have been temporarily placed in positions which will be required for some of the other Records which have been classed and sorted.

These War Office Papers might be removed without detriment, and the space occupied by them might be appropiated to a portion of the Admiralty Records, and a space for the remaining Admiralty Records at the Tower might be found, if the following plan were adopted.

There are several houses on the Rolls Estate in Chancery Lane, one or two of which are now appropriated to public purposes connected with the Courts of Law and Equity; if the remainder of these were given up to the Record Department, they might receive the War Office Papers, and the Admiralty Documents which now fill the White Tower might be partly distributed in the New Repository and partly in these houses, which might be speedily fitted up for their reception. This is an arrangement also which would be highly conducive to the advantage of the Record Establishment.

But whatever course is adopted, I beg to point out to their Lordships the impossibility of anything being done suddenly, without causing a very great destruction of Records, and such a confusion as, if ever, could not be got over without the lapse of a great many years, and the appointment of a large number of additional clerks and officers, and that in the meantime the documents would be inaccessible and useless for all public purposes.

I beg to assure their Lordships that I am most anxious to consult their wishes, and do what I can to carry their views into effect, but I think that their Lordships will feel that I should be guilty of neglect of duty, and of something approaching to a breach of the trust reposed in me, if I did not by all the means in my power oppose such a measure as the indiscriminate heaping of the Records together, in a building not fitted for their reception.

I have, &c.
(Signed) JOHN ROMILLY.

Sir C. E. Trevelyan, K.C.B.,
&c. &c. &c.

No. 2.—WELSH RECORDS.

LETTER from CHARLES ROBERTS, Esq., to Sir FRANCIS PALGRAVE.

SIR, Carlton Ride, January 18th, 1855.

ON the 20th July last I received Nine Original Warrants,* duly signed and countersigned by the Master of the Rolls and the Lord Chancellor, empowering me to take possession of the Records of the abolished Courts of the Principality of Wales and the Counties Palatine of Chester and Flint, to give receipts for them, and to convey them to London; and I now beg leave to report my proceedings thereon up to the present time, and to add some observations on the state of the Records which I have received.

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1. CHESTER AND NORTH WALES.

In conformity with the instructions I received from you with the Warrants, on the 24th July I went down to Chester, and the following day proceeded to Ruthin to examine the state and bulk of the Records deposited there in the custody of Edward Jones, Esq., late Deputy Prothonotary, and to arrange a plan for the packing and removal of them, when I should be prepared to go there for that purpose. On my return to Chester, I tried

* Seven of these Warrants having been executed are returned herewith, viz. (1.) Chester and Flint; (2.) Denbigh; (3.) Montgomery; (4.) Carnarvon and Anglesey; (5.) Merioneth; (6.) Carmarthen; (7.) Pembroke. The Warrant for Cardigan, which is not executed, and that for Brecknock, Radnor, and Glamorgan, which is only executed as respects Cardiff, are both retained by me.

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to see the two gentlemen having the custody of the Records in Chester Castle, but Mr. Humberston was out, and Mr. Horatio Lloyd was attending the Assizes at Carnarvon, consequently I could not then obtain access to the Record Rooms, and, therefore, the following morning (the 26th) I went down to Carnarvon for the double purpose of examining the Anglesey and Carnarvon Records, and seeing Mr. Horatio Lloyd.

The Records of Anglesey and Carnarvon having been moved from the old Record Room to the Shire Hall, in Carnarvon, while a new building was being erected, had within a few weeks only been transferred to a room in the new building; by this double removal the partial arrangement in which Mr. Black had left them was unfortunately destroyed, and they were lying about, chiefly on the floor in heaps, and in very great confusion.

Mr. Poole's Clerk, who had the immediate charge of these Records, on behalf of the Clerks of the Peace, for some years past, said he thought he could again sort them into classes pretty nearly as Mr. Black had left them, and I requested him to complete such classification before I should return in September to pack and remove them.

I then obtained an interview, in Court, with Mr. Horatio Lloyd, who gave me an order for my unrestricted admission into the Prothonotary's Record Rooms in his charge, in Chester Castle, and also a note to the Hall Keeper there (for which I was much indebted), requesting him to afford me the extra accommodation I wished to obtain in the Castle.

The object I had particularly in view was to secure the means of making Chester Castle the temporary depôt of all the North Wales Records, so that I might bring the whole of them and the Chester Records at one removal from thence to London, and thus save much time, travelling, and expense.

On receipt of Mr. Lloyd's note, the Hall Keeper promised to provide me with accommodation for this purpose, and when I came in September, he gave me up a spare room on the ground floor of one of the side wings of the Castle, most conveniently situated for the deposit of the Records, and in this I placed the various packages of the Records of Merioneth, Anglesey, Carnarvon, Denbigh, and Montgomery, as I successively brought them up to Chester from Dolgelly, Carnarvon, Ruthin, and Welshpool, and they remained locked up in my own custody while I was engaged in packing the Records of Chester and Flint, and I then brought the whole (amounting to about 13 tons) at one removal from Chester to London.

The 27th July I spent entirely in Chester Castle, examining the Records, both of the Prothonotary's Office, in charge of Mr. Horatio Lloyd, and of the Chancery, in the custody of Mr. Humberston.

By this examination of the Records at Ruthin, Carnarvon, and Chester, I was satisfied as to the mode in which I should best effect the packing of them for transfer to London, in which three things were chiefly to be considered—1. That the partial arrangement of the Records, as far as had been effected, might be preserved; 2. That they might not be injured in the transit; 3. That no unnecessary expense might be incurred.* I did not consider it necessary at this time to visit Welshpool and Dolgelly, which lay at a considerable distance, but made arrangements to commence operations the first week in September, which seemed to be a convenient time to all parties.

On 6th September I went to Carnarvon, where the Records had been again divided into the two divisions for Anglesey and Carnarvon, and also partially sorted into classes, but with scarcely any arrangement as to dates. Here I found a few boxes would be requisite, and while they were being made I determined to proceed on to Dolgelly, pack the Records there, and bring them up to Carnarvon, as Mr. Poole, Clerk of the Peace, who had the custody at Carnarvon, had no objection to my placing them in the Record Office there, which afforded great convenience for the purpose.

Dolgelly.—David Williams, Esq., Clerk of the Peace for Merioneth, had the custody of the Records at Dolgelly, but residing a long distance off (near Port Madoc), he did not attend in person, and deputed Mr. David Pugh, of Dolgelly, to act for him, and give me up the Records. They were deposited on open racks, in a safe and convenient room at the new Shire Hall, and were in a cleaner and more orderly state than the Records at some other places. Still, their order appeared to be disturbed since Mr. Black's partial arrangement of them; and one or two Records mentioned by him could not be met with in the short time I had to spare, but I have little doubt they will be found among the other Records whenever they are well sorted. The whole quantity from Dolgelly was comparatively small, but it filled two very large boxes, and eleven bags; and I had great difficulty in procuring any conveyance to take them to Carnarvon (45 miles), the nearest railway station. An old stage coach was the only

* Boxes would have afforded the readiest means of packing all the Records; and at Dolgelly and Carnarvon I was obliged to have a few made, but for the whole mass the expense of boxes would have been very large. Bags seemed very suitable for the majority of the classes, and I procured large five-bushel sacks at several places for the miscellaneous and larger bundles; for the various Rolls and Books and several other classes in compact bundles or files, bags of a smaller size were well adapted, and there being a large quantity in store at Carlton Ride, I used a great number of them.

vehicle to be met with capable of carrying them. This I obtained for the two first stages, at the end of which it was necessary to divide the quantity between two carriages, with which we reached Carnarvon in the evening, and placed the Records in the Record Office there.

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Carnarvon.—I then commenced packing the Records at Carnarvon. They were much more numerous, comprising those for the two Counties of Anglesey and Carnarvon, and the Chancery Records for the whole Circuit (Carnarvon, Anglesey, and Merioneth), and notwithstanding the exertions Mr. Poole's Clerk had made to re-arrange the classes (disturbed by the double removal before mentioned), the difficulty of making out all of them, as specified in the Schedule, was considerable, and a few Records named therein could not be identified, though they will, I apprehend, be found when these Records are properly sorted. The whole having, at last, been packed in boxes and bags, they were conveyed to railway, by which I brought them to Chester, and deposited them in the room set apart for my use in the Castle, as before stated.

Welshpool.—The 14th and 15th September I devoted to sorting and packing some of the Prothonotary's Records at Chester, and then went down to Welshpool, from whence, on the 19th, I brought all the Montgomeryshire Records, and some belonging to Denbighshire, deposited there, up to Chester, and placed them in the Castle with those from Dolgelly and Carnarvon. The quantity of Records at Welshpool much exceeded that at the two places I had previously been to, and, when packed, filled three boxes and forty bags, some of the latter being of the largest size. There again I experienced great difficulty in finding a conveyance for them to the railway at Oswestry, a distance of sixteen miles; there was no covered van to be met with, nor indeed any fit for the purpose, and the spring of the van we at last obtained gave way before we reached Oswestry, and nearly occasioned our missing the only train that would take us to Chester that day.

The Records at Welshpool were in a very dirty state, and the narrow room, or, I should say, cell, wherein they were kept, was dark and inconvenient. They were on open racks, but the divisions were not marked, and the classes are so intermixed that they will occupy more time in sorting than even those from Carnarvon. There seemed to be a good deal belonging to Denbighshire mixed with them.

Mr. Robert Jones, in whose custody the Records at Welshpool were, had some Books, Fines and Recoveries, and a few other Records at his own house, which I brought away with the rest.

Ruthin.—On the 20th to 23d September, I again proceeded with packing the Records in Chester Castle, and then went down to Ruthin for the Records there, which I brought up to Chester on the 28th, and deposited them as before in Chester Castle. At Ruthin the difficulty of conveying the Records to the Railway again occurred. The quantity was even larger than that from Welshpool, and nothing but a large waggon would take it. This was at last obtained, but it was necessary to commence loading at five o'clock in the morning, in order to reach the railway station at Mold (a distance of only ten miles, but of almost continuous hills) in time for the train to Chester, which was with difficulty effected.

The Records at Ruthin were kept in two rooms attached to the Town Hall, the Files of Writs, and Miscellaneous Records, as well as the large unsorted mass brought years ago from the vaults of Wrexham Church (which alone filled seventeen large sacks), being in an upper room of inconvenient access, with a small winding staircase; but the Plea Rolls, Fines and Recoveries, and Books, &c., were in a convenient room on the ground floor, placed on open racks, and better arranged than any I had hitherto met with; the majority of the Plea Rolls were separated into reigns, those for Denbighshire in one place, and those for Montgomery (of which there were many here) in another. There was also a fine series of fifteen Docket Rolls, from Elizabeth to George III.

To Edward Jones, Esq., of Bryn Hyfryd, the late Deputy Prothonotary, in whose custody these Records remained, I am indebted for his great courtesy and anxious desire to render me every assistance in his power.

While at Ruthin, Mr. Cole, the Town Clerk, hearing that I was collecting Records, came and asked me if I would take away a quantity of Rolls, &c., &c., which were in a loft above the old Town Hall. He knew nothing about them, to what or whom they belonged. I did not consider that I had authority to take anything except what belonged to, or was connected with, the late Court of Great Sessions, but I went with Mr. Robert Edwards to see these Documents. They were in a loft (without a door), to which we ascended by a ladder from the old Town Hall, and in which the street lamps (in summer) and various kinds of lumber are kept. The Documents, which consisted of parchment and paper, were in two large boxes without covers, and in a most filthy state, too much so, indeed, to allow of any minute examination of them. I pulled out, however, a good many, and enough to be satisfied that they did not belong to the Records of the late Court of Great Sessions. But among them I observed many large and fine Court Rolls, as early as the reign of Edward III., several of the Commonwealth, and some, I think, as late as William III. Some of the Rolls having been opened, were torn, dirty, and suffering decay, but others which were rolled up, were in a fine state of preservation, especially so,

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considering how carelessly they had been treated. No one knew how or when they came there, or whence. It seems a great pity that such valuable Rolls should not be taken care of.

Chester and Flint.—On the 29th September, packing the Records in Chester Castle was renewed and continued without intermission until the 12th October. They comprised two divisions:—1, Those in the Prothonotary's Office; and 2, The Exchequer and Chancery Records.

1. The Records in the Prothonotary's Department were in the custody of Horatio Lloyd, Esq., (a grandson, I believe, of the late Prothonotary), late Deputy Clerk of Assize. He did not reside in Chester, but was staying in the neighbourhood, and came to me frequently to offer any explanation or assistance in his power. The Records in the two upper Prothonotary's rooms had been partially arranged in 1840 by Mr. Black, in divisions of the presses, in some cases the Records of Chester being separate from those of Flint, in others both being mixed together and forming by far the larger portion. It appeared, however, that the contents of some divisions of the presses had been moved since Mr. Black's sortment, apparently for the accommodation of the Records since that period, which in many cases were mixed with the early Records, so that the examination requisite to separate the modern Assize Records from those of the old Welsh Courts occupied a considerable time. The presses in the lower Prothonotary's Office were all locked up, and no one there knew to whom Mr. Black had delivered the keys in 1840. Mr. H. Lloyd had never seen them, and the Hall Keeper (who had charge of this room) said the presses had never been opened since Mr. Black locked them up. The locks were therefore forced open, and the presses were found to be closely filled with unsorted Records of all kinds. Some difficulty occurred in getting the Records out of the presses and packing them, owing to the room being so completely filled with the county furniture, for which of late years it has been made the store-room.

2. The Records in the Exchequer Department were in the custody of Philip Humberston, Esq., of Chester, by whose directions the keys were given up to me, but he had no one in his office at that time who could render me any explanation about the Records. The Records in the first two rooms had been arranged by Mr. Black, in his second visit to Chester in 1852, more carefully than any of the other Welsh Records; but, though the arrangement had been preserved, the Rolls were often misplaced, some of one division of the presses, being found in other divisions. A few documents especially mentioned by Mr. Black were not in the places assigned to them in his Report, nor could I find them in the slight examination my time allowed of, but it is probable these will be found among the Records whenever they can be carefully examined and sorted.

The large mass of Exchequer Records as a Court of Equity in the third room had been merely arranged according to their external form and appearance, on open racks. These alone filled nearly 100 bags.

The packing of all the Records to be removed from Chester having been completed, and arrangements having been made with the Railway Company for their conveyance to the station, and carriage to London, the whole (including what I had previously brought up to Chester from other places), was on the 12th October, taken to the railway in six large waggon loads, and packed in five of the largest North Western luggage vans, specially retained for the purpose, which were closely filled to the roof, and the doors securely locked. They came up by the goods train that evening, and I obtained special permission from the Manager at Chester, for the official workman whom I had with me to travel with them in the Guard's van. On their arrival in London next day, they were deposited according to your direction in the rooms of the basement floor of the New Record Repository.*

One matter relating to the Exchequer Records at Chester remains to be noticed, to which I must beg leave to call your attention. The Draught Calendars (of Recognizance or Remembrance Rolls, Patents, &c., Chamberlains' Accounts, Ministers' Accounts, and Escheators' Inquisitions,) made by the late Mr. Faithful Thomas, having been mentioned in Mr. Black's Report of 1852, were entered in the Schedule of the Warrant, but Mr. Humberston stated that they were made by Mr. Thomas, not in any official capacity, but at the instance and direction of the Magistrates of Cheshire, and were paid for by a special grant out of the County Funds; that he considered they had been left in his charge because the Records were in his custody, but still on behalf of the Magistrates, and therefore he did not feel authorized to give them up without their direction, or some special understanding with the Record Office. Now that he ceased to have the custody of the Records, he should transfer these Calendars to the keeping of Charles W. Potts, Esq., of Chester, Clerk of the Peace, who having been consulted, and fully agreeing with Mr. Humberston, that the Calendars were the property of the county, intended to take charge of them the following day. Mr. Humberston further said, that now the Records were taken to London, it was a great pity these Calendars should not be there also, for the convenience of searchers,

* The Records brought from Chester and North Wales, packed as closely as possible, filled 45 large boxes, and 369 bags, about 100 of the latter being large five-bushel bags. The weight was very nearly 13 tons.

and he felt convinced that the Magistrates would concur in some arrangement for the purpose, if applied to by the Record Office. He thought that as they had paid for these Calendars out of the county funds, they would wish to have a copy of them, and if such were guaranteed to them, they would not object to the draughts being forwarded to London.

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The Calendars are voluminous and written in a most inconvenient form, down one page and up the next, so that I think they could not be bound up, and it would be necessary to have a copy made for public use. Of their completeness or correctness, I can give no opinion, but Mr. Hewlett, who has occasionally consulted them at Chester, informs he has found them of much use. Their preparation must certainly have been a work of considerable labour. Under these circumstances, I would beg leave to suggest that a communication should be opened with the Magistrates to see what they really wish and if any reasonable arrangement can be made on the subject.

Charles W. Potts, Esq., Clerk of the Peace, would perhaps be the best person to address on the subject, as he would have the readiest means of laying the communication before the Magistrates.

2. South Wales.

My letter to you of the 18th October explained the difficulties I anticipated if I should attempt, at so late a period of the year, to remove the Brecknock, Radnor, and Cardigan Records, which are deposited at a distance from any railway, and I therefore proposed to leave them until the ensuing spring, and only then to bring up the Records from Haverfordwest, Carmarthen, and Cardiff. This proposal being approved of, I went down to Cardiff on the 1st November, hoping to obtain access the following day to the Record Room to see if it would afford accommodation for the temporary deposit of the Records from Carmarthen and Haverfordwest, so that I might remove the Records of the three places at one journey from Cardiff to London (after the plan which had succeeded so well at Chester). In this I was disappointed, as Mr. Maybery, of Brecknock, who had the custody of the Records at Cardiff, kept no deputy or substitute there. I went on to Carmarthen and inspected the Record Room, but found that the inconvenience of the place, the distance of the railway station from the town, and other obstacles which presented themselves, rendered it quite inexpedient to attempt to bring there even the Records from Haverfordwest, and consequently that a separate removal from each place direct to London was indispensable.

Haverfordwest.—The Records at Haverfordwest were deposited in a detached building well adapted for the purpose. Access was given by W. Vaughan James, Esq., Deputy Clerk of the Peace, and his clerk attended me during the time I was there. Although these Records were in a dry state, they showed evident signs of having been exposed to damp, if not water, at some period, and several had been much injured. Some Docket Rolls in particular were in a bad state, one of them in extreme decay.* The sortment into classes, as far as it had been effected by Mr. Black, seemed to have been little disturbed, but there were no labels or marks to distinguish the classes; and there were two large presses entirely filled with unsorted documents.

The packing of the Records at Haverfordwest having been finished on 7th November, they were conveyed to the railway station in carts, and I obtained special permission from the Manager of the South Wales Railway to bring them to London attached to the Mail train. On the 8th November I deposited them in the New Repository.

Carmarthen.—On the 16th November I commenced packing the Records in the Prothonotary's Office at Carmarthen. This was the best Record Room (excepting those at Chester) that I had met with in Wales. The presses and their divisions were all marked, and the Records tallied pretty correctly with a Repertory of the classes left in the Office by Mr. Black, in 1840.

The Chancery Records of this Circuit were at the several Offices of three Solicitors in Carmarthen.

1. Mr. Philip Griffith Jones, late Deputy Chancery Clerk of this Circuit, had a few in a small box, which he at once gave into my possession.
2. The Records, late in the custody of Mrs. Jones, widow and executrix of Thomas Jones, Esq., one of the Clerks in Chancery of this Circuit, had by her been confided to the charge of Messrs. Morris and Thomas, of Carmarthen, by whom they were given up to me on my application.
3. The Pleadings filed with Mr. Herbert Jones (formerly one of the Clerks in Chancery of this Circuit), were stated in Mr. Black's Report in 1840 to be then remaining, in a state of extreme dirt and decay in a loft over Mr. Lloyd's late office, at that time the Banking-house of Messrs. Wilkins & Co., in Carmarthen, and that Mr. Philip Griffith Jones claimed the custody of them. This, Mr. Jones told me was quite an error, and that he had never claimed or considered

* Seven Docket Rolls were found, besides the two mentioned in Mr. Black's Report, making nine Rolls for the Reigns of Elizabeth, James I., and Charles I.

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himself entitled to have the charge of these Records. They had been removed from the loft over the Banking-house, and it was some time before I found them in the possession of Mr. Walter Lloyd (a son, I believe, of the above-named Herbert Lloyd), who some years ago brought them from the Bank and deposited them at his office, partly in the cellar, and partly on the floor in two garrets. His clerk had since then gone roughly through them, selecting what appeared to be professional papers accumulated in the private practice of the late Mr. Herbert Lloyd, as Leases, Probates, Marriage Settlements, &c. &c., and these were placed on shelves round the rooms. The rest were lying in heaps on the floors of the two garrets, and in the cellar, and in a state of confusion, dirt, and decay, beyond all description, and I imagine that not a tenth part can ever be restored to a state of usefulness. The workmen had a most difficult and obnoxious task in getting them into the bags. Twenty-one corn sacks, the largest size, were at last filled with them.*

The packing of all the Records at Carmarthen having been completed on the 23d November, they were conveyed to the railway station and attached to the Mail train (by special permission as before stated), and the next morning I deposited them in the New Repository.

Cardiff.—On the evening of the 29th November I came down to Cardiff, and early the next morning Henry Maybery, Esq., of Brecknock, met me at the Record Room, gave me possession of it, and returned to Brecknock by the next train. This Record Room was the most dirty and inconvenient I met with, being much filled up with lumber of various kinds. The presses were along one side of the room in three tiers, the locks of the lower tier were broken open by Mr. Maybery, who had omitted to bring the keys, but the doors of the middle tier were still locked, and Mr. Maybery stated that he had never seen these presses open, and did not know if they contained Records or not. I had them forced open and found them quite filled with Miscellaneous Records, as described by Mr. Black in 1840, but a very large portion of them seem to be *Fines*, some in large bundles, and some in great loose files, in a horrid state of dirt. The arrangement of the Records in the lower presses was exceedingly confused, and the classes were not denoted by any labels or marks, so that the selection of them was more difficult, and the whole, although in closed presses, were in a most dirty condition. The Plea Rolls (except the modern ones) were much more bulky than any I met with elsewhere. The upper tier of closets was not locked, and contained old Bankruptcy Books and Papers, Acts of Parliament, &c., all which I left there, and on quitting Cardiff delivered the key of the room to Thomas Dalton, Esq., (Clerk of the Peace,) at his request.

The Records at Cardiff, being all packed on the 5th of December, were brought from thence to London by the Mail train, and on the 6th I deposited them in the New Repository.

On the 5th January instant, I received from Henry Revell Reynolds, Esq. (Solicitor to the Treasury), late Registrar of the Brecknock, Radnor, and Glamorgan Circuit,† two quarto books which he had kept at his house in London belonging to the Chancery of this Circuit, viz. (1.) *Registrar's Minute Book*, from 27th August 1823, to 19th April 1830; (2.) Indorsed, "Reports and Accounts," 1829 and 1830.‡

From the foregoing statement it will be seen that the Records of the late Courts of Great Sessions have now being brought to London, from Dolgelly, Carnarvon, Welshpool, Ruthin, Chester, Haverfordwest, Carmarthen, and Cardiff, while those at Brecknock, Presteign, and Cardigan have still to be removed, as soon as the season of the year is sufficiently advanced.

The bulk of Records is, I imagine, but imperfectly understood from any statement in cubic feet, and the quantity now brought up from Wales will be better explained by saying that they were packed as tightly as possible in 56 boxes and 587 bags, whereof some of the boxes were very large, and of the bags 157 were the large five-bushel sacks; that on the railway they filled five North Western luggage vans, and three Great Western horseboxes, and in conveying them from the railways to the New Record Repository, they were with difficulty taken in ten large waggons; and, lastly, that the weight was little short of 20 tons.

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* The Chancery Records, formerly in the custody of Joseph Bicknell, Esq., Registrar, and one of the Clerks in Chancery, on the Carmarthen Circuit, are still undiscovered. Mr. Bicknell has been dead some years. He resided somewhere in London, and it is supposed kept the Records at his house.

† To prevent misunderstanding it is right for me to state that I have not yet received the Chancery Records described in the Schedule of the Warrant as "The Records of the Registrar "and Marshall of the Brecknock Circuit, now or formerly in the custody of Henry Revell "Reynolds, Esquire, Solicitor to the Treasury, formerly Registrar, &c. of the said Circuit, or of "Thomas Jones, Esq. of Bridgend, Glamorganshire, formerly Clerk of the Registrar," except the two Books now mentioned.

‡ This is chiefly a blank book, only about 30 pages being written on, in various parts of it.

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It must now, I presume, become a matter for consideration by what means so large a mass of Records can be properly arranged. All the sortment that had been made, however imperfect, has been preserved in the removal to London, for every box and bag was ticketed as it was filled, so that any Document which could have been found in Wales can as readily be found now. Scarcely half, however, of the whole quantity had undergone any arrangement. In this half, though the classes were separated, they were not, except in a few instances, arranged by years, or even reigns. As regards some of the more frequently used classes, this may, perhaps, be effected in a few months; for instance, the Plea Rolls, Fines and Recoveries, and the Docket Rolls, as far as they have been separated from the Miscellaneous, may be arranged by years; and the books may be placed in order. This done, the Records will be of more easy reference than they were in Wales, but the arrangement will still be most incomplete, until the whole of the Miscellaneous has been sorted; for therein Fines will be found to a large extent, and also Plea Rolls, and various other Documents of the more valuable kinds.

The arrangement of the whole will be a work of years, unless an efficient force be placed thereon. Besides this, several workmen should also be employed on repairing these Records. Many books, too, require binding.

In conclusion, I have only to observe that no disinclination to give up the Records was evinced; on the contrary, from all parties connected with them, I met with the greatest courtesy and attention; and many persons in Wales expressed their approbation of the measure. The Records will be better preserved than they could have been in their late places of deposit; and from the many searches which have been required since their arrival in London, there seems no doubt that their usefulness to the public will be greatly extended.

I am, &c.

Sir Francis Palgrave, &c. &c.

(Signed) CHARLES ROBERTS.

No. 3.—PEVERIL COURT RECORDS.

LETTER from T. DUFFUS HARDY, Esq., to Sir FRANCIS PALGRAVE.

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SIR, Tower, 2d Jan. 1855.

PURSUANT to the Warrant of the Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls, to take possession of all the Records and Proceedings of the late abolished Court of the Honor of Peveril, and additional limits of the same, I beg leave to report, that after leaving Durham I proceeded to Nottingham, and put myself in communication with Mr. Cann, the late Deputy Steward of that Court, who immediately delivered up all the Records belonging thereto which he had in his custody, and in the most polite and courteous manner rendered me every assistance in his power. After giving Mr. Cann a receipt for the Documents in question, I had them placed in a strong packing-case, brought them to London, and deposited them in the New Repository. I now send an Inventory of them, accompanied by a few remarks on the origin of the Peveril Court, which may be acceptable to those who may hereafter have occasion to consult the Documents belonging to it, as I can find no description of that Court in any printed book of authority.

I have, &c.

Sir Francis Palgrave, &c. &c.

(Signed) T. DUFFUS HARDY.

THE Honor of Peveril is supposed to have been created by William the Conqueror, and granted by him to William de Peveril, his natural son, by whom it was forfeited to the Crown, as it is supposed, in the reign of King Henry I.

To this Honor, which extended into several counties, was attached a Court of some description, but there is no way now of ascertaining correctly what was its nature or jurisdiction. It seems, however, to have comprised both a Tourn and a View of Frankpledge. The former, which was a Court of Record, had jurisdiction to hear and determine all felonies (death of man excepted) and common nuisances. It was holden twice a year at Nottingham, and all tenants of the Honor were bound to appear there when it was holden. The latter, also a Court of Record, had jurisdiction over those matters which were exempt from the Tourn. It met once in every three weeks, and the tenants of the Honor who owed suit and service were bound to appear before it. Over the Tourn, after the Honor came into the King's hands, the Constable or Warden of Nottingham Castle presided (and not the Sheriff, whose jurisdiction was confined to the Tourn held for the county, of which he was the chief officer), it being alleged "that King William the First, "with the consent of his Council, ordained that from time to time, and at all times "thereafter, when and so often as any freeman of dignity and fealty to the Crown of "England should in lawful manner hold or be proprietor of the inheritance of the site "and castle of Nottingham, whether by gift, descent, or purchase, the same man and his

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"heirs (so long as he should be qualified) should be Constable, Marshall, and Steward of "the Castle of Nottingham and Honor of Peveril." This was the state of things until the reign of King Henry VIII., when that monarch, being seised of the premises in question, did, "by a private Act of Parliament made in the 28th year of his reign, "convey to and settle on Thomas Lord Cromwell and his heirs the inheritance and pro-"perty of the Castle and Honor of Nottingham, alias Peveril."

Lord Cromwell being thus seised of the premises did, by his Lease and Release severally dated 23d and 25th of February, 30th Henry VIII., demise and grant them to his son Gregory Lord Cromwell

The Grant above mentioned and the Indenture thereupon made seem to have been forfeited on the Attainder of Lord Cromwell in 1540, and the Honor taken into the hands of the Crown, where it remained until the reign of James I., when the Stewardship of the Honor was leased to Sir George Goring and his brother, as will be hereafter mentioned.

Over the Frankpledge an Officer in the nature of Bailiff presided, and from the time that the Honor came into the hands of the Crown, until the 11th year of the reign of Edward III. the Office was granted or leased out at an annual rent. In that year the King granted the Bailiwick of the Honor to William Eland and his heirs for ever, at an annual rent of fourteen marks.

The Bailiwick of the Honor of Peveril continued in the family of Eland until the reign of Henry VIII. when Hugh Revell, grandson of Henry Eland, (that is, son of Rowland Revell and Margaret, daughter of the said Henry Eland,) obtained licence from King Henry VIII. in 1546, to alienate the office of the Bailiwick of Peveril to Henry Willoughby, in fee, at the old rent due to the Crown; and by Indenture (reciting King Edward III.'s Letters Patent to William Eland, and that the estate, title, and interest, of the said William Eland, in the said Office, had come to the said Hugh Revell, as well by lawful conveyance as by descent of inheritance, as right heir of the said William Eland), in consideration of 80*l.*, covenanted, bargained, and sold the said Office or Bailiwick of the Honor of Peveril, with all profits, charges, and all Records, Evidences, Court Rolls, and Writings, concerning and belonging to the said Office to the said Henry Willoughby.

In the 4th of Edward VI. Henry Willoughby died seised of the said Office or Bailiwick, and it appears to have continued in his family until about the year 1617, without interruption. In that year King James I. by Letters Patent of the 26th February, in the 15th year of his reign, granted to Sir George Goring and Sir Edward Goring, "the "Office of High Steward of the Honor of Peveril, and of the King's Manors, Lordships, "and Hereditaments, in the counties of Nottingham and Derby, to the said Honor in "any way appertaining, and the keeping of all Courts within the said Honor for the "term of fifty years."

In consequence of this Royal Lease, Sir Percival Willoughby, to whom the estate of the Bailiwick of the Court of Peveril had descended, disputed King James's Lease to the Gorings; whereupon they exhibited a Bill in the Exchequer Chamber against him, and "demanded to have the Court Rolls, the profits of the Stewardship and waifs estray, "felons goods, common fines, amerciaments, and perquisites of Court," &c.

The Court of Exchequer, however, decreed that the Gorings "should hold and enjoy "unto them and their assigns (*inter alia*) the said Stewardship, felon's goods, common "fines, perquisites of Court, mentioned in the King's Lease to them; and that all Court "Rolls, Books of Account, and Evidences concerning the Bailiwick of the said Manor, "and the Stewardship there remaining in the hands of the said Defendant Willoughby "or his under officer should be delivered up to the Plaintiffs (the Gorings), to be brought "into that Court, there to remain for His Majesty's use."

Exceptions were taken by the Defendant's Counsel to this Decree, but it was ordered that the said Decree should continue and stand in force.

On the 31st May 1639, Charles I. issued his Letters Patent, appointing George Lord Goring (one of the lessees in King James's demise above-mentioned) to the office of High Steward of the Honor of Peveril for and during his lifetime. By these Letters Patent the King also "ordains, establishes, and declares that the jurisdiction of the Honor of Peveril "shall for the future extend itself as well in and through all those places which of old were "within the jurisdiction of the said Honor, as in and through the whole Wapentakes or Hun-"dreds of Broxtow and Thurgarton, by Leigh, in the county of Nottingham (to wit) in all "parts of those wapentakes which previously were not within the jurisdiction of the said "Honor, and that all the towns, townships, hamlets, and places within the wapentakes afore-"said which before were not within such jurisdiction, shall henceforth be called the addi-"tional limits of the Honor of Peveril."

In the following year (8th April, 15th Charles I.) George Lord Goring mortgaged the premises to Sir Thomas Lawley for a large sum of money, but continued in possession until 1646, when being a Delinquent, his whole Estate was sequestered.

On the Petition of the widow of Sir Thomas Lawley to the then House of Peers, it was ordered by them that the Committee of Sequestration should either pay 1,450*l.* then due to Lady Lawley, for the principal and interest, or suffer her to enjoy the premises.

In the meantime, Sir Percival Willoughby, the Defendant in the suit in the Exchequer (in which the Gorings were Plaintiffs), took steps before the Committee of Sequestration

to recover some of his rights in the Honor of Peveril, as did also his son Sir Francis Willoughby, but without effect.

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On the death of Lord Goring, Sir Francis Willoughby possessed himself again of his hereditary Bailiwick of the Honor of Peveril, though he does not seem to have exercised any jurisdiction in the Court of the Honor, as remodelled by King Charles I., inasmuch as King Charles II. by his Letters Patent, bearing date April 14th, in the 16th year of his reign, granted to Charles, Earl of Norwich (son of George Lord Goring), and Henry Goring, the office of High Steward of the Honor of Peveril, and the office of keeping all Courts, Leets, Liberties and Views of Frankpledge in the said Honor, for and during their lives and the life of the longer liver of them.

On the death of Charles, Earl of Norwich, in 1672, without issue, and the surrender of this office in question by Henry Goring, the other co-grantee above mentioned, King Charles II., by his Letters Patent, dated January 23rd, in the 25th year of his reign, nominated and appointed Henry, Marquis of Worcester, Charles, Lord Herbert, his eldest son, and Arthur, Lord Somerset, his second son, to the office of High Steward of the Honor of Peveril, for their lives, and the life of the longer liver of them.

In these last-mentioned Letters Patent, the limits of this Court were further extended and a Court of Record was appointed to be held every Tuesday, in such place as the Steward of the Court of the Honor should from time to time appoint, and in the said Court should be heard and determined, all and singular pleas of debt, detinue, covenant, and broken account, trespass, trespass on the case, caption and detention of cattle, goods and chattels, and all other personal pleas and actions whatsoever, arising within the Honor aforesaid, so that the debts, damages, &c. exceed not the sum of 50*l.*, &c.

On the death of the last survivor of the three grantees mentioned in King Charles II's. Letters Patent, the family of Willoughby once more endeavoured to obtain possession of the Bailiwick of the Honor of Peveril, and for the purpose of preventing all disputes for the future applied to the Crown for a grant in perpetuity of the Stewardship of the Honor and the casual profits thereof. Queen Anne thereupon by Her Letters Patent on the 22nd June, in the 5th year of her reign, granted the office and place of High Steward of the Honor of Peveril, in the counties of Nottingham and Derby, to Sir Thomas Willoughby, Bart., and his heirs for ever.

This office remained in the descendants of Sir Thomas Willoughby, (created Lord Middleton in 1711), until the Peveril Court was abolished by Statute 12 & 13 Victoria, c. 101. s. 14.

SCHEDULE OF PEVERIL RECORDS.

Liber Regularum	1661
" "	1686
" Querelarum	1682

	Commencing	Ending
"Pleadings" Books	1682	1691
" "	1691	1697
"Actions" Books	1686	1690
" "	1698	1693
" "	1694	1702 (2 copies)
" "	1732	1735
" "	1735	1741
" "	1746	1749
" "	1749	1753
" "	1753	1757
" "	1757	1760
" "	1760	1764
" "	1764	1770
" "	1770	1778
" "	1778	1786

	Commencing	Ending
"Issues and Judgments" Books	21st Jan. 1755	4th Oct. 1757
" "	4th Oct. 1757	6th Jan. 1761
"Minute" Books	6th Sept. 1729	20th Mar. 1733
"	3rd Jan. 1764	30th Sept. 1766
"	3rd Jan. 1769	30th Oct. 1770
"	30th Oct. 1770	22nd Dec. 1772
"	29th Dec. 1772	2nd May 1775
"	2nd May 1775	22nd Dec. 1778
"	22nd Dec. 1778	20th May 1783
"	27th May 1783	18th Aug. 1786
"	22nd April 1788	30th Nov. 1790
"	14th May 1805	16th Dec. 1806

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	Commencing	Ending
"Præcipe" Books - -	18th Oct. 1808	17th April 1810
" - - -	24th April 1810	31st Dec. 1811
" - - -	31st Dec. 1811	20th Oct. 1812
" - - -	27th Oct. 1812	12th July 1814
" - - -	19th July 1814	26th Dec. 1815
" - - -	2nd Jan. 1816	16th Sept. 1817
" - - -	23rd Sept. 1817	17th Aug. 1819
" - - -	24th Aug. 1819	6th Feb. 1821
" - - -	13th Feb. 1821	4th Mar. 1823
" - - -	11th Mar. 1823	8th Nov. 1825
" - - -	15th Nov. 1825	4th Dec. 1827
" - - -	4th Dec. 1827	3rd Jan. 1831
" - - -	4th Jan. 1831	18th June 1833
" - - -	21st June 1833	5th Dec. 1836
" - - -	6th Dec. 1836	31st Jan. 1841
" - - -	2nd Feb. 1841	23rd July 1844
" - - -	23rd July 1844	28th April 1846
" - - -	28th April 1846	16th Nov. 1847
" - - -	16th Nov. 1847	5th Nov. 1850
"Trials and Inquiries" Book	19th May 1835	7th Nov. 1843

Index to "Præcipe" Books, continuation of, 1 vol.
1 Parcel, entitled "Papers for 1844."
" " "Papers for 1845."
" " "Papers for 1846."
" " "Papers for 1846."
12 Monthly bundles of Declarations for 1848.
" " " for 1849, and one bundle of papers.
5 Bundles of papers for various years.
1 File of Writs.
1 Bundle, and 5 loose, "Pleas."

No. 4.—DURHAM RECORDS.

Report of T. Duffus Hardy, Esq., to Sir Francis Palgrave.

4. Durham Records.

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Sir, Tower, 18th November 1854.

Pursuant to your instructions of the 20th of July last, desiring me to proceed to Durham, and put myself in communication with the several local officers there, to make a full examination of the Records, to inquire into the nature and state of the buildings in which they are deposited; to ascertain whether they are secure from fire, damp, and depredations; to learn the names of the individuals having the custody of the same; to make myself acquainted with the orders and regulations by which access to them is afforded to the public; to see what Indexes, Calendars, or Repertories exist; to ascertain what fees are charged for searches, copies, &c.; to obtain all the information I could collect respecting the classes, nature, and historical or legal character of the documents in question; and to communicate to you the result of my proceedings, for the information of the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls;—I have the honour to make the following report, requesting you, however, to bear in mind, that to have performed all the various duties mentioned in your instructions, in a way satisfactory to myself, would, judging by the progress I made, working ten hours a day, have occupied me six months instead of two weeks. I have, however, done the best I could in the short time allowed me by your instructions; and, although my report may not embrace all it is desirable to know relative to the Palatinate Documents, yet I hope it will be found to contain much useful information on the subject, and afford general, if not full, answers to your questions.

The Public Records and Muniments of the Palatinate of Durham, together with those belonging to the Bishop of Durham in his episcopal or private capacity, are at present deposited in a strong square edifice on the west side of the Palace Green, appertinent to the castle, called "The Exchequer Building," said to have been expressly erected for them by Bishop Neville about the year 1450.* This building is now the property of the University of Durham, to which it was conveyed by an order of the Queen in Council, of the 19th July 1837, under the description of "the Castle of Durham, "including all the precincts of the said castle, and all houses, buildings, lands tenements,

* It is probable, however, that Bishop Neville merely altered the building, and converted it into a Court of Justice and Record repository, as a portion of the structure exhibits a much earlier period of architecture than that assigned to it.

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"and hereditaments heretofore known or accepted as parcel of the said precinct, subject, "among other things, to the enjoyment by such officers of the Palatinate of Durham as "had performed for thirty years last past and did then perform the duties of their "respective offices in any building within the said precincts, of the right of performing "their respective duties within the same building respectively, until the Warden, "Masters, and Scholars shall have provided to the satisfaction of the Bishop of Durham "for the time being sufficient building elsewhere for the respective purposes for which "the present buildings are lawfully used; and as to those parts of the said building which "were used by officers of the said Palatinate, so long as any of those duties shall remain "to be performed by the officers who held their offices at the time of passing the Act for "separating the Palatinate jurisdiction from the Bishopric of Durham." In fulfilment of their part of the agreement, the Warden, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Durham are erecting, and have almost completed, a large and commodious stone building for the Records in the Exchequer Building. It is also to contain offices for the transaction of the public business of the Palatinate, as well as a Court of Chancery.

In the "Exchequer Building" are several rooms, containing—

1. The Court of Chancery, in which the Records in the custody of the Registrar are kept.
2. The Cursitor's Records.
3. The Prothonotary's Records.
4. The Records of the Clerk of the Peace.
5. The Records of the Clerk of the Crown.
6. The Auditor's Records.
7. The Receiver-General's Records.
8. The Halmote Court Records.

The proceedings of the County Court, before their destruction, were also deposited in this building, in a room now in the occupation of the University of Durham.

The time allowed me to ascertain the nature of and report on these Records was, as I have already stated, so limited, and the disorder in which I found them so great, that it is next to impossible to give anything like a full or correct account of them.

Before, however, I proceed to speak of these Muniments, it will be desirable to premise a few words upon the origin of the Palatinate of Durham, and the Royal rights thereunto belonging, which were by Statute 6 William IV., cap. 19., vested in His Majesty, His heirs and successors, "as a Franchise and Royalty separate from the Crown."

The principal portion of the possessions belonging to the See of Durham was granted to Cuthbert, Bishop of Lindisfarne, and his successors, afterwards Bishops of Durham, by Anglo-Saxon kings.*

It is not necessary to fix the precise period when the Bishopric of Durham became a Palatinate. Some writers maintain that it was created by William I.,† but no charter of such a creation is extant, nor does it seem probable that such a charter was ever granted. Others say that it was erected by Richard I.,‡ but the more general opinion seems to be, that it is a County Palatine by prescription, and not by creation or grant§ within legal memory. At all events, from time immemorial, it has been considered one, and held to embrace the district between the River Tyne on the north and the River Tees on the south, as well as the Manors of Norham and Holy Island (commonly called Norhamshire and Islandshire), the lordship of Bedlington, in the county of Northumberland, the manors of Craike and North Allerton in Yorkshire, severally known as Bedlingtonshire, Craikeshire, and Allertonshire. Throughout this large dominion, or "seignory "royal," the Bishops of Durham, previous to the present holder of the See, from the time of legal memory, continued to hold and enjoy all royal rights and jurisdictions, both in land and water.

The Bishops of Durham as Palatines, and not as Bishops, had power to levy taxes, to coin money at their own mint, and to raise men for defence within their bishopric. Until the Statute 27 Henry VIII. c. 24., the Courts, which in other places were held in the King's name, were holden in theirs. They appointed their own Justices of Assize, of

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* Selden is of opinion that the earls, during the Anglo-Saxon dynasty, had their earldoms to their own use, and exercised "merum et mixtum imperium," "insomuch as the King's writ of "ordinary justice did not run there; that although they were not so called, yet they were "'Comites Palatini,' or Palatines, or such counts as have in their title a special eminence of "their dignity from a relation, as their name denotes, to the emperor's court or palace." These counts had all royalties, or "jura imperii," which are the same as those rights which, in the law language of England, are called "jura regalia." Sir Edward Coke (4 Inst. 205) says, "the power "and authority of those that had counties palatine was kinglike, for they might pardon treasons, "murders, felonies, and outlawries thereupon, and they shall have forfeitures of lands and goods "for high treason" There are no clauses, however, in any of the charters granted to the Bishops of Durham by Anglo-Saxon kings to such effect.

† Davis' Rep. fol. 61b. &c. Cas del County Palatine de Wexford.

‡ Spelman Glos.—2 Inst. 557.—4 Inst. 216.

§ It was, however, questioned in Parliament, 11 Henry VI., but judgment was there given for the Bishop.

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Oyer et Terminer, and of the Peace. They exempted men from appearing at the Assizes and serving on juries, and all Writs went in their name. A great part of the land in the county was held of them in capite.* All wastes and moors there, to which no one could make title, belonged to them. No freehold land could be alienated without their licence. They pardoned intrusions, trespasses, rapes, felonies, misprisons, and manumitted villeins. All forfeitures of lands and goods of felons and outlaws, and of those committing high treason, belonged to them.† They likewise had all fines for alienations, amercements, and forfeited recognizances, as well as primer fines, post fines, or Bishop's silver. All fruits of tenure by wardships, marriages, liveries, &c. belonged to them during the feudal service in this country. They gave licences to build chapels, to found hospitals and chantries, to purchase and convey lands in mortmain, notwithstanding the Statute, to crenelate and embattle castles and manorhouses, and to create boroughs and erect corporations. They likewise possessed and enjoyed Admiralty jurisdiction within the Palatinate, being Lords Admiral of the seas and waters there. They appointed, by their Letters Patent, Vice-Admirals, Judges, Registrars, Examiners, Water Bailiffs, Officers of Beaconage and Anchorage, and accordingly took and enjoyed all wrecks of the sea, royal fish, anchorage, butlerage, wharfage, moorage, metage, and all other privileges, forfeitures, and profits incident thereunto. They also had ferry boats over the navigable rivers within the county, together with fisheries and dams. They had several forests, chaces, parks, woods, and they had foresters who held Courts and determined matters relative to the same. They issued their commissions "de lunatico inquirendo," and granted the custody of all idiots and lunatics. They created all the officers of the Palatinate by Letters Patent, "quamdiu se "bene gesserint," "quamdiu Episcopo placuerit," or for life or lives, but none of the Patents were valid beyond the Bishop's life who granted them, unless confirmed by the Dean and Chapter of Durham. The principal privilege, however, which the Bishops possessed as Palatines, and which more immediately has reference to the present inquiry, was that of holding Courts of Justice as well as of appointing Judges and officers to preside over and officiate therein; the acts, proceedings, and decisions of whom constitute the public muniments of the Palatinate, of which it is necessary now to speak. These Courts were, the Chancery, the Exchequer, the Court of Common Pleas, and the County Court.

The chief officer was the Temporal Chancellor, so called to distinguish him from the Chancellor of the Cathedral and the Chancellor of the Diocese. He was appointed by the Bishop's Letters Patent, and had the custody of the Great Seal of the Palatinate, which was employed in sealing all Commissions, Charters, Letters Patent, and Letters Close, issuing out of the Chancery, as well as Writs and Mandates proceeding from the Exchequer and Court of Pleas at Durham.

The Court over which this officer presided, though called the Chancery, was and is the Exchequer, in which the fiscal matters of the Bishop were and are arranged, and all suits in equity, arising between party and party inhabiting the Palatinate were and are heard and adjudicated upon. Cardinal Wolsey, it seems, during the time he held the Palatinate, introduced an equitable jurisdiction, and the proceedings from his time seem to have assumed the same form as those in the High Court of Chancery.

This Court was always holden in the Exchequer Chamber, and its proceedings assimilated more with the practice of the Exchequer at Westminster than with that of the Chancery of England. It only sat for three or four days once a year, and its jurisdiction could not be enforced out of the limits of the Palatinate. No appeals were ever made from it to the House of Peers, or any other Superior Court; on the contrary, the Bishop claimed a right to hear and determine all appeals from the decisions of his Temporal Chancellor.‡

The records and proceedings of this Court are in the custody of the Registrar and Cursitor, the latter of whom usually held the office of Keeper of the Chancery Records.

The *Registrar* was appointed by the Bishop's Letters Patent, and his duties were to file Bills, Answers, and other proceedings in Suits; to draw, enter, and copy all Orders, Rules, Decrees; to prepare and issue Writs of Subpœna, Attachments, Injunctions, as well as Commissions for Examination of Witnesses.

Owing to the short time I could devote to the Records of the Palatinate, I can only mention the series which are in this officer's custody. They consist of original Orders and Decrees of the Court from 1613 to 1642, and from 1661 to the present time.

Four Register Books, being part of a series (the earlier books appear to have been lost), respectively marked K, L, M, N, contain copies of Decrees and Orders of the Court during given periods, viz.,—K, from September 1633 to end of July 1742; L, from September

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* Dominus Rex habebit custodiam omnium terrarum eorum qui de ipso tenent in capite per servitium militare, de quibus ipsi tenentes fuerunt seisiti in dominico suo ut de feodo die quo obierunt de quocumque tenuerunt per hujusmodi servitium, dumtamen ipsi tenuerunt de Rege aliquod tenementum ab antiquo de Corona usque ad legitimam ætatem heredum, exceptis feodis Archiepiscopi Cantuar., *Episcopi Dunelm. inter Tyne et These*, et feodis Comitum et Baronum de Marchia in Marchia, ubi brevia Regis non currunt. (Stat. Prerogativa Regis, cap. 1.)

† See the case of James Pilkington, Bishop of Durham, in Dyer, 288.

‡ *Vide* Spearman, "An Inquiry into the Ancient and present State of the County Palatine of Durham," pp. 53 to 56.

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1661 to 1670; M, from April 1671 to August 1706; N, from 1717 to 1779; from which time until 1798 the Decrees and Orders were never entered.

Some original Awards and copies of others, made on the division of commons, commonable lands, and waste grounds within the County Palatine, are also kept in this department.

There is no general catalogue or inventory of the contents of the office.

The Records are in great confusion, and deposited in presses placed against the wall of the room by no means fireproof, in which the Court of Chancery sits.

The hours of attendance are from nine to one in the morning, and from three to seven in the afternoon. 3*s.* 4*d.* is charged for each search, and 8*d.* per folio for copies, and the fees are the perquisite of Mr. John Tiplady, who holds the office of Registrar. To this gentleman I am very much indebted for the facilities and assistance he gave me during my stay at Durham.*

The *Cursitor* or Clerk of the Latin Chancery, a very important officer in the Palatinate of Durham, was also appointed by the Bishop's Letters Patent. He made out all original Writs and Processes, and had similar duties to those performed by the Cursitors of the High Court of Chancery. In addition to his other duties, this officer, as I have elsewhere stated, has generally been appointed, by the Bishop's Letters Patent, Keeper of the Chancery Records, and anciently had the sole custody of the Records belonging to the several Courts of the Palatinate.

The Cursitor's Records are deposited in presses fixed round two sides of the room, from the floor to the ceiling. They did not exhibit any appearance of present damp; on the contrary, many of them were thickly coated with dust. Some, however, have suffered considerably from ancient mildew and wet. The room is sufficiently lighted by a large Gothic window, the broken panes and defects of which admitted air more than sufficient to ventilate a much greater space. It cannot be said to be fireproof, as there is a stove which is lighted in winter, whenever any searches are being made in the room, and lucifer matches are by no means a scarce article there or in the other rooms in the Exchequer Building.

It is not for the purpose of finding fault, or exaggerating my own labours, that I refer to the disordered state of the Documents in this Department,† which made it positively necessary to assort and arrange them into classes, before I could form even a notion of their purport. Documents relating to the same subject were scattered in twenty different places. Not one closet or shelf was appropriated to the same class of Records, owing, it is said, to attornies and agents having searched for Documents useful for the object of their inquiry, and neglected to fasten up the bundles they had used. The clerks of this, as well as of all the other Departments, not being acquainted with the characters and abbreviations in Records, are therefore not competent to afford assistance to literary or legal inquirers, the searcher is consequently allowed to roam at large among the Records, to open such bundles as he pleases, and leave them to be fastened up by the clerks, which in many instances has never been done; hence the confusion which has arisen. Some little excuse, however, may be offered for this random searching by agents and inquirers, for, with the exception of an imperfect calendar to the series of Records called there the Close Rolls, there is no inventory or catalogue of the contents of the office. I have, therefore, compiled a brief Repertory of the Muniments there, a copy of which, I think, ought to be sent to the Cursitor, as a guide to his clerk, to prevent this chance or undirected exploration for the future. I wish it, however, to be understood that I by no means profess it to be a perfect catalogue or arrangement, but only the best I could make under existing circumstances. By comparing this with the catalogue compiled in 1618 by Richardson, Keeper of the Chancery Records, and which I unexpectedly found‡ among the Muniments in the Auditor's Office,§ the loss or depredation of the Documents in this Department will be apparent.

It seems, however, that these losses must have occurred more than a century and a half ago, for in an old manuscript, written about that period, entitled "A State of Records of "ye County Palatine of Durham," it is stated that "In ye Cursiter's Office are reposited "ye Close Rolls in Chancery, in wch severall things occur wch are of great use for ye dis-"covery and asserting of diverse Rights belonging to ye See. But it will appear y^t^ in "this office are wanting proper conveniences for ye repository of Records, y^t^ many of

* The Examiner in the Chancery of Durham exercised nearly the same duties as the like officers did in the High Court of Chancery. He does not, however, appear to have had any Records in his custody. The interrogatories and depositions of witnesses in that court, which are properly his muniments, are seemingly in the charge of the Cursitor, as Keeper of the Records of the Palatinate.

† I should be acting unjustly towards Mr. Joseph Davison, the present Cursitor, were I not publicly to acknowledge that he rendered me every assistance and facility in his power, in the most courteous and trustful manner.

‡ I was very much pleased with the discovery of this document, as I was aware that such an inventory had been compiled;[1] for the substance of it is to be found in the 2nd volume of the "Collectanea Curiosa," printed by the delegates of the Clarendon Press, in 1781, from a copy obtained by Sancroft, afterwards Archbishop of Canterbury, when a canon of Durham.

§ *See* Appendix No. 4.

[1] *See* Appendix No. 1.

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" ye Records of this office have been imbezeld, lost, or destroyed, & y^t many of those " wch are still left, & particularly ye Inquisicons post mortem, wch are of use in deriveing " ye Descents & ye titles of ye Estates of most Families within ye County, & are of con- " sequence to those whose Rights & Estates depend upon y^m, are in very bad condicon, " & must necessarily perish unlesse speedy care be taken about y^m." It further states that " Original grants belonging to the See, Charters of Inspeximus & Confirmation from " y Crown, & Exemplifications of ancient Records, the obtaining of which had un- " doubtedly cost many thousand pounds, are all destroyed."

The Muniments at present in the Cursitor's Office consist of seven classes :—

I. Rolls similar to the Patent, Close, and Fine Rolls of the High Court of Chancery, commencing with the first year of the Pontificate of Bishop Bury, A.D. 1333, and ending with the death of Dr. Van Mildert, the last Prince Palatine of Durham. These Rolls contain the enrolments of all Charters, Letters Patent, and Letters Close which passed under the Great Seal of the Palatinate.

II. Manuscript Books, being Registers of the public and private Acts of some of the Bishops, contemporaneous abstracts or copies of Inquisitions post mortem, Assignments of Dower, and Proofs of Age, from the time of Bishop Beaumont to that of Bishop James, Extents of Lands, Recognizances, Memoranda of Leases, &c.

III. Halmote Books, being the Proceedings of the Manor Courts or Hall Meetings held in the Palatinate, from the time of Bishop Bury to that of Bishop Houson.

IV. Inquisitions post mortem and Inquisitions ad quod damnum, Coroners Inquests, Extents under the Statute of Elegit, &c., Warrants of Attorney, and Writs of Dedimus potestatem for Recoveries, and other Documents formerly on files.

V. Bills, Answers, and Depositions in the Chancery of the Palatinate of Durham.

VI. Exchequer Processes.

VII. Fiats for Commissions to take Affidavits in the Court of Pleas and Chancery of Durham, Files of Affidavits upon which bailable pones are issued, Precipes for all Writs, both real and personal, returnable in the Court of Pleas at Durham ; Side Bar Rules, Writs from the Courts at Westminster directed to the Bishops of Durham, who thereupon gave their mandates to the Sheriffs, Writs for the Election of Members to serve in Parliament, and other Writs, Sheriffs Oaths, Chancellors accounts for the County and City of Durham.

The Inventories I compiled of the Records in this Department, and Richardson's Catalogue of the Muniments in the Palatinate, will be found in the Appendix to this Report.

Having mentioned generally the Records in charge of the Cursitor, I would offer a few remarks relative to his office, as great doubts are entertained in the Palatinate whether the office was abolished, with that of the Cursitors of the High Court of Chancery, by Statute 5 & 6 William IV. c. 82. s. 10. If it be so abolished, then it may become a question whether the Muniments at present in the custody of that officer do not come within the meaning of the first clause in the Record Act, 1 & 2 Victoria, c. 94, which places all the Records of the lately abolished Courts in the Palatinate of Durham under the charge of the Master of the Rolls. It will be essential for the furtherance of justice in the Palatinate to have this point established by the opinion of the twelve Judges, as a most important Writ, which used to be issued out of the Cursitor's Office, has been discontinued on account of the opinion expressed on the subject by one of the Judges of the Common Pleas. The Writ in question is the " Pone per vadios," returnable in the Court of Pleas at Durham, which enables a creditor to attach the goods and chattels of his debtor in the same manner as a landlord does the effects of his tenant. Convenient and useful as this Writ was, it nevertheless was open to many abuses, and frequently effected as much evil and injustice as on the other hand it did good and right.* This fact led Mr. Moore, a solicitor of Durham, who practically knew the advantages and mischiefs of this Writ, to frame some Rules whereby the evil could be avoided, and the good continued. Under the orders drawn up by Mr. Moore, the Writ of Pone became most effective and valuable to the creditors and traders in the Palatinate, and it is much to the regret of all the practitioners there that it has been discontinued.

The tribunal next in importance to the Chancery was the Court of Pleas at Durham, at which all civil rights of the inhabitants of the Palatinate, and all actions, real, personal, and mixed, for goods, lands, contracts, and trespasses, were tried and determined, as well

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* " The like of this process is not in England," said Spearman, who was for many years Under Sheriff of the county of Durham and Deputy Registrar of the Chancery of the Palatinate, "and " it really becomes or is in the nature of an execution, and this not warranted by any known " law, and only supported by custom and usage here, and often complained of by many judges " of the land in times past, and never now countenanced by any of the courts or lawyers in " Westminster Hall. By this process any man may be stript of his goods, he being absent and " out of the country. It cannot therefore be held reasonable that the inhabitants of this county, " or strangers travelling through it, alone of all the King's subjects, labour under the grievance of " such process."

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as Pleas of the Crown, by Justices appointed by commissions under the Bishop's Great Seal, not by the usual commission under the Great Seal of England, and all indictments within the Palatinate ran "*contra pacem domini Episcopi*," and not "*contra pacem domini Regis*." The King's Writs from his Courts at Westminster were adjudged not to run within this Palatinate, and the indorsement thereon, setting out the privilege of the County Palatine, was always allowed in the Courts above; for as the Counts Palatine had the sole administration of justice through their own Judges, appointed by themselves, and not by the Crown, it would have been incongruous for the King to send his Writ to direct the Judge of another Court in what manner to administer justice between the suitors.

All fines and recoveries suffered at Westminster for assurances of land within the County Palatine have been adjudged to be void, and all Judgments entered up in the Courts of Queen's Bench or Common Pleas at Westminster have been determined not to affect lands lying within this county, being "*coram non judice*." It has, moreover, been gravely doubted whether the "*Habeas Corpus Act*" and many other beneficial Statutes extended to this County Palatine.

No foreign Attorney could practise or sue out any Writs there, but he was obliged to employ a sworn Attorney of this Court, and no foreign plea was admitted; and the Attorneys of the Court were obliged to take an oath not to carry any suits out of its jurisdiction into the Courts above, if the cause of suit or action arose within the county, or the parties or witnesses lived within it. Messengers, and not attachments, were generally sent at fifty times the cost of the latter for contempts in the Palatinate Chancery, because Sheriffs of the County did not account to the Exchequer at Westminster. The usual process before Judgment in the Durham Court of Pleas for attaching goods was a "*Pone*" directed to the Sheriff, by which his officers seized the goods of any person within its jurisdiction. If the demand of the Writ were laid for 10*l.* or upwards, special bail, resident within the county, was required; but if no bail were entered for the defendant, and if he did not surrender his person into prison at the return of the process (which was generally so managed by the creditor's attorney, as to give the defendant no time for bail), in discharge of his goods, (which were kept by the Sheriff's officers at the prisoner's expense,) until the Sheriff returned the process and the Schedule, and the value of the goods seized, then the Bishop's officers certified them to be forfeited for such default, and allowed them to be assigned and sold for the benefit of the plaintiff. Whereupon process called "an Extract" was awarded to the Sheriff, who sold the goods and paid the value received to the plaintiff. The proceedings under this Writ were unusually severe, and some Sheriffs never would proceed to sell the goods or suffer the plaintiffs to have any benefit thereof, until they had entered into a bond in penalty of double the value of the goods to indemnify the Sheriff and his officers for such seizure or sale, and from all actions or suits to be occasioned thereby.

The Records of this Court are in the custody of the Prothonotary of the Court of Pleas at Durham, sometimes called Clerk of the Justices Itinerant in the County Palatine of Durham. His duties were not dissimilar to those which the officers of the Court of Common Pleas performed before their office was abolished by Statute 1 Victoria, c. 30., and are now discharged by the Masters of that Court. His deputy superintends and directs the management of the general business of the Office, and has the custody and arrangement of the Records.

Want of time prevented me from making myself particularly acquainted with the documents in this Department, which is much to be regretted, as I am led to believe from what I saw that it contains very ancient and valuable Records. I can therefore only state generally what the Office contains, which is as follows:—

Judgment Rolls, including the Records of Common Recoveries; Files of original Writs and other Proceedings necessary in suffering Common Recoveries; Files of Precipes and Concords, with Writs of Covenant and of Dedimus potestatem annexed, used for levying Fines; Files of Feet of Fines levied, with Proclamation thereon indorsed; Files of Writs of Error and Certiorari from the Court of King's Bench; original Writs issued out of the Chancery of Durham, and returnable in the Court of Pleas there, with all Mesne Process issued out of the latter, and returned by the Sheriff; Files for Warrants to prosecute and defend; Bail Pieces, common and special, with Affidavits of Justification annexed; Affidavits and Petitions, Declarations, Pleas, and Replications in Causes depending in that Court; Declarations for Judgments by Warrant of Attorney, together with the Affidavit of the Debt annexed; Taxed Bills of Costs, Affidavits of due Execution of Articles of the Clerkship, Remembrance Books, containing Notices of the Transactions of each Court Day, &c., and Rules and Orders of Court.

There is no Inventory or Repertory of the contents of the Office. The Record Room is dry, but much too small, and has more the appearance of a general country dealer's shop than a Muniment room. The Office is open to the public from nine o'clock in the morning till one in the afternoon, and from three in the afternoon until seven in the evening.

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The fees paid to the Prothonotary (Mr. Ward), for searches and copies of Records, are as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
For every Search for Fines or Recoveries, for each year - -	0	3	4
For every Extract - - - - - - - - -	0	3	4
For every Certificate thereto - - - - - - -	0	3	4
For every Search for Judgment and other Proceedings, each year	0	1	4
For Copy of every Affidavit not exceeding Three Sheets -	0	1	0
For every Sheet over Three Sheets - - - - - -	0	0	4
For every Copy of Declaration, Pleas, &c., First Sheet - -	0	0	6
For every other Sheet - - - - - - - - -	0	0	4
For attending at a Trial for the Production of Records, *per diem*	1	1	0

The next Office to which I directed my attention was that of the Clerk of the Peace, who was formerly appointed by the Bishop's Letters Patent, but since the Statute 6 William IV. c. 19., has been nominated to the office by the Custos Rotulorum. His duties, which are performed by deputy, are multifarious, but briefly, they may be said to consist of preparing Indictments, and attending to every thing required on the part of the Crown in all prosecutions at Quarter Sessions, as well as on the Trial of Appeals before the same Tribunal, entering the Proceedings thereof as of Record, subsequently taxing the several Costs, in fact, perfecting every business which is brought under the consideration of the Court. To attend to all matters belonging to the county which are transacted by the Justices as to the general County and Police Rates, and any other similar expenditure, as well as the appointments by the Lord Lieutenant of the County from time to time. He has also the custody of all Records relating to his Office, as well as those documents which are deposited there by divers Acts of Parliament for the inspection of the public. His Office is open daily to the public from nine to one o'clock, and from three to six o'clock. The fees demanded are 1*s.* for each search, and 1*s.* 4*d.* per folio for copies. Mr. G. B. Wharton is the present Clerk of the Peace, and his Deputy is Mr. John Tiplady, who was appointed 17th March 1852.

The Records in his custody are kept in the Exchequer Building, and are in a lamentable state of disorder. Papers, books, and parchments are littered about the floor, more than knee deep, some strewed upon tables, chairs, and window seats, others huddled together on shelves and in cupboards. It will require some courage to attempt an arrangement of these Records, which consist of Commissions of the Peace; Sessions Order and Minute Books; Process Books; Estreat Rolls; Registers of Estates of Roman Catholics, and Letters of Attorney to sign registries of the same; Awards on the Divisions of Commons; Accounts of County Treasurers; Bridge Contracts and Securities; Plans of Canals, Turnpike Roads, and Railways; Indictments and other Proceedings and Presentments concerning Highways, Bridges, and Public Buildings; Articles of Friendly Societies; Insolvent Debtors Books and Papers; Alehouse Licences; Recognizance Books; List of Alehouse Keepers; Registries of Gamekeepers Deputations; Memorials of Grants of Annuities, and Inrolments thereof; Duplicates of Land Tax Schedules; Qualifications of Justices of the Peace, Deputy Lieutenants, and Officers of the Militia; Poll Books in contested Elections; Inrolment of Copyhold Enfranchisement Deeds; Returns of Jurors; Papers relating to Corn Returns and Lunatic Asylums; Indictments, Convictions, Informations, Removal Warrants, and other Papers relating to the usual Business of the Quarter Sessions.

There is no general Repertory of the Records and papers here, and no officers or clerks are expressly employed for the custody and arrangement of the Records. The office where the business is transacted, which is some distance from the Exchequer Building, is open daily at the usual hours, in Durham, and certain fees are charged for searches and copies.

The next Record Repository I shall describe is that of the Clerk of the Crown for the Palatinate of Durham. The office is filled by Mr. John Wetherell Hays, and he kindly rendered me every assistance in his power. He performs similar duties to those discharged by the like officer in other counties. The Records in his custody are deposited in a cavern or excavation made in one of the walls of the Exchequer Building, without the slightest ventilation, and in which not a ray of daylight can possibly penetrate. The air is so very foul and damp that the candle which is lighted to enter this mural cave will scarcely burn, and the place is so narrow that it is difficult for a man to pass between the wall and the press on which the Records are placed. These Documents seemingly are not of the highest value, and are as well arranged as the confined space allows of. They consist of Indictments, Presentments, and other Proceedings relating to Prosecutions for Criminal Offences in the County of Durham; Names of Justices in Commission of the Peace; Informations on Recognizances; Traverses of Indictments brought to Issue and tried; Writs and Returns of Habeas Corpus; Panels of Grand and Petty Juries; Calendars of Prisoners; Six Manuscript Books, containing Orders of Court from 1753 to the present Time.

Want of time prevented me from taking a more exact account of these Documents.

There are no Calendars or Repertories in this Department, and the Records for severa

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years are missing. The office is open daily from 9 to 1 o'clock in the morning, and from 3 to 7 in the evening. 3*s.* 4*d.* is charged for a search; 6*s.* 6*d.* for a certificate; 8*d.* per folio for copies.

I have now to speak of the office of County Clerk, which was dissolved by Statute 6 William IV. c. 19.

The Records belonging to that functionary were, by the Record Act, placed under the charge of the Master of the Rolls.

The County Clerk, like all the other Palatinate Officers, was appointed for life by the Bishop's Letters Patent, and received all the profits and perquisites of the County Court. He was held to be independent of the Sheriff, although the Court was holden before that Officer,* which seems to have been contrary to ancient custom in other parts of the Realm,† where the County Clerk and Gaoler were inseparably attached to the Sheriff's Office.‡ The County Court had jurisdiction in all cases mooted therein, to award a Capias upon a Justicies to the Sheriff. Various attempts, however, were made by interested parties to do away with that ancient custom. The first occurred in the year 1665, but the inhabitants of the Palatinate rose up against it, and the Grand Jury at the Public Assizes made a representation in writing (signed by the Mayor, Aldermen, and most of the Gentry, as well as the Freeholders and Attorneys within the Palatinate), in the name of the whole County, to the Judges and Justices then assembled, setting forth the custom, and the great advantage the Writ in question was to them, and the injury they would sustain from being deprived of such an ancient right. The representation having been read in Court, the custom was allowed. At the Assizes held in Durham in the following year, another attempt to break down the custom was made in the case of a prisoner in gaol upon a Capias, which issued out of the County Court. A Habeas corpus was moved for to bring the defendant to the bar, which was granted, and the Sheriff in his return set forth at large the custom of arresting by Capias. Counsel on both sides having been heard, the Court allowed the custom as returned by the Sheriff to be good, and the prisoner was remanded back to gaol. The opponents of the Capias were, however, not satisfied with this decision, and tried to upset the custom in another form. A Writ of false judgment was brought, and the awarding of the Capias was assigned for error. The Judge (Sir Thomas Thursden), upon hearing Counsel on both sides, took time to consider with his brethren at Westminster. He afterwards declared the judgment of the Court to be, that the custom, being within a County Palatine by prescription, might be good though against law, and the judgment was accordingly affirmed. For some reason which does not appear, the enemies of the Capias made a fourth attempt to get rid of the custom, and in the year 1668, three writs of false judgment were brought, and the awarding the Capias was again assigned for error. The subject was argued at the Assizes at Durham, before Baron Rainsford, who, not being satisfied with the custom, adjourned the question to be argued in his chambers at Newcastle. Not being then satisfied, he again adjourned the arguments in the case to be made before him at his chambers in Sergeant's Inn. Having, however, in the meantime consulted with the other Judges, he affirmed the judgment at Durham, and three especial rules were drawn up of the Affirmation (in which the custom of arresting by Capias was inserted), and entered among the Proceedings of the County Court, and from that time the custom of arresting by Capias was never questioned.

I have been particular in mentioning the subject of the Capias, as it exhibits one of the many customs peculiar to the Palatinate, and which may in a few years be blotted out from memory, as not a fragment of the procedings of this County Court now remains. The last County Clerk was Mr. Henry Donkin, appointed 28th July 1822. He held the office when it was abolished by Statute 6 William IV. c. 19., and received a pension from the Treasury, in compensation for the loss he sustained by the abolition of his office.

The University of Durham, pursuant to the Order in Council already mentioned, took possession of the room he occupied in the Exchequer Building, but I was not able to glean the slightest information relative to the Documents or Proceedings connected with his Office, which are supposed to have been kept there and to have been all destroyed. Mr. Donkin is now dead, and his relative, Mr. Waugh, who I believe was his executor, did not find among his papers any Books or Proceedings whatever connected with this Court. It will be for the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls to inquire what has become of the Documents belonging to this Court, which are placed under his charge by the Record Act 1 & 2 Vict.

Having mentioned all the Muniments and Offices in the Exchequer Building which are unquestionably public, I will now proceed to those which are considered as the private Muniments and Offices of the Bishop; but first I would notice the Auditor's Office, which has latterly been considered partly public and partly private.

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* See 1 Mod. Rep. 172. anonym. case, where the County Court is said to be holden "coram "sectatoribus."

† Hobart, 12, Sir Draper Norton *v.* Syms; 4 Coke, 32, Mitteris case; Dyer, 175, Scrogg's case. See also Coke, 4, Calvin's case; 9 Coke, 97, Reynolds' case.

‡ The Sheriff and Under Sheriff were both appointed by the Bishop's Letters Patent, sometimes for life, and often "quamdiu se bene gesserit."

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In speaking of the Court of Chancery at Durham, I suggested that it arose out of or sprung from the Exchequer of the Palatinate, in the same manner as the High Court of Chancery branched out from the Royal Exchequer at Westminster. Perhaps, however, it would be more correct to say, that at one time in the Exchequer here everything was performed of a fiscal nature, as well as those matters which were expedited on the common law side of the High Court of Chancery.

The chief officer of the Exchequer (after the Equity jurisdiction was established by Cardinal Wolsey) seems to have been the Auditor, a sworn officer appointed for life by Letters Patent under the Palatinate Seal. His principal duties were to take charge of all the Muniments relating to the Bishop's revenue, to enter the rentals of Copyholders rents (made by a Tenant chosen annually for that purpose) in a book, called the "Transumpt Book," to file up the rentals in his office, and pay over all money he received (through the hands of an officer called the Collector) to the Receiver-General. The Auditor also takes charge of the Rent Rolls made out yearly by the Coroner (another officer appointed for life by the Bishop's Letters Patent), who collects the Free-rents, and by ancient usage, some few Copyhold rents. At the end of the year the Auditor draws up three books of arrears, one for the Bishop, one for himself, and a third for the office, and when arrears are received, they are scratched out, by a line drawn under them, or crossed in the margin of the office book of arrears.*

The present Auditor is Mr. Robert Archibald Douglas Gresley, of Bishops Auckland, and the Deputy Auditor, Mr. Henry Greenwell, of Durham; the office is open from 10 o'clock to 1, and from 2 o'clock to 5. The Documents are kept in the Exchequer Building, in oaken presses arranged round the room, and consists principally of Surveys; Rolls of Freeholders; Sheriffs Rolls; Recognizance Books; Coroners Inquests; Lists of Jurors; Assize Papers; Chancery Proceedings; Receiver-General's Rolls; Supervisor's Rolls and Books; Minister's Accounts and Rolls; Clerk of the Works' Rolls and Books; High Foresters Rolls; Mine Keepers Rolls; Plans and Descriptions of the Bishop's houses and castles; a large collection of miscellaneous papers concerning the Bishop's rights as Count Palatine, such as a right to wreck of the sea, to royal fish, to the office of Lord Admiral, &c.; Post Dues; Market Dues; Files of Acquittances; Letters, &c. from the Bishops and their Receivers; Leases; Appointments of Officers, &c.; Rolls and Papers connected with Norhamshire and Islandshire, Howdenshire, Northallertonshire, and Crakeshire, and an immense collection of miscellaneous papers of every description connected with the Bishop's houses, castles, and rights in those districts.

The Repository is not fire-proof, and does not appear to be damp, though many of the Rolls have suffered from damp at some former period. There is no Inventory (worthy of the name) of the general contents of the office. That which was produced to me as a Schedule of the Books, Papers, &c. in the Auditor's Office in 1739, certainly does not refer to one-hundredth part of the Documents there, and many of those which it professes to notice are inaccurately described. It has been thought advisable to append a Copy of the Schedule to this Report by way of Appendix,† brief as it is, as it shows what was in existence a century and a quarter ago, and makes us deeply regret the loss that has happened since that period. One entry in the Schedule is particularly worthy of notice, viz., "Bolden Book, 600 years old," said to have been kept "in the box, "letter K." This is the celebrated Survey of the possessions of the See of Durham, made by order of Bishop Pudsey, in the year 1183, and which the Commissioners of Public Records thought important enough to print from a transcript made about the year 1500. The MS. described as "600 years old," is not now in the Auditor's custody, at least I had not the good fortune to see it, though I must confess that the limited time I had to devote to the Records in this and the other offices prevented me from seeing one hundredth part of what they contained. Bolden Book may, however, yet turn up in some of the dark and almost impenetrable recesses of the room, on the removal of the Muniments in that department into the new Record Repository of the Palatinate, unless it was stolen with the Auditor's Roll, when the office was converted into a gaol, a fact to which I have alluded in this Report.

I have also made a Schedule of what I saw in the Auditor's Office, which will appear in the Appendix,‡ but I must admit that to have compiled a perfect Inventory of the contents of this Department would have occupied me at least three months. Meagre as my Schedule is, yet when taken in conjunction with that of 1739, and the notices of Records in this office in Richardson's Catalogue of 1618, it will give some notion of what were and what now are the general contents of the Auditor's Office.

I must now refer to the Halmote Court Office, which is held to be the Bishop's private office. Its Records and Proceedings are preserved in the Exchequer Building, and are also considered as his private property.

The Halmote Courts seem to have had a twofold jurisdiction; they were holden (pursuant to the Bishop's Commission under the Great Seal of the Palatinate): I. To

* It should be here stated that the copyholds, being of inheritance, are not expressed in the Court Rolls, and that there is no way of ascertaining the rents of the copyholders but by the rentals in the Auditor's office. The surrenders and admissions are carefully preserved in the office of the Clerk of the Halmote Courts.

† *See* Appendix No. 3.

‡ *See* Appendix No. 2.

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receive all manner of surrenders of copyhold lands, otherwise called "Fine lands," lying as well within the jurisdiction of the said courts as elsewhere in the said County Palatinate, and to admit such persons as have right, according to custom, to assess and set all manner of fines and amercements as they arise within the said Courts. II. To hear and determine all manner of suits, complaints, debates, controversies, &c. between party and party, which chance to arise within the said County Palatinate of Durham, and to punish according to discretion such offenders as contemptuously disobey the decrees and orders of the Court. In cases of difficulty or law to call in the assistance of the Dean and Chapter of Durham. Copies of the proceedings of this Court were always, until the year 1617, returned engrossed on parchment Leiger books into the Latin Chancery, or Cursitor's Office of the County Palatinate, and the series, from the year 1345 to the year 1617, are still in existence there. During the reign of William III. there were bitter complaints against the officers of this Court for keeping "the Records "and Court Rolls belonging to it at their own houses, and not returning them engrossed "in parchment Leiger and Record books or rolls into the Latin Chancery Office of the "said County Palatinate, the ancient and safe repository thereof, and where they have "(time immemorial) been preserved from decay and embezzlement, and from hazard "from fire, being by many decrees and orders of the Court of Chancery required to be "there placed, and were constantly lodged there; and the Cursitor had the custody "and benefit of searches and copies thereof, until the covetousness of the said Halmote "Clerk (Mr. Hutchinson), for his sole benefit and lucre, refused to return them, and "kept them in his dwelling house contrary to the said rules and practice, and to the "great hazard and endangering the loss of the Records and evidences of the tenants "title to their estates."

Another of the Bishop's private offices is that of the Receiver General. His office or Muniment Room is also in the Exchequer Building. It is said by Mr. Foster, the present Deputy Receiver General, that "this office contains only rentals and private documents "connected with the Receivership, to which the public have no access." But I had neither time nor opportunity to inform myself of the correctness of Mr. Foster's opinion by a personal inspection of the Records in his charge; I am, however, of opinion that on examination it will turn out that many of them are Palatinate Documents.

Having in the preceding pages called attention to the disorder which prevails among the Records in nearly all the offices in the Exchequer Building, I would now urge the necessity of having all the documents in each repository, or at any rate those belonging to the Crown, pursuant to the Statute 6 Will. IV. c. 19., sorted into classes and catalogued, before they are removed into the building which is being erected for them, for it would be most inexpedient to transfer them thither in their present confused state, or to place them there without putting them under the charge of a competent officer, with one or two clerks under him to assist in calendaring and making copies when required.

In the portion of my Report relative to the Muniments in the Cursitor's Office, I have endeavoured to account for the confusion which exists there, but I would again call attention to one great evil which prevails as well there as in the other offices. I allude to the impropriety of allowing strangers such unlimited and indiscriminate access to the documents, as it may be followed by very serious results, there being a possibility of dishonest searchers concealing or abstracting documents which contain evidence against their cases. That many Records belonging to the Palatinate have been stolen or destroyed is beyond surmise, for not a single class of documents is extant anterior to the pontificate of Anthony Beck, though here and there a stray roll or instrument turns up, which shows that many others of a like nature once existed, and makes us deeply regret that others of the same series have perished. Some notion may be formed of the loss and destruction of the Palatinate Documents during the 11th, 12th, and 13th centuries (to say nothing of preceding periods), by examining those which are extant for the 14th, 15th, and 16th centuries, bearing in mind at the same time the great devastations which have occurred among those of the latter period. When the destruction or depredation took place is not known, though great devastation must have happened in or before the pontificate of Cuthbert Tunstall, as that prelate more than once alludes to the loss of many of the Muniments of his See. In one of his letters he says, "the Chancery of Durham, wher "al the Records lay, was spoyled, as wel of Records as of al oder stuff that was there;" and in a Roll of payments made in the seventh year of his episcopate, there is an entry of a payment made "on the morn after St. Luke's, to Marmaduke Clargenet 5*s.* and "others of his companye, and Robert Lewyn 5*s.*, for helping to save the Records in the "Chancery in the time of spoyling the same, 10*s.*" In another letter he mentions the recovery of such charters and writings belonging to the church of Durham "as by "reason of my Lord Cardinal were com onto the King's hand which I have received."*

In the manuscript already referred to under the Cursitor's Records, it is further stated, "that the Records there beginning to increase very much, & ye Chancery Office where y^e "same were reposited being overstocked, or not sufficient to contain more, it was

* If we look at the number of Muniments which existed in the year 1618, when Richardson made his catalogue, and compare it with that of those now extant for the period embraced in his catalogue, we shall find an enormous deficiency.

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"thought convenient to divide y^m amongst ye severall officers, in order to ye better "regulation of y^m.

"Upon ye division of these Records & ye removeals of y^m to many new places & to "some places which were not at all proper for the custody of y^m, it was found y^t instead "of regulating & making y^m of more use and service to ye publick, they were brought "into more disorder & confusion, & y^t ye Kalendar, Books, Repertories, or Indenes, "which were formerly made to some part of y^m, with References to ye places where they "were formerly reposited, were rendered of little use by such removalls; and y^t "ye Plea Rolls, Fines, and Recoverys wch were removed to ye Court of Pleas Office were "in very great disorder and had not any Repertorys at all to y^m."

The executors of Bishop Cosins are also said to have destroyed all the early Muniments belonging to this See, as appears by the following extract. "As to the original Grants "and Evidences of the See, the most valuable of them were for some time deposited in "a great iron chest, which used to be kept in the gatehouse belonging to the Castle at "Durham, which chest either is or was there lately, but the Evidences which were in it, "being all removed by Bishop Cousins happened to come to the hands of his executors, "and were removed, with the Bishop's other writings, to Helperby in Yorkshire, and "they coming afterwards to the hands of Mr. Basset (who marryed the Lady Gerrard, "and became intitled to the greatest part of the Bishop's estate), he thought fitt for "preventing disputes which might arise about his estate, to direct that all the Bishop's "writeings should be there burnt, which was accordingly done some few years ago by "Mr. Hen. Jackson, his then steward. And upon this occasion there were eight or nine "large chests of writeings all burnt."* The work of demolition does not appear to have ended with Bishop Cosins' executors, for in the reign of William III. a serious complaint was made against the Ministers of the Palatinate "for their neglect of the Repository "or Office of the Keeper of the Rolls, where the Records of the County were anciently "kept, which was so moist, moldered, and decayed, that most of the ancient Records "are either lost, eat by rats, or destroyed." Again it appears by a Schedule of Books and Papers, &c. in the Auditor's Office in 1739, "that many of the Auditor's Rolls were "stole when the office was made a gaol." During the present century the loss of the Palatinate Documents is not a whit less than in preceding periods. Within living memory "valuable Records have been used to stop up holes, to keep rats and mice out of the "Muniment Rooms, to light fires, and even to make bonfires on public rejoicings;" and during the last twenty years, to use the words of my informant, "barrows-full were seen "kicking about on the palace green, some of which were converted into kites by the "boys of the town, and some used by the citizens of Durham for their more domestic "purposes." I have already stated that the whole of the Proceedings belonging to the County Court, which an Act of Parliament placed in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, have been destroyed, and not a fragment remains to tell of their nature and value.† With such facts before me, it would be a work of supererogation to dwell on the necessity of having the Muniments of the Palatinate properly catalogued and arranged, so that a searcher may know at once whether a Document be in existence or not, and also stamped with some symbol of identification to prevent depredation for the future, for if they be worth preserving, they are certainly worthy of being arranged and catalogued.

I have, &c.

Sir Francis Palgrave, &c. &c.

(Signed) T. Duffus Hardy.

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Catalogue of the Records in the Cursitor's Office, Durham, under the Charge of Joseph Davison, Esq.

Books.

MS. Register of Richard de Kellawe, Bishop of Durham, from A.D. 1311 to A.D. 1316, containing matters relative to the spiritual affairs of his Diocese, as well as the temporal affairs of his Palatinate; hence it was probably deposited among the archives of the Palatinate, rather than among those of the See.

From fol. 1 to fol. 171^b, it comprises matters touching his spiritual jurisdiction, and a few of a temporal nature, such as the appointments of Palatinate officers, inquisitions post

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* "The Episcopal Registers, we regret to state, are almost all of them wanting, and thus another "and most important source of information with respect to the history of the See is inaccessible."

† It may perhaps be argued, that a County Court not being a Court of Record, none of its acts and judicial proceedings could be enrolled for a perpetual memorial or testimony, and therefore no records could have been destroyed; but in answer to this it may be averred that though there might not have been any rolls or records of the Court, technically so called, yet there must have been some proceedings or memorials of the Court when it was dissolved.

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mortem, names of tenants of knights fees of the Bishop of Durham in the county of Lincoln. From fol. 172 to fol. 219b, are entered royal writs to the Bishop of Durham, with the returns sent thereto.

From fol. 220 to 265, charters granted by the Bishop of Durham.

From fol. 266 to 284, public documents relating to the Palatinate.

From fol. 284 to 288, Pope Nicholas's taxation for the Diocese of Durham.

From fol. 289 to 300, Nomina Ordinatorum, &c.

From fol. 309 to the end, fol. 366, appears to be a portion of the register of Richard de Bury. It commences "Incipit Registrum de tempore Magistri de Whytcherche, vicar. generalis Domini Dunelmens," and ends with a portion of the register of William Legat.

The MS. is in very fair condition, and capital indexes of names of persons and places have been compiled and inserted at the end by the Rev. James Raine.

Manuscript of 314 leaves indorsed on the cover, "Liber inquisicõn capt temporibz "Lodovici Beumont, Rici de Bury, Thom Hatfield, Johis Fordham, Walteri Skirlawe, "Thom Langley, Roberti Nevill," (No. 1.) It is a register, or more correctly speaking, a book of abstracts of all inquisitions post mortem returned into the Chancery of the Palatinate, in which are the names of the deceased, the lands they died seised of, the services by which the lands were holden, the value of the lands, and the names and ages of the heirs.

From fol. 1 to fol. 190, the entries are written on paper (the water-mark a bull), but from fol. 191 to fol. 314 on parchment. The first four leaves much worn away at the edges. The leaves, not the pages, numbered.

Manuscript written throughout on parchment, and indorsed, "Inquisicões tempore "Thome Ruthall Epi," (No. 2.) Its contents similar to those contained in the above, with the addition of proofs of age and assignments of dower. At fol. 61 is entered an inquisition on the death of Ralph Earl of Westmoreland, taken at Durham, 28th June, 3 Edward VI. At the end is an index of the names of persons on whose death the inquisitions were taken.

Manuscript of 93 folios, written throughout on parchment, indorsed, "Inquisicõn "tempore Laurencii [Bothe] et Willielmi [James] Epor Dunelm," (No. 3.) The contents similar to the other two books described above. The entries, however, do not run in perfect chronological order, some belonging to the 1st and 9th years of the Pontificate of Laurence Bothe being entered at folios 43, 44, 45, and 46, and others of the 9th year at folios 47, 48, 49, and 50. At the end is an index of the names of persons on whose death the inquisitions were taken.

Manuscript book of 363 leaves, without title or covers, being abstracts of inquisitions post mortem, arranged alphabetically, according to places, during the Pontificates of Beaumont, Bury, Hatfield, and others, down to the reign of James I. Imperfect, ending with the letter S.

Manuscript written throughout on parchment, without either title or indorsement, containing similar abstracts of inquisitions, from the 3d to the 9th year of the reign of Queen Elizabeth, during the vacancy of the See after the deprivation of Cuthbert Tunstall.

Manuscript of a miscellaneous character, without title or indorsement, consisting of 568 pages, exclusive of indexes at the beginning and end. Imperfect at the commencement. It contains, amongst other things, various extents of lands in the hands of Bishop James (taken by virtue of writs of Diem clausit extremum, of Mandamus, of Scire facias, of Extendi facias, and other writs), for intrusions in and alienation without licence of lands and tenements held of the Bishop of Durham, in the reign of James I.

Proceedings in the Chancery of Durham during the reigns of James I. and Charles I.

An extent or annual value of all and singular the messuages, lands, and tenements in the county of Durham, held of Bishop Thomas Morton in chief, and alienated without licence of the same Bishop, or any of his predecessors, and in which heirs or occupiers during the minority of heirs have intruded, without livery, according to the course of the Chancery of Durham, &c.

Traverses of inquisitions, extents and recognizances for the performance of covenants.

An entry of all grants and patents of liveries, alienations with licences, pardons of alienations, and all other grants made by the Clerk of the Chancery of Durham, and sealed with the Great Seal of the County Palatine, since the 20th May 1617, when the See became void by the death of William James, Bishop of Durham, and of all compositions made for the same and received or secured for the King's Majesty's use by John Richardson and other deputies of Sir Richard Hutton, Knt., Keeper of the Great Seal of the County Palatine of Durham, and Chancellor of the same County, 16th June 1617, a° 15 Jac. I.

A note of all such sums of money as John Richardson received for fines, postfines, and recoveries upon compositions made, of sums levied and recoveries suffered, of lands passed at the assizes of Durham on the 11th August 1617, a° 15 Jac. I.

Docquets for licences and pardons of alienations, grants of wardship, and liveries made since 26th March 1619.

Extract of all fines and amercements levied at the General Sessions of the Peace, held at Durham, 9th July 1617, 1618, and recognizances forfeited in the Chancery of Durham,

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and writs of Scire facias thereupon, issued out of the Chancery there from 28th April 1666.

Compositions made for liveries, licences of alienations, pardons of alienations made without licence, together with compositions made for wardships, 17th Aug. 1619. Fiats for writs of Mandamus, Diem clausit extremum, Supersedeas, &c. &c., from 1623 to 1641, 17 Car. I.

MS. written on paper, indorsed, "Recognicões tempore Ricardi Fox Episcopi, et sede "vacante tempore Henrici septimi, et tempore Christoferi Bainbrigge Episcopi." In very bad condition.

MS. of 16 leaves, no covers nor title, but containing Recognizances tempore Cardinal Wolsey's Episcopacy of Durham.

MS. on paper, in very bad condition. No title, but containing memoranda of leases granted by Bishops Richard Fox and Christopher Bainbrigge.

MS. on paper of 18 leaves, eight of which are blank; no covers, and in bad condition; no title; containing notes of the days assigned to divers freeholders to appear in the Chancery of Durham, and do homage to Richard [Fox] Bishop of Durham, in the 3d year of his Pontificate there, and the 12th year of the reign of Henry the Seventh.

It appears by a notice in the book that the Bishop was in the King's army at Berwick on Monday before the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul in the year above mentioned.

Large paper books in which are entered all writs which have been issued out of the Cursitor's Office from Court day to Court day, from the year 1780 to present time.

Halmote Courts.

These Courts were formerly holden, pursuant to the Bishop's Commission under the Great Seal of the Palatinate, before the Escheator of the Palatinate and other persons expressly thereunto appointed, to receive surrenders of copyhold lands, otherwise called fine lands, lying as well within the jurisdiction of the said Courts as in the County Palatine, and to admit such persons as had right thereto according to the custom; to assess and settle all such fines and amercements as arose within the said Courts, to hear and determine all suits, complaints, debates, contentions, &c., between party and party, which arose within the said County or elsewhere within the County Palatine of Durham, and to punish according to the discretion of the persons named in the Commission all such offenders as contemptuously disobeyed the decrees and orders of these Courts. In cases of difficulty or ignorance of law, the Commissioners were to call in the assistance of the Dean of the Cathedral of Durham.

Halmote Books on Parchment.

Thomas Hatfeld (8 May 1345, ob. 8 May 1381). . . July, 4 Pont., 1345, to June, 17 Pont., 1381. In tolerable condition. 307 leaves. Imperfect at beginning.

Walter Skirlaw (3 April 1388, ob. 24 Mar. 1406). Wednesday after F. of St. Luke, 1 Pont., 1388, to Wednesday after F. of St. Luke, 16 Pont., 1406. In tolerable condition. 499 leaves. Imperfect at beginning and at end. The whole of the proceedings of the 2d year wanting.

" " . . . 18 Pont., 1406, to Thursday, 3d week in Lent, 18 Pont., 1406; also Tuesday, the Feast of St. Mary, 7 Hen. 4. (*sede vacante*) to Saturday, the Feast of St. Peter ad Vincula, 7 Hen. 4., *sede vacante;* also

Thomas Longley (17 May 1406, ob. 28 Nov. 1437). Wednesday, the Feast of St. Martin, 1 Pont., to 5 Aug., 18 Pont. In tolerable condition. 1345 pages. Only one cover.

Robert Nevill (27 Jan. 1438, ob. 8 July 1457). . . .Dec., 1 Pont., to 13 Nov., 19 Pont. In tolerable condition. 898 pages. Imperfect. No covers.

Sede vacante. . . .Oct. 36., Hen. 6, to 25 Oct., 36 Hen. 6.; also

Lawrence Bothe (25 Sept. 1457). 17 April, 1 Pont., to 10 May, 19 Pont. In tolerable condition. 628 pages. Imperfect at beginning.

William Dudley (26 Sept. 1476, ob. 24 Nov. 1483). 12 Oct., 1 Pont., to 24 Oct., 8 Pont. In tolerable condition. 119 leaves.

Sede vacante. 19 Feb., 1 Ric., 3., to 20 Feb., 1 Ric. 3.; also

John Shirwode (Jan. 1485, ob. Jan. 1493). 5 July, 1 Pont., to 25 Oct., 10 Pont. In tolerable condition. 179 leaves.

Sede vacante. 11 March, 8 Hen. 7., to 30 Oct., 10 Hen. 7.; also

Richard Fox (7 Dec. 1494). 9 Feb., 1 Pont., to 15 Oct., 7 Pont. In tolerable condition. 392 pages.

Sede vacante. 14 Feb., 17 Hen. 7., to 8 July, 17 Hen. 7.; also

William Sever (Oct. 1502). 28 Nov., 1 Pont., to 25 April, 3 Pont.; also

Sede vacante. 30 June, 20 Hen. 7., to 7 May, 22 Hen. 7. In tolerable condition. 266 pages.

Sede vacante. 18 Oct., 23 Hen. 7., to 29 Oct., 23 Hen 7.; also
Christopher Baynbridge (Nov. 1507). 3 April, 1 Pont., to 21 Oct., 1 Pont.; also
Sede vacante. 26 Feb., 24 Hen. 7., to 10 March, 24 Hen. 7.; also
Thomas Ruthall (22 April 1509). 12 Aug., 1 Pont., to 19 Nov., 14 Pont. In tolerable condition. 548 pages. Imperfect.
Thomas Wolsey (Feb. 1523). 10 June, 1 Pont., to 28 May, 7 Pont.; also
Sede vacante. 30 Sept., 21 Hen. 8., to 19 Oct., 21 Hen. 8. In tolerable condition. 172 pages.
Cuthbert Tunstall (21 Feb. 1530). 2 May, 1 Pont., to 22 June, 23 Pont.; also
Sede vacante. 16 Jan., 6 Edw. 6., to 16 June, 7 Edw. 6.; also
Cuthbert Tunstall. 17 Oct., 24 Pont., to 17 Oct., 29 Pont.; also
Sede vacante. 18 April, 1 Eliz., to 3 Nov., 1 Eliz. In tolerable condition. 1032 pages.
Sede vacante. 30 April, 1 Eliz., to 1 May, 19 Eliz.; also
Richard Barnes. 20 Aug., 19 Eliz., 1 Pont., to 12 Oct., 29 Eliz. In tolerable condition. 1064 pages.
Sede vacante. . . . April, 30 Eliz., to 24 June, 32 Eliz.; also
Matthew Hutton. 30 March, 32 Eliz., to 25 Oct., 36 Eliz.; also
Toby Matthew. 3 June, 37 Eliz., to 24 Oct., 41 Eliz. In tolerable condition. 372 leaves.
Toby Matthew. 8 April, 42 Eliz. and 6 Pont., to 15 May, 4 Jac. 1.; also
William James. 13 Oct., 4 Jac. 1., to 30 Sept., 9 Jac. 1. In tolerable condition. 350 leaves. Imperfect at end.
William James. 11 May, 10 Jac. 1., to 3 May, 14 Jac. 1. In tolerable condition. 306 pages.
William James. 7 Oct., 14 Jac. 1., to 30 Oct., 14 Jac. 1.; also
Sede vacante. 4 June, 15 Jac. 1., to 23 Oct., 15 Jac. 1.; also
Richard Neil. 22 April, 16 Jac. 1., to 3 June, 17 Jac. 1. In tolerable condition. 82 leaves.

Halmote Books on Paper, seemingly the original or rough Copy.

Thomas Ruthall. . . . October, 11 Pont., to . . . March, 11 Pont. Imperfect. No covers.
Thomas Ruthall. . . . March, 13 Pont., to . . . July, 14 Pont. Imperfect. No covers.
Thomas Wolsey. 17 Oct., 2 Pont., to 29 Oct., 2 Pont. Imperfect. No covers.
Thomas Wolsey. . . April, 4 Pont., to 28 Oct., 6 Pont. Imperfect. No covers
Cuthbert Tunstall. . . May, 2 Pont., to . . Oct., 3 Pont. Imperfect. One cover.
Cuthbert Tunstall. . . May, 4 Pont., to . . Oct., 5 Pont. Imperfect. One cover.
Cuthbert Tunstall. . . April, 5 Pont., to . . May, 6 Pont. No covers.
Cuthbert Tunstall. 9 Oct., 7 Pont., to 16 May, 7 Pont. Imperfect. No covere.
Cuthbert Tunstall. . . March, 8 Pont., to . . March, 8 Pont. Imperfect. No covers.
Cuthbert Tunstall. 26 April, 11 Pont., to 14 May, 11 Pont. Imperfect. No covers.
A portion of the book dated in the 10th of Cuthbert's Pontificate, but seemingly in error.
Cuthbert Tunstall. 22 May, 13 Pont., to 10 June, 13 Pont. Imperfect. No covers.
Cuthbert Tunstall. 12 Dec., 13 Pont., to 30 Jan., 13 Pont. Imperfect. No covers.
Cuthbert Tunstall. . . April, 16 Pont., to 30 Nov., 16 Pont. Imperfect. No covers.
Cuthbert Tunstall. . . July, 18 Pont., to . . Dec., 18 Pont. Imperfect. Very bad condition. No covers.
Cuthbert Tunstall. 1 May, 19 Pont., to 22 June, 23 Pont.; also
Sede vacante. 19 April, 7 Edw. 6., to 26 June, 7 Edw. 6. Bad condition. One cover.
Cuthbert Tunstall. 7 May, 20 Pont., to 11 July, 20 Pont. No covers.
Sede vacante. 16 Jan., 6 Edw. 6., to 28 Jan., 7 Edw. 6.; also
Cuthbert Tunstall. 27 Oct., 24 Pont., to 10 Oct. 2. 5 Pont. Covers. The portion belonging to the Sede Vacante seems to have been bound up out of place.
Cuthbert Tunstall. 24 Sept., 26 Pont., to 13 Nov., 26 Pont. Imperfect. No covers.
Cuthbert Tunstall. 15 Sept., 27 Pont., to 14 Oct., 27 Pont. Old parchment covers.
Cuthbert Tunstall. . . May, 28 Pont., to 17 June, 29 Pont. Imperfect. Parchment covers.
Cuthbert Tunstall. 26 Sept., 29 Pont., to 17 Oct., 29 Pont. Imperfect. No covers.
Cuthbert Tunstall. 17 April, to 10 May, 30 Pont. No covers.
Cuthbert Tunstall. 26 Sept., 30 Pont., to 3 Nov., 1 Eliz., 1559. Imperfect. No covers. Bishop Cuthbert's last Court was holden 28 Sept., in the 28th year of his Pontificate, and Queen Elizabeth's first Court on the 24th Oct. in the 1st year of her reign.
Sede vacante. 30 April to 28 Oct., 2d Eliz. Covers.
James Pilkington. . . Sept., 3 Eliz., to 13 May, 7 Eliz. Bad condition. Parchment covers.
James Pilkington. 23 Oct., 7 Eliz., to 15 Oct., 10 Eliz. Parchment covers.
Sede vacante. 22 April, 11 Eliz., to 22 Oct., 13 Eliz. Bad condition. Parchment covers.
Sede vacante. 28 Oct., 14 Eliz., to 28 Sept., 16 Eliz. Bad condition. Parchment covers.
James Pilkington. . . April, 17 Eliz., to 17 Nov., 18 Eliz.; also
Sede vacante. 30 April, 18 Eliz., to 1 May, 19 Eliz., 1577; also
Richard Barnes. 20 Aug., 19 Eliz., to . . Oct., 20 Eliz., 1578. Parchment covers.

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Richard Barnes. 18 April, 5 Pont., 1581, to 5 May 1582. Imperfect. Old covers.

Richard Barnes. . . Oct., 25 Eliz., to 29 Oct., 25 Eliz., 1583. Imperfect. No covers.

Tobias Matthew. . . Oct., 37 Eliz., to Oct., 3 Jac. 1. In very bad condition indeed. No covers. Professing to contain 1189 leaves, but several are wanting. From an entry at the end of one of the Courts, it is stated that the proceedings were ingrossed on parchment, and delivered to John Barnes, Clerk of the Chancery, 18 Dec. 1602. Hence it would seem that these are the rough or original Minutes of each Court.

William James. 1606 (4 Jac. 1.), 1 Pont. 1607 (5 Jac. 1.), 1 & 2 Pont. 1608 (6 Jac. 1.), 2 & 3 Pont. 1609 (7 Jac. 1.), 3 & 4 Pont. 1610 (8 Jac. 1.), 4 & 5 Pont. 1611 (9 Jac. 1.), 5 & 6 Pont. 1612 (10 Jac. 1.), 6 & 7 Pont. 1613 (11 Jac. 1.), 7 & 8 Pont. Perfect condition.

William James. 7 May 1614 (12 Jac. 1.), 8 & 9 Pont.

Two parcels, beginning in Oct., 13 Jac. 1., ending in May, 14 Jac. 1., commencing at folio 992, and ending at folio 1132. No covers.

William James. 1616, 14 Jac. 1.

The Chancery Inrolments.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Bury," containing 1 Roll, marked A, of 20 membranes, made up in the Exchequer fashion. It contains Inrolments of Recognizances of Debts in the Chancery of Durham, Private Deeds, Writs and Processes, Commissions, Liveries of Seisin, Licences to alienate, Pardons for Alienations without Licence, and for Felonies, Inquisitions, Indentures, Leases and Releases, Proclamations, Letters Patent, Homages, and Assignments of Dower.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Hatfield," containing 2 Rolls made up Exchequer fashion:—

No. 1, marked A, has 16 membranes, on which are entered Recognizances of Debts, Letters Patent, Charters, Pleas and Processes, Commissions, Pardons, Grants of Wardship and other Grants, Licences to alienate, Inrolments of Private Deeds, Inquisitions, Leases, Releases, &c., made in and between the 1st and 19th years of his Bishopric there.

No. 2, marked B., has 12 membranes, on which are entered similar documents to those on No. 1, only made in and between the 26th and 34th years of his Pontificate.

N.B. There seems to have been another Roll for the Episcopate of Hatfield, which is now lost, containing documents between the 19th and 26th years of his seat there. Indeed, in an old Calendar in the Cursitor's Office, (the only one of any description now there) this notice occurs, "Tertius Rotulus tempore Thome Hatfield Ep̃i in Filo Lr̃a C.C.," and 35 different documents are referred to.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Fordam," containing 1 Roll of 10 membranes, indorsed "Rotulus Cancellariæ de tempore Johannis Dunelm̃ Episcopi," made up Exchequer fashion. The contents of this and all subsequent Rolls are similar to those above described. It is not, therefore, deemed necessary to repeat the description.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Skirlaw," containing 1 Roll of 34 membranes, made up Chancery fashion,* and entitled Lr̃a A.A., indorsed "Rotulus Cancellar̃ de toto tempore "dñi Walteri Skirlowe nuper Ep̃i Dunelm̃, excepto anno decimo qui deficit. The 10th year, however, is not wanting at present. Similar contents to the foregoing.

A circular tin case, containing 8 Rolls, marked "Bp. Langley":—

No. 1 (A), a Roll of 11 membranes, indorsed "Rotulus Cancellarie Thome Langley "Dunelm̃ Ep̃i, de annis ejusdem Ep̃i primo, secundo, tertio." It contains, however, documents in every other year up to the 9th year of his Pontificate there.

No. 2 (B), a Roll of 20 membranes, headed "Rotulus Claus̃ domini Thome Ep̃i "Dunelm̃" It runs from the 1st to the 15th year of his Pontificate.

No. 3 (C), a Roll of 15 membranes, indorsed "Rotulus Patent̃ de tempore Thome "Langley Ep̃i Dunelm̃." It contains instruments from the 24th to the 32d years of his Pontificate.

No. 4 (DD), a Roll of 17 membranes, also containing inrolments from the 24th to the 32d year of his Pontificate.

No. 5 (E), a Roll of 20 membranes, headed "Rotulus Cancellarie Dunelm̃ de anno dñi "Thome Langley Ep̃i quintodecimo usque ad annum xxiiij."

No. 6 (BB), a Roll of three membranes, headed "Placita coram domino Thoma Ep̃o "Dunelm̃ in Cancellar̃ sua apud Dunelm̃ die Jovis prox̃ post festum Nat̃, anno Pont̃ sui "27°, et regni Regis Henrici sexti xi°." It relates to the lands of Sir Ralph de Eure in the vills of Newland, Ladlepark, Fawleys, in Wolsingham, &c., and recites Traverses of Inquisitions relative to the same places.

* All the subsequent Rolls, unless otherwise described, are made up in the Chancery fashion.

No. 7 (FF), a Roll of 1 membrane, containing Pleas before Thomas Bishop of Durham, in his Chancery at Durham, on Thursday after the Feast of the Nativity of the Virgin, in the 27th year of his Pontificate, and the 11th of the reign of King Henry VI., relative to the lands of Sir Ralph de Eure, in the vills of Newland cum Ladlepark, and Fawley's, in Wolsyngham.

No. 8 , a Roll of 5 membranes, being Court Rolls of Cotam-Maundeville, from the 16th to the 25th year of the Pontificate of Thomas Langley; made up Exchequer fashion.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Neville," containing 6 Rolls:—

No. 1, a Roll of 18 membranes, being the Patent Roll for the first six years of his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 19 membranes, being a continuation of the Patent Roll from the 6th to the 10th, but it contains some Instruments in the 12th and 13th years of his Pontificate.

No. 3 (M), a Roll of 26 membranes, containing Letters Patent from the 11th to the 18th year of his Pontificate. It contains also a grant from Bishop Hugh [Pudsey], another from Bishop Philip [of Poitiers], and a third from King John.

No. 4, a Roll of 8 membranes, containing Letters Patent from the 18th to the 20th year of his Pontificate.

No. 5 (BB), a Roll of 22 membranes, headed "Rotulus Clausus," containing Letters Close from the 1st to the 10th year of his Pontificate.

No. 6 (AA), a Roll of 22 membranes, being a continuation of the above Close Roll, from the 11th to the 20th year of his Pontificate.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Booth," containing 6 Rolls:—

No. 1 (A1, olim MM), a Roll of 20 membranes, being the Patent Roll from 1st to the 11th year of his Pontificate.

No. 2 (A2), a Roll of 16 membranes, being a continuation of the above Patent Roll, from the 11th to the 19th year of his Pontificate.

No. 3 (M3, olim BB), a Roll of 18 membranes, being the Close Roll from the 1st to the 17th year of his Pontificate.

No. 4 (G4), a Roll of 3 membranes, being a fragment of a Close Roll for the 18th and 19th years of his Pontificate.

No. 5, a Roll of 4 membranes, being a collection of original Writs, apparently drawn up for the use of the Cursitor of the Palatinate of Durham.

No. 6, a Roll of 4 membranes, being Pleas and Presentations taken at Durham before the Justices of the Peace and Justices of Oyer et Terminer, and Gaol Delivery, in the 15th and 16th years of the Pontificate of Lawrence Booth.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Dudley," containing 2 Rolls:—

No. 1 (A), a Roll of 22 membranes, being a Patent Roll from the 1st to the 8th year of his Pontificate.

No. 2 (B), a Roll containing 69 Instruments, being the Close Roll from the 1st to the 10th year of his Pontificate.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Sherwood," containing 4 Rolls:—

No. 1 (A), a Roll of 10 membranes, being the Close Roll from the 1st to the 9th year of his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 1 membrane, containing 6 Instruments, being a fragment of a Close Roll during his Pontificate.

No. 3 (B), a Roll of 10 membranes, being a fragment of a Patent Roll from the 6th to the 9th year of his Pontificate.

No. 4 (DD), a Roll of 19 membranes, being an exemplification of Interrogatories and Depositions of Witnesses on behalf of Sir John Lumley, Knight, Lord Lumley.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Fox," containing 4 Rolls:—

No. 1 (M), a Roll of 7 membranes, being the Patent Roll of the 1st and 2d years of his Pontificate.

No. 2 (A), a Roll of 28 membranes, being a continuation of the last-mentioned Patent Roll from the 2d to the 7th year of his Pontificate.

No. 3, a Roll of 11 membranes, being the Close Roll from the 1st to the 7th of his Pontificate.

No. 4, a Roll of 6 membranes, being Letters Patent and Close, Sede vacante, 8 & 9 Hen. VII.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Severs," containing 4 Rolls:—

No. 1 (A), a Roll of 24 membranes, containing King Henry the Seventh's Letters Patent in the 17th and 18th years of his reign, during the vacancy of the See, as well as the Letters Patent of this Bishop from the 1st to the 3d year of his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 7 membranes, containing Close Letters of King Henry VII. Sede vacante, as well as the Bishop's Close Letters from the 1st to the 3d year of his Pontificate.

No. 3, a Roll of 2 membranes, containing Close Letters of King Henry VII., during the vacancy of the See, in the 20th, 21st, 22d, and 23d years of his reign.

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No. 4 (DD), a Roll of 5 membranes, containing Letters Patent of King Henry VII. during the vacancy of the See, in the 20th, 21st, 22d, and 23d years of his reign.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Bainbrige," containing 2 Rolls :—

No. 1, a Roll of 36 membranes, headed "Rotulus Patens Cancellarie de anno primo "Cristoferi Baynbrig Epi Dunelm."

No. 2, a Roll of 3 membranes, being a fragment of a Close Roll of the 1st year of his Pontificate.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Ruthall," containing 3 Rolls :—

No. 1, a Roll of 5 membranes, containing the King's Letters Patent, 21 Henry VIII., Sede vacante.

No. 2, a Roll of 36 membranes and 1 schedule, containing the Letters Patent of Bishop Ruthall from 1st to 14th year of his Pontificate.

No. 3, a Roll of 13 membranes and 2 schedules, containing Letters Close of Bishop Ruthall from the 2d to the 14th year of his Pontificate.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Wolsey," containing 4 Rolls :—

No. 1, a Roll of 45 membranes, being his Letters Patent from the 1st to the 6th year of his Pontificate of Durham.

No. 2, a Roll of 7 membranes and 2 schedules, being his Letters Close from the 1st to the 7th year of his Pontificate of Durham.

No. 3, a Roll of 4 membranes (Exchequer fashion), being Pleas and Presentations taken at Durham before the Justices of the Peace and Justices of Oyer et Terminer, in the 1st, 2d, and 3d years of his Pontificate there.

No. 4, a Roll of 2 membranes, being his Letters Patent, dated 10th March, 14 Henry VIII., reciting the King's instructions to his Commissioners relative to the expected invasion of England by the French by way of Scotland.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Tunstall," containing 4 Rolls :—

No. 1, a Roll of 44 membranes, being his Letters Patent from the 1st to the 18th year of his Pontificate at Durham.

No. 2, a Roll of 21 membranes, being his Letters Patent from the 20th to the 30th year of his Pontificate there.

No. 3, a Roll of 28 membranes, being his Close Letters from the 1st to the 30th year of his Pontificate there.

No. 4, a Roll of 16 membranes, containing Indentures made between the 8th and 27th years of his Pontificate there; and also a few Letters Patent during the same period.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Pilkington," containing 3 Rolls :—

No. 1, a Roll of 12 membranes, containing his Letters Patent, Indentures, and Exemplifications of Inquisitions post Mortem, from the 1st to the 8th year of his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 18 membranes, containing Letters Patent, Letters Close, and other Instruments, from the 1st to the 7th year of his Pontificate.

No. 3, a Roll of 3 membranes, containing Letters Patent and Letters Close of Queen Elizabeth, in the 8th year of her reign, during the vacancy of the See after the death of Bishop Pilkington.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Barnes," containing 2 Rolls :—

No. 1, a Roll of 18 membranes, being his Letters Patent from 1st to 10th year of his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 7 membranes, headed "Recorda de homagiis et fidelitatibus de anno "vicesimo dominæ Elizabethæ Reginæ, et anno secundo translationis Reverendi in Christo "patris Ricardi Episcopi Dunelm."

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Hutton," containing 6 Rolls :—

No. 1, a Roll of 18 membranes, containing Letters Patent of Queen Elizabeth during the vacancy of the See after the death of Bishop Barnes, and Letters Patent of Bishop Matthew Hutton, from the 1st to the 6th year of his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 5 membranes, headed "Rotulus Clausus Processus e Curiis dominæ "Elizabethæ apud Westminster anno xxvj°. regni sui et quinto consecrationis Matthei "Episcopi Dunelm."

No. 3, a Roll of 5 membranes (Exchequer fashion), being Recognizances in the Chancery of Durham, from the 11th to the 30th year of the reign of Queen Elizabeth.

No. 4, a Roll of 1 membrane, headed "Placita in Cancellaria Dunelm super Recog-"nitionibus anno 4° Matthei Episcopi, 1593."

No. 5, a Roll of 1 membrane, containing Forfeited Recognizances in the Chancery of Durham.

No. 6, a Roll of 1 membrane, being Surrenders at Wichin (the Halmote of the Manor and Burgh of Newcastle), in the Chancery of Durham, in 1593, a° 24 Eliz.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Matthew," containing 2 Rolls :—

No. 1, a Roll of 43 membranes, headed "Rotulus Clausarum Cancellariæ Dunelm

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"tempore Tobiæ Episcopi," containing Letters Close and Patent, from the 1st to the 8th year of his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 15 membranes, containing Letters Patent and Close, from the 8th to the 12th year of his Pontificate.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. James," containing 7 Rolls:—

No. 1, a Roll of 55 membranes, indorsed "Rotulus primus Clausus tempore domini "Willielmi Episcopi Dunelm̃," from 1st to 7th year of his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 31 membranes, indorsed "Rotulus secundus Clausus tempore domini "Willielmi Episcopi Dunelm̃," from 7th to 8th year of his Pontificate.

No. 3, a Roll of 33 membranes, of the same description, from 8th to 10th year of his Pontificate.

No. 4, a Roll of 19 membranes, of the same description, from 10th to 11th year of his Pontificate.

No. 5, a Roll of 11 membranes, being Letters Patent of King James I., in the 15th year of his reign, Sede vacante after the death of Bishop William James.

No. 6, a Roll of 7 membranes, indorsed "Traverš quarumdam Inquiš in Cancellar̃ "Dunelm̃," relating to lands in Walworth, Nether Middleton, or Middleton George, Pontoppe, Thorpthewles, et Westhartburn.

No. 7, a Roll of 11 membranes, headed "Placita in Cancellaria Dunelm̃ super Recog-"nitionibus forisfact̃ et in Cancell̃ retorn̄ per manus Clerici Pacis et Clerici Assiš et Gaolæ "deliberacionis in Com̃ Dunelm̃."

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Neile," cortaining 5 Rolls:—

No. 1, a Roll of 45 membranes, containing Letters Patent and Close, from the 1st to the 11th year of his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 10 membranes, indorsed "Rotulus Cancellar̃ tempore vacationis per "translationem domini Ricardi Neile," being Letters Patent granted by Charles I. during the vacancy of the See by the translation of Bishop Neile.

No. 3, a Roll of 3 membranes, containing pleas in the Chancery at Durham before Sir Richard Hutton, Chancellor of Durham, 6th Sept. 1620, &c.

No. 4, a Roll of 6 membranes, containing proceedings under a Writ of Certiorari.

No. 5, a Roll of 1 membrane, containing Writs of Livery in the 7th and 8th years of his Pontificate.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Howson," containing 1 Roll:—

No. 1, a Roll of 18 membranes, containing Letters Patent and Close, from the 1st to the 3d year of his Pontificate.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Morton," containing 9 Rolls:—

No. 1, a Roll of 20 membranes, containing Letters Patent and Close, from 1st to 3d year of his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 32 membranes, indorsed "Secundus Clausus Rotulus tempore domini "Thomæ Morton Episcopi Dunelm̃."

No. 3, a Roll of 36 membranes, and 2 schedules, indorsed "The Third Roll of the time "of Thomas Morton," from the 6th to the 11th year of his Pontificate.

No. 4, a Roll of 2 membranes, being "An extent or annual value of all messuages, "lands, and tenements in the County of Durham, held of Thomas Bishop of Durham "in capite, and alienated without licence of the Bishop, or any of his predecessors, and "in which heirs and occupiers of tenements have entered without livery, by reason of "the minority of heirs, according to the accustomed course of the Chancery of Durham."

No. 5, a Roll of 6 membranes, being a sort of "Registrum Brevium," drawn up for the use of the Chancery of Durham about the latter end of the reign of Edward III. or beginning of Richard II.

No. 6, a Roll of 1 membrane, containing liveries of land in the 9th year of the Pontificate of Bishop Morton.

No. 7, a Roll of 2 membranes and 1 schedule, being Traverses in the Chancery of Durham in 1638.

No. 8, a Roll of 2 membranes, and the fragment of another on the same subject in 1639.

No. 9, a Roll of 3 membranes, being the fragment of a Roll containing the extent and value of lands in Norham and Islandshire, in the hands of the Bishop of Durham, forfeited for alienation without licence.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Cosins," containing 2 Rolls:—

No. 1, a Roll of 34 membranes, indorsed "Rotulus primus Clauš Johannis Cosins "domini Episcopi Dunelm̃ de recordo in Cancellaria Dunelm̃," being the Close Roll during the vacancy of the See after the death of Bishop Morton, and Bishop Cousin own Letters, Patent and Close, from the 1st to the 4th year of his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 25 membranes, indorsed "Rotulus secundus Clauš tempore Johannis "Cosins domini Episcopi Dunelm̃, et Rotulus post mortem ejusdem Johannis, Sede "vacante, pro tribus annis, videlt 1672, 1673, & 1674."

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Crew," containing 2 Rolls:—

No. 1, a Roll of 38 membranes, containing Letters Patent and Close from the 1st to the 20th year of his translation.

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No. 2, a Roll of 38 membranes, containing Letters Patent and Letters Close from the year 1697 to 1720.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Talbot," containing 1 Roll:—

No. 1, a Roll of 7 membranes, containing his Letters Patent and Letters Close from 1722 to 1727.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Chandler," containing 3 Rolls:—

No. 1, a Roll of 56 membranes, headed "Rotulus primus tempore Edwardi Episcopi "Dunelm̃," consisting of Letters Patent and Letters Close from 4 George II. to 1749.

No. 2, a Roll of 28 membranes, indorsed "The Second Roll in the time of Edward "Chandler, Bishop of Durham, and during the vacancy of the See after his death."

No. 3, a Roll of 3 membranes, of the time of Bishop Butler, relating to the appointment of Sir Hedworth Williamson, Bart., as Sheriff of the County Palatine.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Trevor," containing 5 Rolls:—

No. 1, a Roll of 32 membranes, consisting of Letters Patent and Letters Close, Indentures, and Decrees, from 1753 to 1755.

No. 2, a Roll of 41 membranes, of similar contents and date.

No. 3, a Roll of 54 membranes, containing Writs, Commissions, Indentures, Decrees, &c.

No. 4, a Roll of 57 membranes, of similar contents.

No. 5, a Roll of 13 membranes, of the like contents.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Egerton," containing 2 Rolls:—

No. 1, a Roll of 43 membranes, containing Letters Patent and Letters Close during his Pontificate.

No. 2, a Roll of 7 membranes, containing similar Instruments.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Thurlow," containing 1 Roll:—

A Roll of 25 membranes, containing Letters Patent and Letters Close during his Pontificate.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Barrington," containing 1 Roll:—

A Roll of 107 membranes, containing Letters Patent and Letters Close during his Pontificate.

A circular tin case, marked "Bp. Vanmildert," containing 1 Roll:—

A Roll of 51 membranes, containing Letters Patent and Letters Close during his Pontificate.

Miscellaneous.

1 Roll of 3 membranes, made up Exchequer fashion, being Halmote Court Rolls for the year 1381. In bad condition.

1 Roll of 14 membranes, being Court Rolls of Evenwood for the 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, and 22d year of the Pontificate of Bishop Thomas [Hatfield ?] and for the 18th year of the Pontificate of Bishop Walter [Skirlaw ?].

1 Roll of 4 membranes and 3 schedules, being the Court Rolls of Evenwood, from the 16th to the 20th year of the Pontificate of Bishop Thomas [Hatfield ?].

1 Roll of 7 membranes, being Court Roll of Evenwood, for the 23d, 24th, 25th, and 26th years of the Pontificate of Bishop Thomas [Hatfield ?].

1 Roll of 5 membranes, being Court Rolls of Evenwood, from the 1st to the 8th year of the Pontificate of Bishop Robert [Neville ?].

1 Roll of 1 membrane, being a Court Roll of Evenwood, for the 5th year of the Pontificate of John [Fordham ?].

A Bundle of 32 Instruments, indorsed "Commissions and Surrenders for Coppiholde "Lands, taken tempe Eliz., Jacobi, and Car., wch lay dispersed of their files in the office."

A Bundle of 11 Instruments, being Commissions and Surrenders of Copyhold Land temp. James I. and Charles I.

A Bundle of 31 Instruments, being Inquisitions taken before the Coroner of the Palatinate temp. James I.

A Bundle of 28 Instruments, being Recognizances taken in the Chancery of Durham, temp. James I.

Letters of Privy Seal of Thomas Bishop of Durham [Hatfield ?] to his Chancellor, desiring him to make out the usual Letters under the Great Seal of the Palatinate, appointing Sir Thomas Lumley to the office of Warden or Chief Forester in Werdale, and of all Parks in the Bishopric of Durham, &c. Dated 17th November, in the 32d year of his consecration.

Licence from Bishop Louis [Beaumont] to William Prior, of Durham, to grant to the Hospital of Kypier, near Durham, certain possessions in the vill and territory of Hunstanworth, with the advowson of the church of the same vill. Dated 2d November, 1331, being the 14th year of his consecration.

A Bundle of six Indentures, between Bishop Thomas Hatfield and others (4 in French and 2 in Latin).

A Roll of 3 membranes, being the inrolment of an Indenture made 1st October, 6 Edward VI., between Sir Robert Brandling of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Anne, his wife, Thomas Blaxton, and Elizabeth his wife, daughters and heirs of Katharine Wycliffe

deceased, sister and heir of the whole blood of Thomas Surteys, late of Dodynsall, Esq. and Frances Wycliffe, one of the other heirs of the said Katharine.

Original Letters Patent of Bishop Richard [Neile], being a Livery to John Meaburne. Dated 22d Aug. 1618.

Three original Letters Patent of Thomas [Morton] Bishop of Durham, of the years 1637, 1640, and 1643, being Letters of Livery of Seisin.

A Roll of 4 membranes, being an extent of certain lands, tenements, &c., about which a fine was levied at Durham, between Henry Earl of Westmoreland and Edward Parkinson, without the Bishop's licence (21 Eliz.)

Extent of certain lands, &c. in the King's hands (Sede vacante), taken under Writs of Diem clausit extremum and Scire facias, temp. Charles I.

Three fragments of a Plea Roll [temp. Edw. II. ?]

Seemingly a portion of a Patent Roll of the time of Bishop Howson, in 1630.

A Bundle of 126 Instruments, indorsed "Inrolments of Deeds in the time of Queen "Elizabeth, from the 5th to the 36th year of her reign." Nos. 31, 33, 37, 69, 85, 110, 113, and 118 wanting.

A Bundle of 33 Instruments, indorsed "Deeds inrolled in the time of Philip and Mary, "and Elizabeth.

A Bundle of 62 Instruments, being Processũ apud Westm̃ in Michaelmas Term, 13 James I.

A Bundle of 85 Instruments, being "Fiats" to issue Writs of Diem clausit extremum, Mandamus, Scire facias, &c., temp. James I.

A Bundle of 100 Instruments, indorsed "Bṽia e Curĩ Westm̃ in anno Rẹ Jacobi decimo."

A Bundle of 21 Instruments, being Royal Writs and Returns, temp. Charles II.

A Bundle of 5 Instruments, being Royal Writs and Returns, temp. Queen Anne.

A Bundle of 89 Instruments, indorsed "Inquisicões, Commissiones, et Record̃ in Clausũ "Rotul̃ Cancellar̃, tempore Thome Hatfield."

Transcripts of Fines, Amercements, Issues, forfeited Recognizances, &c., made at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, temp. Geo. II. and Geo. III.

Inquisitions post mortem.

A Bundle of 190 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem and proofs of age during the Pontificate of Robert Neville.

A Roll of 8 membranes, containing Copies or Abstracts of Inquisitions post mortem, taken during the Pontificates of Thomas [Langley], Laurence [Bothe], Richard [Fox], and one in 31 Henry VIII.

A Bundle of 145 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem, taken during the Pontificate of Laurence Bothe.

A Bundle of 49 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem, taken during the Pontificate of William Dudley.

A Bundle of 32 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem, taken during the Pontificate of John Shirwode.

A Bundle of 91 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem, taken during the Pontificate of Richard Fox.

A Bundle of 16 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem, taken during the Pontificate of William Sever.

A Bundle of 16 Instruments, indorsed "Tempore Henrici Septimi, Sede Ep̃at̃ Dunelm̃ "vacante post mortem Willielmi Sevieres."

A Bundle of 7 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem during the Pontificate of Christopher Baynbridge.

A Bundle of 89 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem during the Pontificate of Thomas Ruthall.

A Bundle of 27 Documents, being Inquisitions post mortem during the Pontificate of Cardinal Wolsey.

A Roll of 4 membranes, being Abstracts of Inquisitions post mortem in the time of Thomas Bishop of Durham, Laurence Bishop of Durham, Richard Bishop of Durham; and in the 31st of Henry VIII.

A Bundle of 15 Instruments, indorsed "Commissũ ad inquirend̃ post mortem Radi "Comit̃ Westmorland et aliorum tenencium tempore Henrici Octavi et Edwardi Sexti."

A Bundle of 119 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem during the Pontificate of Cuthbert Tunstall.

A Bundle of 34 parcels, being Inquisitions post mortem (on paper) during the reigns of Henry VIII., Edward VI., Philip and Mary, and Elizabeth.

A Bundle of 28 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem from 1 to 44 Elizabeth.

A Bundle of 4 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem in Norhamshire, temp. Elizabeth.

A Bundle of 12 Instruments, being Writs of Diem clausit extremum, temp. Elizabeth. Not issued, blanks being left for the names of the deceased.

A Bundle of 91 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem from the 1st to the 8th of James I.; Toby Matthew and William James being Bishops.

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A Bundle of 114 Instruments, being Inquisitions post mortem, from the 8th to the 18th of James I., in the time of Bishop James.

A Bundle of 2 Instruments, ticketed "Inquisitio post mortem Richard Brackenbury, "Esq., 15 James I."

A Bundle of 79 Instruments, indorsed "Inquisitions," from the 4th to the 10th of Charles I.

A Bundle of 118 Instruments, being Inquisitions, indorsed "Charles I., from the 4th to "the 8th of his reign."

A Bundle of 31 Instruments, ticketed "Inquisitions post mortem, in Norhamshire, in "the time of Charles I."

A Bundle of 232 Instruments, being Inquisitions of the time of Charles I.

A Bundle of 313 Instruments, indorsed "Inquisitions tempore Car. I. et Jac. I., "ab anno 17. Jac. usque ad 3 Car. incluſ."

A Bundle of fragments and illegible Inquisitions.

A Bundle of 8 Instruments, indorsed "Bria apud Westm de termino Sancti Hilar, anno "xiiij° Jacobi.

A Bundle of 50 Instruments, ticketed "Inquisitions from 21st of James I. to 2d "Charles I."

A Bundle of 52 Instruments, being Royal Writs and Returns in the reign of Charles I.

A Bundle of 20 Instruments, indorsed "A Bundell of Writte from Westminster and "Inquisitions thereupon, tempore Car. Regis, wch were formerly broken and dispersed."

A Bundle of 76 Instruments, indorsed "A Bundell of Writte and Inquisicons e Cur "Westm ab a° 2° Car. usque ann^m^ 15 Car."

A Bundle of 82 Instruments, indorsed "Bria pro dno Rege et al e Cur apud Westm et "Inquisic supinde, annis 14, 15, 16, 17, & 18 Car Scdi usq, termin Sci Michis."

A Bundle of 35 Instruments, being Inquisitions ad quod damnum, temp. George II. et George III.

A Roll of 5 membranes, being extents of lands in the hands of the Bishops of Durham, made pursuant to Writs of Diem clausit extremum, Scire facias, Mandamus, &c., for alienations made without licence of lands and tenements holden of the Bishops in capite.

1 Bundle of Writs of Præcipe quod reddat, Warrants of Attorney, Writs of Dedimus potestatem, and other proceedings in Recoveries, from 35 Charles II. to 5 William and Mary. 142 Instruments.

1 Bundle of Writs of Præcipe quod reddat, Warrants of Attorney, Writs of Dedimus potestatem, and other proceedings in Recoveries, from 9 Anne to 6 George I. 78 Instruments.

1 Bundle of Writs of Præcipe quod reddat, Warrants of Attorney, Writs of Dedimus potestatem, and other proceedings in Recoveries, from 6 George I. to 9 George I. 33 Instruments.

1 Bundle of Writs of Præcipe quod reddat, Warrants of Attorney, Writs of Dedimus potestatem, and other proceedings in Recoveries, from 9 George I. to 4 George II. 97 Instruments.

1 Bundle of Writs of Præcipe quod reddat, Warrants of Attorney, Writs of Dedimus potestatem, and other proceedings in Recoveries, from 1732 to 1744. 158 Instruments.

1 Bundle of Writs of Præcipe quod reddat, Warrants of Attorney, Writs of Dedimus potestatem, and other proceedings in Recoveries, from 1746 to 1752. 179 Instruments.

1 Bundle of Writs of Præcipe quod reddat, Warrants of Attorney, Writs of Dedimus potestatem, and other proceedings in Recoveries, from 1758 to 1776. 251 Instruments.

1 Bundle of Writs of Præcipe quod reddat, Warrants of Attorney, Writs of Dedimus potestatem, and other proceedings in Recoveries, from 1776 to 1785. 165 Instruments.

1 Bundle of Letters of Significavit or Writs De excommunicato capiendo, from 1700 to 1704.

1 Bundle of Letters of Significavit or Writs De excommunicato capiendo, from 1725 to 1742.

1 Bundle of Letters of Significavit or Writs De excommunicato capiendo, from 1738 to 1765.

7 Bundles of proceedings relative to Writs of Amoveas manus.

In the upper presses, but of which there was not time to take a minute account, are 128 Bundles of Exchequer Process, several hundred large files of Affidavits of Debt upon which bailable *pones* are issued, Affidavits of Service of Process, Warrants to prosecute, and Præcipes for all Writs both real and personal, which issued out of the Chancery of Durham, and were returnable in the Court of Pleas at Durham, Side Bar Rules, Chancellor's Accounts, Sheriff's Oaths, Court of Pleas Process, Writs from the Courts at Westminster directed to the Bishops of Durham, upon which they issued their mandates to the Sheriffs of Durham, Writs of Capias ad respondendum, Fiats for Commissions to take Affidavits in the Courts of Pleas and Chancery at Durham, Writs for the elections of Members of Parliament, with Counterparts of the Indenture annexed, &c., &c.

Many of these, such as the Præcipe for Writs, the ordinary Writ of Capias ad respondendum, and all interlocutory matter, are hardly worth preserving.

Bills and Answers addressed to the Chancellor of the Palatinate of Durham in the years 1615 and 1616.

1 Bundle containing 129 Instruments, the other 200; in all 329.

Depositions of Witnesses.

1 Bundle for 1675.
1 Bundle for 1676.
1 Bundle for 1683.
1 Bundle for 1686.
1 Bundle for 1687.
1 Bundle for 1687 and 1688.
1 Bundle for 1688.
1 Bundle for 1689.
1 Bundle for 1690.
1 Bundle for 1600, 1691, and 1692.
1 Bundle for 1692 and 1694.
1 Bundle for 1694.
1 Bundle for 1695, 1696, and 1697.
1 Bundle for 1698.
1 Bundle for 1699.
1 Bundle for 1700.
1 Bundle for 1701.
1 Bundle for 1702.
1 Bundle for 1703 and 1704.
1 Bundle for 1705.
1 Bundle for 1706 and 1707.
1 Bundle for 1707 and 1708.
1 Bundle for 1708 and 1709.
1 Bundle for 1716 and 1717.
1 Bundle for 1718.
1 Bundle for 1719.
1 Bundle for 1720.
1 Bundle for 1721.
1 Bundle for 1722.
1 Bundle for 1723.
1 Bundle for 1724.
1 Bundle for 1725.
1 Bundle for 1726.
1 Bundle for 1727.
1 Bundle for 1728.
1 Bundle for 1730.
1 Bundle for 1731.
1 Bundle for 1731 and 1732.
1 Bundle for 1733.
1 Bundle for 1734.
1 Bundle for 1735.
1 Bundle for 1736.
1 Bundle for 1737.
1 Bundle for 1738.
1 Bundle for 1739.
1 Bundle for 1740.
1 Bundle for 1742.
1 Bundle for 1743.
1 Bundle for 1767.

1 Bundle of Interrogatories of Witnesses, circa 1682.

Appendix No. 2.

Schedule of Books, Rolls, Papers, &c. in the Auditor's Office, in the Exchequer Building.

A folio Manuscript of 75 leaves of paper bound in leather, written about the reign of James I., being copies of Inquisitions post mortem taken in the times of Bishops Beaumont, Hatfield, Skirlaw, Fordam, and Langley, each Inquisition (amounting to 883) numbered. There is a general Index of 6 pages made by Dr. Hunter. There are three copies of this MS. extant.

A Manuscript on paper, with no covers, title or general heading, but evidently the accounts of all the bailiffs, coroners, and other officers of the Palatinate in the 3d year of the Pontificate of Thomas Ruthall.

A Manuscript on Parchment, entitled "Supervisus tempore Thome Hatfield Epi." In this Manuscript, at leaf 103, commences a copy of Bishop Pudsey's Survey of 1183, commonly called the "Boldon Book." This Manuscript was used by the Rev. Mr. Greenwell, as the text of his admirable edition of the "*Boldon Buke*," published for the Surtees Society.

A Manuscript Book on paper, indorsed "Rentale dominiorum, redditiuum, et firmarum "Thomæ Dei gracia Dunelm episcopi infra Comitatum et Wapentach Sadberg, factum per "Radulphum Eure militem seneschallum Dunelm, Willielmum Chaunceller Constabularum "Dunelm, Johannem Neuton clericum, Johannem Thoralby clericum, Ricardum Bukley "clericum, Willielmum Malberthorp clericum, et Robertum Frend, quintodecimo die Au-"gusti, anno Domini MCCCCXVIII., et Pontificatus dicti domini Episcopi terciodecimo."

A Manuscript Book on paper, being a copy made about the reign of James I. of Bishop Hatfield's Survey, the Boldon Book, Bishop Bothe's Survey, Bishop Langley's Survey, Sir William Eure's account, temp. Cardinal Wolsey, &c.

A Manuscript Book of general Receipts of the Bishopric during the time of Bishop Skirlaw.

Two similar Books for the Episcopate of Bishop Shirwode.

One similar Book for the Episcopates of Bishops Shirwode and Fox.

Nine similar Books for the Episcopate of Bishop Ruthall.

One similar Book for the Episcopate of Cardinal Wolsey.

Seven similar Books for the Episcopate of Bishop Tunstall.

Two similar Books for the Episcopate of Bishop Pilkington.

Two similar Books of uncertain date.

A Manuscript Book in which Courts Baron, Burgess Courts, Halmote Courts, are entered, from 1573 to 1579.

A Manuscript Book, containing Depositions of Witnesses in 1677.

A Manuscript Book, being an Index of Leases granted in the 38th year of Elizabeth.

A Manuscript Book, entitled "An old Rental et Patents," containing a copy of the

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Survey made pursuant to Queen Elizabeth's Letters Patent (12th February, 30th year of her reign), of all and singular the manors, lands, tenements, and possessions in the county of Durham, being parcel of or belonging to the Bishopric of Durham, then in the Queen's hands by reason of the vacancy of the See; also copies of Grants and Letters Patent, temp. Elizabeth and James I. The other end of the volume contains full abstracts, arranged under places, of all Grants made during the Pontificates of Richard Barnes, Matthew Hutton, and Toby Matthew, and a Rental of the Bishopric in 1640.

A Manuscript Book, containing copies of Leases made temp. Bishop Tunstall.

A Manuscript Book, headed "Moneyes rec̃ed upon the roole in the yeares 1675 to 1683."

16 Manuscript Books, entitled "Liber Magnæ Receptæ." Some bound, some loose.

A Manuscript Book for the Manor of Gillegate, from 1490 to 1530.

6 Manuscript Books of Registers of Leases, from 1598 to 1664.

A Manuscript Book, without covers, of Register of Leases, from the 20th to the 23d of Charles II.

36 Manuscript Books of Registers of Leases, from 1678 to 1848.

A Manuscript Book of Abstracts of Leases made by Bishop Houson.

A Manuscript Book, entitled "An Alphabet of the Counterparts of Leases, from 1662 to "1689."

A Manuscript Book, entitled "Stocton Ward Rental, 1646."

A Manuscript Book, entitled "Patentes tempore Johannis Episcopi Dunelm̃, 1662."

A Manuscript Book of Leases, from 28 Elizabeth to 1 Charles I. (imperfect).

A Manuscript Book, entitled "An Alphabet of the Counterparts of Leases, from 1690 "to 1707. Yorkshire Leases."

A Manuscript Book, entitled "A Summary of the Rents belonging to the Lord Bishop "of Durham as they stand charged, 1641."

A Manuscript Book on parchment, being a Copy of the Composition between the Prior and Convent of Durham and the Bishop of Durham. No date, but Richard [Poor?] was then Bishop.

1 Parcel, indorsed "Rental arrear Books, from 1757 to 1783."

A large Bundle of Transumpt Books, from 1751 to 1800.

1 Bundle of twenty Parcels, chiefly relating to rentals and matters of account.

1 Parcel of 4 Rolls, being Bills, Answers, and Depositions relative to the Hospital of Sherburn, a° 1558.

1 Bundle of Bills, Answers, and Depositions relating to Woodham Moor in 1662.

Survey of Stanhope Park, the Forest of Weredale, by a jury, 37th of Elizabeth, with the Seal of the Auditor's Office affixed.

1 Roll, indorsed "Antiquus Rotulus de valore Episcopatus Dunelm̃: circa A.D. "1316."

1 Roll of 3 membranes, entitled "Compuť terr̃ Petr̃ de Midrigge prepositi Manerr̃ de "Aukeland, a festo Sancti Michis, anno Pont̃ dñi R. de Bury quarto usque festum Sancti "Michis, anno Pont̃ ejusdem quinto."

1 Roll of 12 membranes, containing the accounts of various Bailiffs of Manors in the Bishopric of Durham for the 4th and 5th years of the Pontificate of Thomas Hatfield.

1 Roll of 3 membranes, entitled "Placita assisarum, et juratorum ac aliorum placi-"torum a° 3 Henry VI. et a° 19 Pont̃ Thomæ Langley."

1 Roll of 2 membranes, being the Boundaries of and Incroachments in the Bailiwick of Chester during the Episcopate of Chandler.

1 Roll, being extracts of the assessment of 2*d.* taxed upon all lands and tenements in the county of Durham for the repairing of Framwellgate Bridge and Elvet Bridge, made at the Sessions, 25 June, 43 Elizabeth.

1 Roll, indorsed "Inquis̃ post mortem of Sir George Bowes, of Dalden, temp. Philip "and Mary, &c."

1 Roll of 2 membranes, being the accounts of Richard Conyers, Receiver of Richard Earl of Warwick and Sarum, of the Lordships of Topcliff, Craven, and Langstruath, 7 Edward IV., and also of Thomas Wath and William Hobson, Collectors of the Rents, &c. 7 & 8 Edward IV., indorsed "Non pertinet hic Rotulus ad Ep̃atum Dunelm̃."

1 Roll of 26 membranes and 2 schedules (one being Queen Elizabeth's original Letters Patent under the Great Seal, dated 12th February, a° 30 of her reign, and the other the articles of instruction), being the original Survey of the Palatinate, under the Seals of the Commissioners, during the vacancy of the See.

1 Parcel of 46 Rolls of Receiver-General's Rolls.

1 Parcel of 6 Rolls of Receiver-General's Rolls.

1 Parcel of 34 Rolls of Receiver-General's Accounts.

1 Parcel of 21 Rolls of Receiver-General's Accounts.

1 Parcel of 22 Rolls of Arrears of the Receiver-General.

1 Parcel of 42 Rolls (on paper) of Bailiffs Accounts of Gateshead during the Pontificates of Tunstall, Baynbridge, Pilkington, Barnes, and Ruthall, and during the vacancies of the See in the reigns of Henry VIII. and Elizabeth.

1 Parcel of 31 Rolls of Escheator's Accounts during the Pontificates of Neville, Langley, Ruthall, Wolsey, Tunstall, Pilkington, and Barnes.

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1 Parcel of 70 Rolls of Sheriffs Accounts during the Pontificates of Bury, Langley, Neville, Dudley, Tunstall, Pilkington, Wolsey, Fox, Matthews, Neile, James, and Hutton.
1 Parcel of 35 Rolls of Collectors Accounts for Chester Ward.
1 Parcel of 38 Rolls of Collectors Accounts for Gateshead.
1 Parcel of 5 Rolls of Bailiffs Accounts for Hert and Hertipool.
1 Parcel of 40 Rolls of Coroners Accounts in Chester Ward.
1 Parcel of 23 Rolls of "Instaurators" Accounts.
1 Parcel of 23 Rolls (paper), Abstracts of Receivers Rolls.
1 Parcel of 13 Rolls of Coroners Accounts for Darlington Ward.
1 Parcel of 28 Rolls of Collectors Accounts for Darlington Ward.
1 Parcel of 14 Rolls of Collectors Accounts for Darlington Ward.
1 Parcel of 20 Rolls of Bailiffs Accounts for Darlington Ward.
1 Parcel of 10 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Darlington Ward.
1 Parcel of 12 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Darlington Ward.
1 Parcel of 36 Rolls of Coroners Accounts for Stockton Ward.
1 Parcel of 10 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Crake, during the Pontificate of Ruthall.
1 Parcel of 15 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Crake, during the Pontificate of Pilkington.
1 Parcel of 6 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Crake, during the Pontificate of Fox.
1 Parcel of 4 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Crake, during the Pontificate of Sherwood.
1 Parcel of 1 Roll of Ministers Accounts for Crake, during the Pontificate of Booth.
1 Parcel of 6 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Crake, Sede vacante.
1 Parcel of 6 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Crake, during the Pontificate of Wolsey.
1 Parcel of 8 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Crake, during the Pontificate of Barnes.
1 Parcel of 5 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Crake, during the Pontificate of Dudley.
1 Parcel of 38 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Crake, during the Pontificate of Tunstall.
1 Parcel of 65 Rolls, entitled "Compotus Clericorum Operum."
1 Parcel of 12 Rolls of High Foresters Rolls; among them a Survey of Weardale in 1596.
1 Parcel of 20 Rolls of Weardale Accounts of Lead and Coal.
1 Parcel of 4 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, A.D. 1443 to 1447.
1 Parcel of 12 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp. Henry VII.
1 Parcel of 34 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp. Henry VIII.
1 Parcel of 9 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp. Edward VI.
1 Parcel of 9 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp Edward VI.
1 Parcel of 9 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp. Philip and Mary.
1 Parcel of 22 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp. Elizabeth.
1 Parcel of 26 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp. Elizabeth.
1 Parcel of 14 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp. James I.
1 Parcel of 6 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp. Charles I.
1 Parcel of 9 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp. Charles II.
1 Parcel of 4 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp. James II.
1 Parcel of 4 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, temp. 1672, 1723, 1731 (one without date).
1 Parcel of 1 Roll of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire for A.D. 1768.
1 Parcel of 37 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Houdenshire, in various reigns.
1 Roll being a Survey of Houdenshire in 1561.
28 Parcels, being Accounts of Reparations in Houdenshire, temp. Henry VIII. and Edward VI.
1 Parcel of Vouchers, Bills, &c., temp. Skirlaw.
1 Parcel of Vouchers, Bills, &c., temp. Dudley.
1 Parcel of Vouchers, Bills, &c., temp. Ruthall.
1 Parcel of Vouchers, Bills, &c., temp. Tunstall.
Copy of a Commission, 23 July, 12 James I., to survey the Manors of Brancepeth and Raby, forfeited by the Earl of Westmoreland; and the Survey thereupon made.
36 Rolls of Receiver-Generals Accounts.
8 Rolls (paper) of Sheriff of Durham's Accounts.
1 Roll of Extracts of Fines, Amercements, and Forfeitures, in 1634.
57 Rolls and fragments of Rolls, being Ministers Accounts for Allertonshire.
233 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Allertonshire.
11 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Allertonshire.
43 Rolls of Escheators and other Ministers Accounts for Allertonshire.
17 Rolls of Ministers Accounts, Rentals, and Court Rolls for Allertonshire.
20 Rolls of Ministers Accounts for Allertonshire.
2 Rolls of Borough Court Rolls for North Allerton, temp. Henry VII. and Henry VIII.
1 Bundle of fragments of Receivers Accounts for Allertonshire.

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27 Bundles of Acquittances.
27 Bundles of Halmote Court Extracts.
1 Roll of Halmote Court Proceedings for Howdenshire, temp. Edward III.
1 Roll of Halmote Court Proceedings for Howdenshire, temp. Richard II.
25 Rolls of Halmote Court Proceedings for Howdenshire, temp. Henry V.
26 Rolls of Halmote Court Proceedings for Howdenshire, temp. Henry VI.
1 Roll of Halmote Court Proceedings for Howdenshire, temp. Edward IV.
11 Rolls of Halmote Court Proceedings for Howdenshire, temp. Henry VII.
1 Roll of Halmote Court Proceedings for Howdenshire, temp. Elizabeth.
12 Rolls of Halmote Court Proceedings for Howdenshire, temp. Charles I.

1 large press of 25 divisions, filled with Leases and counterparts of Leases, relating to the following places: Auckland, Bishop's Auckland, Bedlingtonshire, Cornforth, Cassop, Chester, Coundon, Coatham, Durham, Darlington, Blackwell, Haughton, East Bardon, Eighton Banks, Easington, Evenwood, Escombe, Hunwickedge, Heighington, Killerby, Lanchester, Littlethorpe, Middleham, Middridge, Newbottle, Norton, Northbedburn, Lynsack, Quarrington, Ryton, Bicknall, Ryehope, Sedgefield, Sherburn, Shadforth, Stockton, Shotton.

1 large press, filled with Coal Leases and counterparts of Leases, Tyne Bridge accounts, and Documents relating to Houdenshire.

The original Awards and Plans, as well as the Inrolments of the same, made on the Divisions of Commons, commonable Lands and waste Grounds, within the County Palatine of Durham, for the following places: Wolsingham, Northbedburn, Witton-le-Wear, Southbedburn, Lynesack, and Softley, Hamsterley, Evenwood, Hunwick Edge, Ushaw or Middlewood, Hamsteels, Lanchester, Chester, Urpeth, Framwellgate and Witton Gilbert, Welton, Melton, Ellerker, Brantingham, Osmotherley, Walkington, Bishop Middleham (a copy only).

N.B. Other Awards are in the Office of the Clerk of the Peace, in the Registrar's Office, and some few in the Dean and Chapter's Office; two (formerly three) in the Cursitor's Office.

Appendix No. 3.

A Schedule of Books, &c. and Papers in the Auditor's Office.

*In the Box Letter A.**

A Grant of Howden Fairs.

Bishop Cosins' Foundation of the Hospital at Durham; a Deed relating thereto and foul draught.

A Grant of Library Keeper's place.

Bishop Cosins' Foundation at Auckland Hospital.

An Inventory of the Plate at the Chapels of Durham and Auckland.

Mr. Stapleton, one of Bishop Cosins' executors, his Assignment of his Trust to Sir Gilbert Gerrard, &c.

A Grant from King Charles II., A° 1672, to Wm. Marshall to receive Rents at Howden.

Sir Richard Lloyd's and Wm. Blackiston's Patents of Judges of the Admiralty.

Walter Atrick's Patent of Register of the Admiralty.

Wm. Scurfield's Patent of Marshall of the Admiralty.

An Act for assuring Durham House to the Earl of Pembroke, and of 200*l.* per annum to the Bishop of Durham.

A Licence to pull down Stockton Castle, and copy of the Return of the Commissioners appointed to view the same antecedent to the Licence.

A Copy of the Decree concerning Craike Park.

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Auditors Precepts.

Frankland Park Case.

Bishop Morton's Warrant to certain Commissioners for making Compositions.

His Grant of Wood to Jno. Hunter, of Medomsley.

His Letter, in 1634, to the Company of Glovers, in Gateshead, to make Gilbert Thompson, of Hexham, a freeman.

Old Bonds.

Demand of Rents unpaid in Bishop Matthew's time.

In the Box Letter C.

Chester Boundary Rolls.

Old Bills and Bonds.

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* Though these Documents are described as being in Boxes, they are not so kept at present.

In the Box Letter D.

A Copy of a Decree against the Patentees of Frankland Park cutting wood, &c.
Instrument from the Freeholders about Chester and Pelton Moors.
Enquirys within the Manor of Chester in Bishop Cosins' time.
Old Papers of Accounts and Letters.
Briefs and some other Papers about Yarm Bridge.
Informacon and Bill against Henry Atkinson, for Lands in Heighington.
Informcoan, Answer, and Decree against Cole, for Strays taken by him.
Craike, Declaration of Trust.
Depositions about Evenwood Park.
Wardship of Claxton.
Bills, Answers, &c. about Royal Fish taken at Seaton, Carew, and Waives, &c.
Hilton's Charity for 99 years.
An Order for taking a Survey of all Manors, &c., 1677.
Demand of Rents, 1609.
Extracts of Weredale Courts.
Weredale Estreets, 1600.
Presentment of the Park Jury.
Money paid Forester Courts.
Clark's Bond to deliver up a horse.
Bishop Cosins' Order for allowing the Clerk of the Assizes his Fee.
A Note of ancient Patents of County Clerk.
An Estimate of Coals yearly vended at Newcastle.
Liveries unsued forth.
North Allerton Compositions.
Bishop's Order for Mr. Wright's Fee as Feodary.
Bishop's Letters.
Ord's Petition.
Copy of the Grant's for Inclosures at Brompton and Romanby.
Remembrances.
Copy of the Record for the Wages paid to the 2 Schools.
Lambert's Case about his Lease of Toll Booth, &c. at Stockton.
King Charles I., his Instructions to the Bishops.
Bainbridge's Petition.
The Answer, Replication, and Decree, about Auckland Moor Closes.
Lascell's Petition to the Commissioners for Sale of Bishop's Lands.
Ralph Earl of Westmoreland's Answer to Bp. Tunstall's Bill about the Wardship of Claxton.
Information and Replication, Depositions, and Decree of Dismission about Ravensnal, near Darlington.
Order for Deodands in Howdenshire and Allertonshire.
Inq[s] post mortem Branson, and an Answer about Wardship of his son.
Bishop's Claim of Broomley's goods, &c., forfeited by outlawry.
Woodifield's Answer to the Bishop's Attorneys; information about Land in Bishop Middleham.
Information of Attorney-General about shops in Auckland.
Bishop's Consent to a Decree for the Division of Stockton.
A Case about a Pew in Emildon Church.
4 Papers about Gateshead Corporation.
An old Valuation of the Manor of Crake.
An Order in the Court of Wards, 1634, for the Lord Grey.
Wharton and Hall's Case about Lead Mines in Weardale.
Sir Philip Monkton's Deputation of his Nephew to be Receiver of Howdenshire, 1645.
Mr. Billingsley's Deputation for Allertonshire.
A Demand of Rents.
A Copy of an Act of Parliament concerning the River Tyne.
Papers about the County Court Capias.
Case about a Forfeiture.
Customs against the Court of York.
Letters and miscellaneous Papers of little or no use.
Mr. Richardson's Depositions relating to Durham.
A Copy of Decree against Richard Lilburn for Rent at East Thickley, and Affidavit.
Some old Papers relating to Howden.
Brief in the Cause against Geo. Lilburn Sunderland, and other Proceedings.
Arrowsmith's Forfeiture, 1600.
Information of Attorney-General against Geo. Humble, Ryton Wood.
Escheator's Inquisitions, Norhamshire.
Bowes and Saltmarsh Wardships.
Reasons for continuing the County Palatine.

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Draught of a Bill against Empringham and others for pretending to hold an Admiralty Court at Howden.

Information and other proceedings against Chambers about Whitburn Windmill.

Information for part of Spittles Land, Bedlington.

A declaration in Ejectment for Lands in Osmotherly : Baynes ags^t^ Codd.

Warrants for Fees to Officer, 1608.

A Case, and Lawyer Weston's opinion upon it, about Lands in Howden.

Robert Place, of Hurworth, Felo de se.

Draughts and Copies of Proceedings against Cole and others, A° 1613, for Lands in Allerton and Brompton.

Brief and Depositions about Egleston Lead Mines.

Replication of Toby Bishop of Durham about Howden Walls.

A Writ of Scire facias ags^t^ Thos. Bullock, Coroner of Darlington Ward, for selling his office.

A List of Recusants, 1628.

Killerby Mill, Cop. Ren.

Mr. Stapleton's Complaint ags^t^ Dean Granville.

Copy of an Order : Bishop's Attorney-General ags^t^ Frevill.

In the Box Letter F.

A Bundle of Informations, Bills, and other proceedings in Chancery and the Exchequer.

Commissions of Peace for Howdenshire, by the Bishop of Durham.

Some miscellaneous papers of little or no use.

A Copy of a Decree in Chancery for the Exors of Bishop Cosins, transferring their Trust to Sir Gilbert Gerrard and Mr. Isaac Basire.

In the Box Letter G.

Bill, Interr^s^, and Depons in perpetuam rei Memoriam for Woodham Moore, An. 1622.

Gateshead Tolls and Salt Meadows to Corporation of Newcastle.

An old Book of Accounts for work done at Norham Castle.

Bill, Interr^s^, and Depons in perpetuam rei Memoriam ex parte Anth Salvin, Margri Hospital de Sherburn, provocatione diversorum dimissionum fact per Thomam Leigh Mil nup Margrm Hospital predict. a° 1558.

Bishop Matthew's Lease to King James of divers Lands in Allertonshire, &c. a° 1603.

An account of some Chantry Lands and the Expense of Obits.

Fees to Patent Officers, 1686.

Solucones pro Regina 1641.

Copy of an Act passed for securing Durham House in London to the Earl of Pembroke, a° 1642. Rent £240 p annum.

Some papers relating to Bishop Matthew's Lease before mentioned and the suit about the same.

A Probate of Gawen Tolinson's Will.

Mr. Alstone's sale of the Auditor's Office to Mr. Taylerson.

In the Box Letter H.

A Letter from the Justices of the Peace to the Barons of the Exchequer at Westminster against Recognizances being returned into the King's Courts.

A Release from King Charles II. to the Sheriffs of the County Palatine, for accounting for Issues, &c. in the Court of Exchequer.

A Paper of Contracts for Bishop's Lands, 1652.

Inquisico post mortem Rici Booth de Terr., &c.

An old Rental, 1609.

A Rental of Allerton demesnes, 1627.

Names of the Staiths at Howden.

An Extract of the Arrears, a° 1620.

An Extract of the Revenues of the Bishoprick, with Mr. Featherston's Information concerning the Leases in Stanhope.

Miscellaneous Papers of little or no use.

Bishop Matthew's Grant to Mr. Skepper of Lands forfeited for murder committed.

Copies of Moor Masters Patent.

In the Box Letter I.

Old Rolls of Accounts for repairs of the Castle and other disbursements, and some few Rolls of Accounts of tenths of Spiritual Benefices within the Diocese.

A thin paper Book, wherein are some entries of Surrenders of Copyhold Lands at Wearmouth and Sunderland.

3 Rolls of Escheators Accounts.

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In the Box Letter K.

Bolden Book, 600 ỹrs old.
A Survey of the Bishoprick tempore Eliz^th Regine.
Lr̃e convenit in Ep̃um et Priorem et Conventum Dunelm̃.
A Commission and Survey of the Manor of Brancepeth, Raby, &c., forfeited by the Earl of Westmoreland.
A Catalogue or Inventory of Rolls and Records in Bishop Neile's times.

In the Box Letter L.

A Bundle of old Rentals.
A Bundle of old Papers of Arrears.
A Bundle of Extracts of Fines for the Manor of North Allerton.
Money, Warrants, and Acquittances to Mr. Hugh Wright rec^r a^o 1602.
A Bundle of old Accounts for Howdenshire.
Customary Tenants within the Bishoprick and Bedlington.
Mr. Tim Comyn's Certificate of Leases of Coal Mines.
Fees and Allowances to Officers, 1606 and 1619.
Names of the Liberi Tenants in Allerton and Allertonshire.
Stanhope Forest, Extracts of Fines.
A Writ to levy Fines imposed upon Jurors at Durham Assizes, 1728, with the Sheriff's Return thereupon.

In the Box Letter M.

A Bundle and a Roll of Sheriffs Accounts.
Some Papers of proceedings ag^st Norton, and Depositions ag^st Frevil.
Sheriffs Tornes Accounts and Estreets.

In the Box Letter N.

Howdenshire Rolls, Rentals, Acquittances, and Allowances.
A Copy of Thomas Lord Cromwell's Patent of High Steward of Howden.

In the Box Letter O.

Howdenshire Books of Accounts.

In the Box Letter P.

Howdenshire Vouchers.

In the Box Letter Q.

Rentals of the Customary Rents in Weredale, and Collector's Bond, 1707.
Mr. Dunn of Howden's Bond, 1695.
Bailiff of Howden's Bond, 1702.
Officers Bonds, old.
Bishop Morton's Letter not to pay Patent Fees till the Patents are produced.
Mr. Baddaley's surrender of his Patent of Coroner of Stockton Ward.
Some miscellaneous Papers of no use.
A Paper relating to Frankland.
A Petition to the King by the Tenants of Sherburn Hospital.
Order to the Officers of the Exchequer, 1662, to suffer the Auditor to make searches in their several offices.
Bishop James' Letters to Mr. Lascells about Allerton rents.
Dean and Chapter's Petition to Bishop Matthews for stone in Frankland Park.
An old Valor Ep̃atus.
A Petition of Masters and Owners of Ships about the duty on Newcastle coals.
The substance of the Commission of General Survey.
Major Christian's Letter about Bedlington.
A Petition for a Fair at Darlington.
A Petition for a Market at Wolsingham.
A Licence, or rather an Act for Mr. Davenport's new building the Rectory House, at Houghton.
2 Petitions.
Grant of the Lunacy of Ann Shield to Geo. Stobbs.
The Deputy Steward of the Halmote Courts his Order about Ralph Short, of Coundon, who hanged himself.
Bishop Morton's Warrant to the Sheriff for a Jury to survey the river Wear.
Warrant to the Sheriff for a Jury relating to the Estate of George and Edwd Smith, Esq^rs.
Bunbury School case.
Inventory of Goods in Auckland Castle, 1628.
Inventory of Goods in Durham Castle.
John Richardson's Answers, 1624, to the Bishop's Bill.

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A Paper about the County Court.
Letters.
An Order of Sessions, a° ñni Jacobi II., for paying 10*l.* yearly for preaching at the Gaol.

In the Box Letter R.

A Survey of Stanhope Park and Forest of Weardale by a Jury, a° 37 Eliz^th^.
An Agreem^t^ bet^w^ Wm Lord B$\tilde{p}$ of Durham and Robt Cotesworth, Esqre, for renewing the Lease of the Manor of Gateshead and Whickham.
A Letter of Attorney from Bishop Howson to receive rents.
A Form of Chief Gamekeeper's Patent.
An Account of Leases of Collieries in Chester Manor, and the Papers about Dr. Sayer's Cause with Mr. Spearman.
An old Order of Bishop Neile's for inrolling Leases, with the Auditor's Fees for the same.
2 horses grass in Frankland Park due to the Auditor.
Auditor's Warr^ts^ for distraining for arrears of rent.

In the Box Letter S.

Books of Accounts for Howdenshire, and 2 Rolls on parchment.
Letters of Attorney to receive rents.
Water Bailiff of Sunderland's Patent.
An Order upon Mr. Machon, Master of Sherburn Hospital.
2 Grants of Amerciaments at Allerton.
Grant of Lands at Shotton.
An old Quietus out of the Exchequer.
An Abstract of Confirmations of Patents, old.
Copy of an old Lease of the Royalties at Lanchester, to Mr. Nicholas Conyers.

In the Box Letter T.

Sir Arthur Haslerig's Rental.
West Auckland rentals, and other Papers relating to Sir Robt Eden's rent.
An old Lease from Bishop Matthews to Mr. Francis Lascells, of the Borough of Allerton.
The Condition of a Coroner's Bond.
Copies of Mr. Baker's Patent of Cursitor, and Mr. Stephenson's of Clerk of the Crown.
Case, Bishop of Durham, Appellant, Sir Henry Liddell, Respondent.
Mr. Carr's and Mr. Baxter's Agreement about the Rent of their Estates at Boldon.
Mr. Spearman's surrender of a Lease of Land at Bishop Middleham.

In the Box Letter V.

Late Certificates of the Clerk of the Peace of Fines at the Sessions.

In the Box Letter U.

Exchequers Bailiffs Books of Rents, Arrear Books, and some other Evidences of Payments.

In the Box Letter W.

Several Rolls of Accounts for Durham, Howdenshire, and Allerton, and Rolls of Extracts of Fines for Allertonshire.
3 of the Rolls for the County of Durham, one of them in Cardinal Wolsey's time.

In the Box Letter X.

Old cancelled Leases, Halmote Court Extracts, and some other useless Papers.

In the Box Letter Y.

Two Rentals of the Bishoprick, one in 1722, the other 1730.
A Book of Arrears.
A Bundle of Auditors Charges upon the Receiver.
A Bundle of Papers containing an Account of Rents returned in Arrear, and of Arrears of Rents received.
A Copy of a Decree against the Tenants of Moor Close, 3d of April 1637.

In the Box Letter Z.

A Bundle of Howdenshire Transumpts.
Another Bundle of Allertonshire Transumpts.
2 Books of Rentals, Allertonshire, one a° 1728, another 1735.
Another old one, (vizt,) a° 1618; another Rental.
Copy of Mr. Turner's Letter to Layton Frewen, Esqr, about Winton Ings.

In the Box No. 1.

Several Rentals of Allertonshire.
A Court Roll for Allertonshire, a° 1635.
A Commission of Peace for Allertonshire, granted by Bishop Nevill.
A Court Roll in Bishop Morton's time.
A Copy of Allerton Survey, Tenants Answers, and some Rentals, in a bundle, tied up.
Allertonshire Papers.

In the Boxes Nos. 2, 3.

The Seal and Receivers Acquitances.

In the Box No. 4.

Two Books of Patents.

In the Box No. 5. *Empty.*

In the Boxes Nos. 6, 7.

Old Rolls and Rentals.

In the Box No. 8.

Receivers Rentals for 1721, 1726, and 1728.
5 Rentals of the Coroner of Chester Ward, three of them ancient.
Some Extract Books of Fines in the Halmote Court.
A Rental, 1736, and Returns for Bishop Auckland, a° 1719, 1720, and 1721, and other years.
2 Rentals of Coroner of Stockton Ward, and one of the Bailiff of Bishop Middleham.
An old Rental Book.
Two Alphabet Books of the Counterparts of Leases.

In the Box No. 9.

Harrison and others Declaration of Trust for the Six Houses in Bishop Auckland.
An Account of what Writs went out of the Cursitor's Office a° 1672.
A Note of Auditors Rolls, many of them were stole when the office was made a gaol.
A Copy of Toby Knowles's Letter to the Bishop's Tenants to pay their Rents to the Scotch Army.
Several Books of Arrears, and Exchequer Bailiffs Accounts of Rec^ts^.
Petitions.
12 Register Books, and a 13th now in use.
Several Bundles of Counterparts of Leases.

In the presses:
Rentals.

In the low press or cupboard, Transumpts.

Appendix No. 4.

Roll of 18 Membs. made up now in Exchequer fashion, but formerly in the Chancery Mode.

Memb. I.

A Catholoque or Inventorie indented of all the Rolls and Recordes remayneing w^th^in the Chancerie Office of Duresme in the custodie of John Richardson, Esquire, Keeper of the said Rolls, and of all other the Recordes of the said Court of Chauncerie, and other the Courtes of the Right Reverend Father in God Richard Lord Buschopp of Duresme, belonging to the County Palatyne of Duresme, taken the nineteenth, twentyeth, one and twentyeth, two and twentyeth, and three and twentyeth daies of Januarie, in the year of o^r^ Lord God one thousand six hundred and eighteenth, annoq, Regni d̄ni nr̄i Regis Jacobi nunc Anglie, &c., sextodecimo, et translacōis dc̄i d̄ni Ep̄i año sc̄do.

In the second presse next the doore:—

One pchment manuscript book in folio, in the time of Bushopp Hatfeld, touchinge the Halmott Courte and other Remembraunces, conteyninge folio 307.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, in the tyme of Walter Skirleye Busshopp, conteyning the Acte of Halmott Courte and other Remembrauncee of freeholders, conteyning folio 496.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, in the time of Walter Skirleye and Thomas Langley Busshoppe towching Halmott Courte, and other Remembrauncee of freeholders, conteyning folio 1350.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, in the tyme of Robt Nevile, Busshopp, touching Halmott Courte, and other Remembrauncee of the freeholders, conteyninge folio 807.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, in the tyme of Laurence Bothe et sede vacante, touching Halmott Courte and other Remembraunces of the freeholders, conteyning folio 608.

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One other pchment booke of manuscripte in folio, in the tyme of William Dudley Busshopp, touching Halmott Courte and other Remembraunce of freeholders, conteyning folio 119.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, in the tyme of John Sherwood Busshopp, towching Halmott Courte, and other Remembraunce of freeholders, conteyning folio 179.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, in the tyme of Richard Fox Busshopp, touching Halmott Courte, &c., conteyning folio 392.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, in the tyme of William Busshopp, touching Halmott Courte, &c., conteyning folio 266.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, in the tyme of Christofer Bainbridge and Thomas Ruthall, touching the Halmott Courte, &c., conteyning folio 547.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, in the tyme of Thomas Wolsey Cardinale Busshopp, touching Halmott Courte, &c. conteyning folio 171.

One other pchment booke of manuscripte in folio, in the tyme of Cuthbert Tunstall Busshopp, touching Halmott Courte, &c., conteyning folio 1032.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, tempore Eliz. Regine existeñ, in the tyme of James Pilkington and Richard Barnes Busshopps, in 30 anñ Eliz. exclusive, touching Halmott Courte, &c., conteyning folio 1068.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, tempore Eliz. Regine, existeñ in the tyme of Mathew Hutton and Tobye Mathew Busshopps, touching Halmott Courte, &c., conteyning folio 372.

One other pchment manuscript booke in folio, tempore Eliz. Regine and Jacobi Regis existeñ, in the tyme of Tobye Mathew and William James Busshoppe, touching Halmott Courte, &c., conteyning folio 350.

Five Halmott bookes in pchment manuscript, annis 10, 11, 12, Jac. Regis, in the tyme of William James Busshopp, conteyning folio .

In the lowest presse next the dooer :—

1 One Halmott paper booke anno 4 Cuthbti Epi.
2. One other Halmott paper booke a° 17 Eliz. usq.
3. One other Halmott paper booke ab a° xix. Cuthberti Epi usq. 7 Edři Sexti.
4. One other Halmott paper booke anno xxiij. Eliz.
5. One other Halmott paper booke ab a° Sept Cuthberti ad Cuthberti Epi exclusive.
6. One other Halmott paper booke ab a° sĉdo Cuthberti Epi usque ad annū 3 ejusdem Cuthberti Epi exclusive.
7. One other Halmott paper booke anno 14 Cuthberti Epi.
8. One other Halmott paper booke anno 30 Cuthberti Epi.
9. One other Halmott paper booke in annis 28 & 29 Cuthberti Epi.
10. One other Halmott paper booke in anno 21 Cuthberti Epi.
11. One other Halmott paper booke in annis 1 & 2 Eliz.
12. One other Halmott paper booke in annis 24 Eliz.
13. One other Halmott paper booke in a^is 11, 12, et 13 Eliz.
14. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 22 Eliz.
15. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 25 Eliz.
16. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 13 Cuthberti Epi.
17. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 6 Edw̄ 6^ti et 25 Cuthberti.
18. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 18 Cuth Epi.
19. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 20 Cuth Epi.
20. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 1° Cuth Epi.
21. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 5 Cuth Epi.
22. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 11 Cuth Epi.
23. One other Halmott paper booke a 20 & 21 Eliz.
24. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 25 Eliz.
25. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 29 Cuth Epi.
26. One other Halmott paper booke in a^nis 7, 8, & 9 Eliz.
27. One other Halmott paper booke in a^is 3, 4, 5, 6, et 7 Eliz.
28. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 13 Thō Epi.
29. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 15 Cuth Epi.
30. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 11 & 12 Thō. Ruthall.
31. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 26 Cuth Epi.
32. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 29 Cuth Epi.
33. One other Halmott paper booke in a^is 4, 5 et, 6, Thō Cardinalis.
34. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 16 Cuth Epi et 1mo Eliz.
35. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 20 Cuth Epi.
36. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 2 Thō Cardinalis.
37. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 14, 15, et 16 Eliz.
38. One other Halmott paper bcoke a° 8 Cuth Epi.
39. One other Halmott paper booke in a° 26 Cuth Epi.

1 Bundell of Commissions and Surrenders for Copihold Lands in Presse, conteyning in number 60 Commissions.

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Twelve Bundles of Paper Warrants for Halmott Courts extra Coim wch there are some commissions in pchment.
One Bundell of Writ of Allowance for Copiholders.
Fower Bundell of Warrants for Copihold Lands in paper.
Itē there is another Bundell for more.

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In the third presse next the doore :—

Paper Inquisicons before the Escheator in several Bundells, conteyning—
In the Bundell of the letter P, 18.
In the Bundell of the letters V et W, 16.
In the Bundell of the letter N, 5.
In the Bundell of the letter S, 15.
In the Bundell of the letter B, 28.
In the Bundell of the letter C et D, 6.
In the Bundell of the letter T, 11.
In the Bundell of the letter I, 5.
In the Bundell of the letter L, 7.
In the Bundell of the letter G, 11.
In the Bundell of the letter A, 3.
In the Bundell of the letter H, 24.
In the Bundell of the letter E, 8.
In the Bundell of the letter R, 7.
In the Bundell of the letter M, 17.
In the Bundell of the letter P, 22.

Other Inquisicons in paper in another devision of this presse not noted wth anie letter :—
In one Bundell (whereof are one parchment), 27.
In another Bundell, 28.
In another Bundell, 21.
In another Bundell, 35.
In another Bundell, 14.
Itē one other Bundell afterwards found.

Itm in third devision of this presse or cubboard w^thin a canvis bagg, intituled "Brevia e Cur apud Westm^r:—
One Bundell de Ter° Michas anno xij° Jac. Reg.
One other Bundell de Ter Hillar, xiii° Jac. Reg.
One other Bundell de Ter° Trinit, a° xv° Jac. Reg.
One other Bundell de a° 3 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de a° 7 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Hillar, a° 14 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de a^is 36, 37, 38, 39 Eliz. et at annis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Trinit, 16 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Hillar, a° 15 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de a° 9 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Pasche, a° 14 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Mich, a° 13 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de tempore Jacob Epi.
One other Bundell de a° 5° Jacob Regis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Hillar, a 12 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Michas, a° 16 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Pasche, a° 13 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de a° 4 Jacobi Regis.
One other Bundell de a° 5 Jacobi Regis.
One other Bundell de a° 7 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de a° 12 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Pasche, 15 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de tempore Eliz. Regine.
One other Bundell de Ter° Trinit, 15 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de a° 1° Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Michis, a° 15 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Michis, a° 14 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de tempore Eliz. Regine.
One other Bundell de Ter° Trinit, a° 14 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de a° 6 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell de Ter° Trinit, a° 12 Jac. Regis

In the same devision in another canvis bagg, intituled Bria de Distring p homagiis epis Dunelm. Bria de Diem clausit extremu et Mandamus, ac bundel p expens obligacon. Bria ad compend et psequend p felon. Scir fac p intrus commiss tempore Edri sexti ad

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inquirend post mortem Radi Comit de Westmland et aliis liberis tenentibus; being in all eight bundells.

In the hiest or fowerth presse next the doore; in one devision of that presse under the shelfe:—

One Bundell of Recognizance ad psequend ad assis, 3 Aug 1618, an 16 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell of Recognizance ad psequend ad assis, 11 Aug a° 15 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell of Recognizance ad psequend ad gaola deliber, 2° Martü, 15 Jacobi Regis.
One other Bundell of Recognizance ad psequend ad gaola deliber, 8 April anno 16 Jacobi Regis.
Seaven Bundells of Papers for Mustars.

In another devision of the same presse above the shelfe:—

One Bundell of Recognizaunce.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, 17 Feb a° 1600.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, a° 13 Eliz.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend ad assis, a° 1° Jacobi.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, a° 13 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, a° 38 Eliz.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, a° 39 Eliz.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, a° 10 Jac. Regis.

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Another Bundell of Recognizance ad psequend, a° 7 Jac. Regis.
One Bundell of Sessions businesses, 6 Aprilis, a° 39 Eliz., wherein the first is a rate of servante waiges.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, a° 13 Jac. Reg.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, a° 41 Eliz.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, a° 40 Eliz.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce, a° 45 Eliz.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend ad assess, 1613.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend ad assess, 36 Eliz.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend ad assess, a° 36 Eliz.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend ad assess, a° 12 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad compend, a° 1 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, a° 39 Eliz.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend ad assiss, a° 14 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 4 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, 1612.
Another Bundell of Recognizaunce ad psequend, 1604 et 1606.
One Bundell of Inditemente afferred & assessed by fynes att the Sessions.
One greate Bundell of Recognizance & other matters for the Sessions of the Peace.
One other Bundell of Orders for the Plague.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce.

In the second and middle devisions of that presse:—

One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, 1° Aug a° 12 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend ad assiss, 1616.
One other Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 10 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend ad assiss, a° 42 Eliz.
One other Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend ad assiss, 40 Eliz.
One other Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend ad assiss, a° 38 Eliz.
One other Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 1604.
One other Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend.
One other Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 45 Eliz.
One other Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 1601.
One other Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 16 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a^is 19 et 20 Eliz.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce forfeited, a^is 21, 22, et 23 Eliz.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 40 Eliz.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 1615.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 19 Eliz.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 44 Eliz.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 1606.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 40 Eliz.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 37 Eliz.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 1613.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 8 Jac. Regis.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 39 Eliz.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 1602.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 1617.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad copend, a° 15 Jac. Regis.

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One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend, a° 1602.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend, a° 13 Jac. Regis.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend, a° 15 Jac. Regis.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend, a° 1618.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend, a° 1 Jac. Regis.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend, a° 38 Eliz.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend, a° 41 Eliz.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend, a° 37 Eliz.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend, a 3 Jac. Regis.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend.
One Bundell of Recognizaunce ad cōpend, a° 1614.

In the last devision of the same presse, conteyning onlie exaicons and informacons:—

One Bundell, in anno 1612.
Another, in anno 1615.
Another, in anno 1599.
Another, in anno 1618.
Another, in anno 1615.
Another, in anno 1612.
Another, in anno 1618.
Another, in anno 1612.
Another, in anno 1609.
Another, in anno 1605.
Another, in anno 1612.
Another, in annis 1616 and 1617.
Another, in anno 1598.
Another, in anno 1603.
Another, in anno 1603.
Another, in anno 1602.
Another, in anno 1598.
Another, in anno 1592.
Another, in anno 1606.
Another, in anno 1612.
Another, in anno 1599.
Another, in anno 1603.
Another, in anno 1598.

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Another, in anno 1607.
Another, in anno 1607.
Another, in anno 1603.
Another, in anno 25 Eliz et al bria.
Another, in anno 1600.
Another, in anno 1617.
Another, in anno 1587.
Another, in anno 30 Eliz.
Another, in anno 1607.
Another, in anno 1606.
Another, in annis 1614 et 1615.
Another, in anno 35 Eliz.
Another, in anno 1616.
Another, in anno 38 Eliz.
Another, in anno 1602.
Another, in anno 1615.
Another, in anno 1603.
Another grete Bundell of old Informacons.
Another, in anno 1610.
Another grete Bundell, in a° 25 Eliz. et al annis.
Another, in anno 1604.
Another, in anno 1612.
Another, in anno 1616.
Another, in anno 1602.
Another, in anno 1600.
Another, in anno 1608.
Another, in anno 1597.
Another, in anno 1607.
Another, in anno 1603.
Another, in anno 1616.
Another, in anno 1595.
Another, in anno 1600.
Another, in anno 1597.
Another, in anno 1595.
Another, in anno 1604.
Another, in anno 1603.
Another, in anno 1610.
Another, in anno 1604.
Another little Bundell, towching John Huespeth death.

In the second cubbord and hiest devision next the doore:—

Plea Rolls, and Rolls of Gaile Delivie above the shelfe.
In anno 18 Cuthbti Tunstall Epi, conteyning 3 Rolls.
In anno 6 Edri. 6., conteyning 5 Rolls.
In anno 5 Edri 6., conteyning 6 Rolls.
In anno 2 Edri 6., conteyning 4 Rolls.
Old Plea Rolls tempe Richi Epi, in a litle Bundell on the same shelfe.
In anno primo Cuthbti Tunstall Epi, 3 Rolls.
In anno 11 Epi Tunstall, 3 Rolls.
In anno 29 Henrici 8., 2 Rolls.
In anno 23 Henrici 8., 2 Rolls.
In anno 38 Henrici 8., 6 Rolls.
In anno 23 Henrici 8., 3 Rolls.
In anno 28 Henrici 8., 2 Rolls.
In anno 36 Henrici 8., 4 Rolls.
In anno 21 Henrici 8, 2 Rolls.
In anno 22 Henrici 8., 3 Rolls.
In anno 29 Henrici 8., 2 Rolls.
In anno 24 Henrici 8., 4 Rolls.
In anno 31 Henrici 8., 3 Rolls.
In anno 30 Henrici 8., 2 Rolls.

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In anno 37 Henrici 8., 4 Rolls.
In anno 21 Henrici 8., 3 Rolls.
In anno 23 Henrici 8., 3 Rolls.
In anno 31 Henrici 8., 1 Roll.
In anno 32 Henrici 8., 3 Rolls.
In anno 14 Cuth[i] Tunstall Epi, 3 Rolls.
In anno 26 Henrici 8., 3 Rolls.
In anno 27 Henrici 8., 4 Rolls.
In anno 37 Henrici 8., 3 Rolls.
In anno 28 Henrici 8., 2 Rolls.

Another Bundell of Plea Rolls, tempore Phillippi et Marie, on the same shelfe :—

In annis 3 et 4, conteyning 4 Rolls.
In annis 4 et 5, conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno primo Marie, 2 Rolls.
In annis 4 et 5, conteyning 4 Rolls.
In annis 1 et 2, conteyning 7 Rolls.
In annis 5 et 6, conteyning 3 Rolls.
In annis 2 et 3, conteyning 4 Rolls.
In annis 3 et 4, conteyning 4 Rolls.

Another Bundell of Plea Rolls, tempore Henrici 8. et Thome Ruthall Epi, on the same shelfe :—

In anno 14 Henrici 8., conteyning 3 Rolls.
In anno 4 Henrici 8., conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno 17 Henrici 8., conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno 1 Henrici 8., conteyning 5 Rolls.
In anno 8 Henrici 8., conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno 10 Henrici 8., conteyning 3 Rolls.
In anno 3 Henrici 8., conteyning 2 Rolls.
In anno 20 Henrici 8., conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno 6 Henrici 8., conteyning 7 Rolls.
In anno 17 Henrici 8., conteyning 6 Rolls.
In anno 10 Henrici 8., conteyning 2 Rolls.
In anno 5 Henrici 8., conteyning 5 Rolls.
In anno 15 Henrici 8., conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno 9 Henrici 8., conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno 11 Henrici 8., conteyning 3 Rolls.
In anno 20 Henrici 8., conteyning 5 Rolls
In anno 25 Henrici 8., conteyning 3 Rolls.
In anno 5 Henrici 8., conteyning 2 Rolls.
In anno 10 Henrici 8., conteyning 5 Rolls.
In anno 18 Henrici 8., conteyning 5 Rolls.

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In anno 19 Henrici 8., conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno 2 Henrici 8., conteyning 6 Rolls.
In anno 5 Henrici 8., conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno 10 Henrici 8., conteyning 7 Rolls.
In anno 8 Henrici 8., conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno 7 Henrici 8., conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno 2 Henrici 8., conteyning 5 Rolls.
In anno 13 Henrici 8., conteyning 4 Rolls.
In anno 10 Henrici 8., conteyning 3 Rolls.
In anno 13 Henrici 8., conteyning 7 Rolls.
In anno 11 Henrici 8., conteyning 3 Rolls.
In anno 19 Henrici 8., conteyning 8 Rolls.
In anno 12 Henrici 8., conteyning 5 Rolls.

Under the shelfe in that devision, Bundells of Plees :—

A Recoverie, tempore Johis Epi.
A Roll of Plees, tempore Lodovici Epi.
A Roll of Plees, a° 33 Henrici 6.
A Bundell of Plees, tempore Henrici 7., conteyning 20 Rolls.
A Bundell of Plees, tempe Robti Nevile Epi, conteyning 7 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Thome Langley Epi, conteyning 10 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Thome Langley Epi, conteyning 10 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Johis Epi, conteyning 19 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Henrici 7., conteyning 15 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Thome Epi, conteyning 7 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Richi Epi, conteyning 18 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Thome Epi, conteyning 5 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Richi Burye, conteyning 5 Rolls.

Another Bundell, tempore Thome Epi, conteyning 18 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Walteri Epi, conteyning 9 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Walteri Epi, conteyning 10 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Walteri Epi, conteyning 6 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Thome Epi, conteyning 10 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Richi Burye Epi, conteyning 6 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Richi Burye Epi, conteyning 2 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Richi Burye Epi, conteyning 2 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Thõ Hatfield Epi, conteyning 8 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Thome Epi, conteyning 23 Rolls.
Another Bundell, tempore Richi Fox Epi, conteyning 14 Rolls.
Extract finium tempore Walteri Epi.
A Bundell of Plees and Writę filed tempore Walteri Epi.
A Bundell of Plees, tempore Thõ Hatfield Epi, conteyning 7 Rolls.
Another Plea, tempore Richi Burie Epi.
Another Bundell, tempore Lodovici Epi, conteyning 10 Rolls.

In the second division of that presse.—In a canvis bagg in the same presse :—

Bria cum pannellis in sepalibus filaciis, in annis 44, 43, 42, 41, 40, 39, 38, 37, 36, 35, 33, 32, 31, 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, 25, 24, 23, et 22 regni Eliz. Regine.

Bria cum pannellis in uno bundello, in annis 21, 20, 18, 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 6, et 5 ejusdem Regine ; all wthin a canvis bagg, vizt :—Tempore Eliz. Regine 25, 31, 26, 23, 32, 30, 22, 27, 24, 29, 28, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 37, 38, 39, 43, 44, 40, 42, 33, 41, 35, et 36 ; being in all 21 Bundells.

In another bagg there.

Bria coia plitorū in sepalibus bundellis, in annis 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, et 16 regni Jacobi Regis, wthin another canvis bagg tempore Jacobi Regis 2, 6, 11, 4, 10, 7, 3, 9, 8, 1, 5, 13, 14, 15, et 16 ; a Bundell indorsed thus: Bria retorñ a° Regis Jac. 12° ; another Bundell a° 12 Jac. Regis ; being in 16 Bundells.

In another bagg there.

Bria coia plitor in sepalibus bundellis, annis 45, 44, 43, 42, 41, 40, 39, 38, 37, 36, 35, 34, 33, 32, 31, 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, 25, 24, 23, 22 regni Eliz. regine.

Bria com in uno Bundello, in annis 21, 20, 19, 18, 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 11, 9, 8, 7, 5, 4, et 3 ejusdem Regine.

One Bundell of Writę of False Judgmenę.

In another bagg there.

Bria cum pannellis in sepalibus Bundellis, annis 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, et 12 regni Jac. Regis, et annis, 13, 14, 15, et 16.

A Bundell of blank Pannells.

Bundells of paper Plees in the same presse.

One Bundell in a° Dñi 1611.
One other Bundell in a° 12 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell in a° Dñi 1614.
One other Bundell in a° 9 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell in annis 5 et 6 Jac. Regis.
One other Bundell in a° 11 Jac. Regis.
A Booke of Rules in anno 26 Eliz.
Another Book of Rules in anno 39 Eliz.
Another Bundell of paper Plees in a° 12 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in annis 3 et 4 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in anno Dñi 1607.
Another Bundell in a° 8 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a° Dñi 1613.
Another Bundell in a° 4 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a° 9 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a° 6 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a° Dñi 1612.
Another Bundell in a° 9 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a° 8 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a° 3 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a° 15 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a^{is} 14 et 15 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a° 14 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a^{is} 14 et 15 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a° Dñi 1615.
Another Bundell in a° 14 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell in a^{is} 15 et 16 Jac. Regis.

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In the second presse in the same cubbord, and in the devision next the doore :
Plea Rolls in pchment and matters thereto belonging.
A paper Bundell of Bills and Expenss tempore Jac. Regis.
Bayles upon Writte and Warrante of Attorney.
Another paper Bundell of Bills of Costs, tempore Jac. Regis.
A Bundell of Bills of Expenss in paper, tempore Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell of paper Bills of Coste, 14 et 15 Jac. Regis.
Another Bundell of paper Bills of Coste, tempore Jac. Regis.
A Bundell of Notes of Remembrauncę Cur̃ plitor̃, tempore Eliz. et Jac. Regis.
A Bundell of Bills of Cost, anno 15 Jac. Regis.
A paper Booke of Rules, tempe Eliz. ab a° 35 usq, ad 39.
Another paper Booke of Rules, tempore Thõ Card̃, Epi.

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Another paper Booke of Rules, ab a° 43 Eliz. usq, ad anñ 3 Jac. Reg̃.
Another Booke of Rules, ab anno 36 Eliz. usq, ad 43 Eliz.
Another Booke of Rules, ab a° 3 Jac. Regis ad 7 Jac. Regis.
Another Booke of Rules, ab a° 8 Jac. usq, ad 10 Jac. Regis.
Another Booke of Rules, ab a 11 Jac. Regis usq, ad 13 Jac. Regis.
Another Booke of Rules, ab a° 13 usq, ad 16 Jac. Regis.

Plea Rolls in pchment and Rolls of Gaole Delivie, tempe Eliz. Reg̃.

In anno 10 Eliz., 1 Bundell, 7 Rolls.
In a° 18 Eliz., 1 Bundell, 5 Rolls.
In anno 20 Eliz., 1 Bundell, 13 Rolls.
In anno 21 Eliz., 1 Bundell, 9 Rolls
In anno 25 Eliz., 1 Bundell, 9 Rolls.
In anno 30 Eliz., 1 Bundell, 3 Rolls.
In anno 21 Eliz. 1 Roll.
In anno 27 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 3 Rolls.
In anno 24 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 6 Rolls.
In anno 27 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 4 Rolls.
In anno 29 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 1 Roll.
In anno 1 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 3 Rolls.
In anno 1 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 2 Rolls.
In anno 6 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 6 Rolls.
In anno 4 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 5 Rolls.
In anno 8 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 6 Rolls.
In anno 8 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 6 Rolls.
In anno 9 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 7 Rolls.
In anno 2 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 3 Rolls.
In anno 5 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 9 Rolls.
In anno 9 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 4 Rolls.
In anno 3 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 2 Rolls.
In anno 4 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 9 Rolls.
In anno 16 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 2 Rolls.
In anno 18 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 5 Rolls.
In anno 11 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 7 Rolls.
In anno 13 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 4 Rolls.
In anno 14 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 5 Rolls.
In anno 17 Eliz. 1 Bundel, 5 Rolls.
In anno 15 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 7 Rolls.
In anno 12 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 3 Rolls.
In anno 16 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 8 Rolls.
In anno 28 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 7 Rolls.
In anno 38 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 19 Rolls.
In anno 33 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 25 Rolls.
In anno 40 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 19 Rolls.
In anno 44 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 34 Rolls.
In anno 30 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 9 Rolls.
In anno 42 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 36 Rolls.
In annis 35 et 36 Eliz., 1 Bundell, 26 Rolls.
In anno 41 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 45 Rolls.
In anno 43 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 44 Rolls.
In anno 21 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 2 Rolls.
In anno 39 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 18 Rolls.
In anno 37 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 16 Rolls.
In anno 23 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 8 Rolls.
In anno 24 Eliz. 1 Bundell, 3 Rolls

In th'other devision of that second presse Close Rolls of Plees :—

In annis 45 Eliz. et 1 Jac. 1 Bundell, 21 Rolls.
In annis 2 et 3 Jac. Reg̃ 1 Bundell, 25 Rolls.
In annis 12 et 13 Jac. Reg̃ 4 Bundell, 37 Rolls.
In anno 7 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 29 Rolls.
In anno 12 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 40 Rolls.
In annis 8 et 9 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 33 Rolls,
In annis 5 et 6 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 31 Rolls.
In annis 1 et 2 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 25 Rolls.
In annis 9 et 10 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 34 Rolls.
In annis 3 et 4 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 43 Rolls.
In annis 10 et 11 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 38 Rolls.
In annis 13 et 14 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 45 Rolls.
In anno 6 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 43 Rolls.
In annis 15 et 16 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 40 Rolls.
In annis 14 et 15 Jac. Ry, 1 Bundell, 45 Rolls.

In the third presse of the second cubbord, Close Rolls of the Chauncerie.

	Infra Rot.	In dors. Rot.
One Roll tempore Robti Nevill Epi, p 6 primis annis. Lra B. Infra Rotul 98 ; in dors Rotuli 72 - - - - - - - -	98	72
One Roll tempore Robti Nevill Epi, ab a° 18 et 19 ; Lra D - -	26	–
One Roll tempore Robti Nevill, ab a° 6 usq, ad 10, cum nota ✠ -	86	–

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	Infra Rot.	In dors. Rot.
One Roll tempore Robti Nevill Epi, ab a° 11 usq, ad anñ 17. Lra M -	131	–
One Roll Sede vacante post mortem Thome Langley Epi, Robti Nevill incipien, ab a° 1 usq, ad anñ sext. Lra A - - - - - -	134	–
One Roll tempore Robti Nevill, ab anno 12 usq, ad ann. cum łris AA -	39	27
One Roll tempore Cardinalis Epi, ab a° 1° usq, ad ann 6. Lra A -	111	0
One Roll tempore Card Epi, ab ann. 1 usq, ad ann. 7. Lra B -	40	28
One Bundell tempore Richi Fox Epi, ab ann. 1 usq, ann. sept. Lra A	131	–
One Bundell tempore Richi Fox Epi, ab ann. 1 usq, ad ann. 2. Lra M.	29	–
One Bundell tempore Richi Fox Epi, ab ann. 1 usq, ad ann. sept.; Lra D - - - - - - - - - - - - -	88	31
One Roll tempore Cuth Tunstall Epi, ab a° 1 usq, ad ann. 29. Lra M	48	–
One Roll tempore Cuth Tunstall Epi, ab a 18 usq, ad ann. 21. Lra B	118	–
One Roll tempore Cuthbti Tunstall Epi, a° 22. Lra E - - -	1	–
One Roll tempore Cuthbti Tunstall Epi, a° 19, of Corporacons in his tyme and other Bpps - - - - - - - - - - -	3	–
One Roll tempore Cuth Epi, ab anno 8 usq, ad ann. 27. Lra F - -	40	–
Rotulus exemplificaconū testim expte dni Lumley, tempore Cuth Tunstall Epi. Lra A. - - - - - - - - - -		
One Roll tempore Cuth Epi, ab ann. 1 usq, ad ann. 25, łra G, et tempore Philippi et Marie - - - - - - - - -	119	110
One Roll tempore Laurentii Boothe Epi, ab an. 1 usq, ad ann. 17 Lra M - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	152	3
One other Roll tempore Laurentii Epi, ab a° 18 usq, ad ann. 19. Lra G	9	3
One Roll tempore Laurentii, ab a° 11 usq, ad ann. 19. Lra A - -	91	–
One Roll tempore Laurencii Epi, ab a° 1 usq, ad ann. 11. Lras MM -	111	–
One Roll tempore Tho. Langley Epi, ab a 1 usq, ad ann. 15. Lra B	65	6
One Roll tempore Tho. Langley Epi, ab a° 15 usq, ad ann. 24. Lra E	88	72
One Roll tempore Tho. Langley Epi, a° 27. Lris BB - - -	1	–
One Roll tempore Tho. Langley Epi, ab a° 1 usq, ad ann. 9. Lra A -	66	26
One Roll tempore Tho. Langley Epi, ab a° 24 usq, ad ann. 32. Lra D	36	38
One Roll tempore Tho. Langley Epi, ab a° 24 usq, ad ann. 32. Lra E	70	–
One Roll tempore Tho. Langley Epi, a° 27. Lra F - - - -	1	–
One Roll tempore Tho. Ruthall Epi, ab ann. 1 usq, ad ann. 14. Lra A	110	
One Roll tempore Henrici 8, Sede vacante. Lra B - - - - -	21	7
One Roll tempore Tho. Ruthall et Tho. Card Epor ab ann. 1 usq, 14. Lra C - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	88	91
One Roll tempore Jac. Pilkington, ab a° 1 usq, ad ann. 10. Lra G. -	29	–
One Roll tempore ejusdem Epi, ab a° 1 usq, ad ann. 7. Lra M - -	24	42
One Roll tempore Richi Barnes Epi, ab ann. 1° usq, ad ann. 10. Lra F	62	–
One Roll tempore ejusdem Epi, de homagiis a° scdo. Lra E - -	22	–
One Roll Sede vacante post mortem Jac. Pilkington Epi, a° 18 Reg. Lra C - - - - - - - - - - - - -	9	–
One Roll tempore Tho. Hatfield Epi, ab an. 1° usq, ad ann. 19. Lra A - - - - - - - - - - - - -	16	Schedule.
One Roll tempore Tho. Hatfield Epi, a° 26. Lra B - - -	12	Schedule.
One Roll tempore Xpoferi Bainbrig Epi, a° 1. Lra A - - -	8	7
One Roll tempore ejusdem Epi, a° 1. Lra B - - - - - -	96	–
One Roll tempore Mathei Hutton Epi, ab a° 1 usq, ad ann. 6. Lra A	65	18
One Roll tempore ejusdem Epi, e Cur Westm. Lra F - - -	–	–
One Roll tempore ejusdem Epi, sursum reddicoes p Whickha Lra I -	–	–
One Roll tempore ejusdem Epi, Recogn forisfact. Lra B - - -	–	–
One Roll tempore ejusdem Epi, Recogn p pecuniar smis, łra M, continen in numero 19 - - - - - - - - - - -	4	Sched.
One Roll tempore ejusdem Epi, Recogn forisfact. Lra C - - -		
One Roll tempore Johis Sherwood Epi, ab ann. 1° ad ann. 8. Lra A -	71	61
One Roll tempore Johis Sherwood Epi, ab ann. 1 usq, ad ann. pd. Lra H - - - - - - - - - - - - -	6	–
One Roll tempore ejusdem Epi, ab a° 1° usq, ad ann. 8. Lra B - -	31	–
One Roll tempore Johis Fordham Epi, ab ann. 1 usq, ad ann. vijm. Lra M - - - - - - - - - - - - -	10	Sch.
One Roll tempore Wilłmi Dudley Epi, ab ann. 1 usq, ad ann. 8. Lra A	97	–
One Roll tempore ejusdem Epi, ab ann. 1 usque ad ann. 8. Lra B -	72	–
One Roll tempore Wilłmi Severe Epi, et Sede vacante post Dudley Epi, ab ann. 1 usq, ad ann. 3. Lra A - - - - - -	87	–
One Roll tempore Richi Burie Epi, Recogn et alia irrotulamenta, ab anno primo usq, ad ann. Lra A - - - - - - - -	20	Sched.
One Roll tempore Walteri Skerley Epi, ab ann. 1° usq, ad ann. 7. Lris AA - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	109	37
One Roll tempore Henrici Epi, Sede vacante pt mortem Xpoferi Bainbrig, a° xx. R pd usq 23. Lris DD - - - - - - -	15	–

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	Infra Rot.	In dors. Rot.
One Roll tempore ꝑdict annoq; R̃ ꝑd, et tempore Wmi Dudley Eꝑi, aº 3. Lra A - - - - - - - - - - - -	35	3
One Roll tempore Henrici p vacacoe ꝑd, aº 20. Lra D - - -	12	16
One Roll tempore et vacacoe ꝑd, aº 8 R̃ ꝑd. Lra G - - - -	30	17
One Roll tempore Tobie Mathew Eꝑi, ab aº 1 usq; ad ann 8. Lra A -	100	62
One Roll tempore ejusd Eꝑi, ab aº 8 usq; ad 11. Lra B - - -	54	20
Rotulus primus tempore Willmi James Eꝑi, ab ann. 1 usq; ad ann. 7 -	193	57
Rotulus scdus tempore ejusd Eꝑi, ab an. 1 usq; ad ann. 8 - - -	106	22
Rotulus tertius tempore ejusd Eꝑi, ab an. 4 usq; ad ann. 11 - -	87	16
Rotulus quartus in annis 10, 11 ejusd Eꝑi - - - - - -	68	4
Rotulus travsarū inquiscionū tempore ejusd Eꝑi - - - -	4	–
Rotulus recogñ forisfact tempore ejusd Eꝑi - - - - - -	27	10
A new Roll, Sede vacante post mortem Willmi James Eꝑi - -	34	4
A greate Bundell of Deede and Indentures inrolled in the Queene's tyme, and before intituled in Mr. Richardsone's alphabet - -	120	–
And also a Deed betweene William Hilton Knight and Richard Frankland and William Watson, for Lande in Barmston - -		
Another Bundell of Deede inrolled in Quene Eliz. tyme, King Phillipp, Queene Marie, and Edward the Sixth, conteyning in nūber - -	33	–

In the lowest roome of the said cubbord:—

A Bundell of old† Affidavite and Bills of Costs in the Chancerie.
Another Bundell of olde Comissions for the Peace.
A Bundell of Scir. fac. upon Recognizaunce forfeited and for alienacions.
A Bundell of Significavite de excõicat capiend.
A Bundell of old London Writte.
A Bundell of old Comissions of Assise.
A Bundell of old Graunte, Leases, and ꝑvie Seales for pdons of alienacons.
A Bundell of old Bonde by the Sheriffe.
A Bundell of Inquisitions upon Extente.
A Bundell of old Comissions, Subsidies of Aliance.
Plita Cur Com Dunelm.
A Bundell of Pcees of contempt and Comissions for answers in the Chancerie Exgente from London.
A Bundell of old Bonde by the Sheriffe.
Certioraries for Indictemente.
Comissions for Gaole Delivie.

In a box wth 6 holes in the same cubbord:—

An Indenture for the Custodie of the Castle of Norham, in French.
A Graunt of the Custodie of the Castle of Norham, in Latin.
A Comission to inquire of French Denisines wthin the Bppricke of Durham.
A Note of the Gaole Delivie att Neucastle.
A Comission of Survey, by Busshopp Tobye.
Another Comission of Survey of Busshopp Tobye.
A Comission for the Gaole Delivie by the Busshopp of Durham.
A Commission of Peace, by the Busshopp of Durham.
A Writ of Restitucon to Thomas Langley by King Henrie.
Another Writ of Restitucon to the same Thomas Langley.
A Comission of Survey in Howdonshire & Allertonshire, by William James late Busshopp of Durham.
Another Comission for the Survey wthin the Busshoppricke of Durham by the said te Busshopp of Durham.
A Lease of lead ure in Wardaile.
A Bull from the Pope for the Busshopp of Durham.
The Pope's dispensacon for Excõicacon.
The Counsells letters of Comission from Geneva.
Dyvers copies & graunte from dyvers Kinge to the Lord Busshopp of Durham.
A special pardon for Richard Graives.
A special pardon for Eden Maxwell.
A special pardon for Anthonie Comyn.
A special pardon for Thomas Tripp and Peter Coppin.
A special pardon for John Awd.
Five graunte or leases of the Burrowe of Durham.
A speciall pardon for Richard Brantingham.
Pannella ad inquirend p attinctur Periman Menvell.
A graunt by Busshopp Lewes for the Vicaridge of Leeke (?)

In the third presse in the hiest roome, in a canvis bag, intituled:—

Fin concord cor Nichao Powtree, Joh Hind, & Edmundo Mullinax, Will Daliston, Edro Sanders, Richo Harper, Xpo Wrey, Joh Welsh, Robto Shutt Catline, Willo Rastell, et Willo Cooke, et cor comissionariis, et recupac cor eisd.

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One Bundell of fines concord cor Xpo Wrey judice.
One Bundell of fines concord cor Witto Rastell judice.
One Bundell of fines concord cora Shutt & Catlyn judicibz.
One Bundell of Recovies cor Comiss et Nicho Powtrell et Richo Harper, Xpo Wrey, Edmund Mulinax, Witto Cooke, Withmo Dalison, Witto Rastell, Johi Welsh, et Edro Sanders judicibus.

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Fines concord cor Johi Welsh judice.
Fines concord cor Nicho Powtrell judice.
Fines concord cor Johe Hind et Edro Mobrey.
Bria de ingressu tempore Henrici 8.
Bria de convencoe tempore Phillippi & Marie.
Fines concord cor Witto Cooke milit.
Bria de ingressu tempore Phillippi & Marie.
One Bundell of fines concord cor comiss et al.
One Bundell of fines concord cor Edri Sander judice.
One Bundell of fines concord cor Witto Dalison judice.
One Bundell of fines concord cor Richo Harper judice.
One Bundell of bria de convencon tempore Hen. 8.
One Bundell of bria de convencon tempore Edri 6. et bria de ingressu.
One Bundell Coia bria et bria allocaconu p surs reddiconibz.
One litle Bundell of bria convencon tempore M. Regine.
One Bundell of bria de ingressu tempore ejusd Rne.

In another canvis bagg in the same cubbord, three, intituled Bria de convencoibz tempore Eliz. Reg.

One Bundell, 6 Aug. in a° 42 Eliz.
One Bundell, anno 24 Eliz.
One Bundell, anno 27 Eliz.
One Bundell, anno 20 Eliz.
One Bundell, anno 21 Eliz.

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Another Bundell, 4 Sept., anno 40 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 39 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 38 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 26 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 18 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 32 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 11 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 23 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 25 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 22 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in annis 1, 2, 3, et 4 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 24 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 22 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in annis 35 et 36 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in a° 5 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 31 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 28 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 10 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 6 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 7 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 9 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 14 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 13 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 34 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 17 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 18 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 37 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 44 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 16 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in annis 29 et 30 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 35 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 19 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 33 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 12 Eliz.
Another Bundell, in anno 8 Eliz.

In another canvis bagg there, intituled Bria de Convencon tempore Jacobi:— D.D. Mr. Wright.

One Bundell, 8 Aug. anno 12 Jac. Regis.
One Bundell, 15 Julij, anno 9 Jac. Regis.
One Bundell, 3 Julij, anno 8 Jac. Regis.
One Bundell, annis 13 et 14 Jac. R.
One Bundell, an. 16 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 6 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 7 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 2 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 5 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 3 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 10 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 15 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 11 Jac. R.

In another canvis bagg there, intituled Bria de ingressu tempore Eliz. Regine:— D.D. Mr. Wright.

One Bundell, anno 41 Eliz.
One Bundell, ab anno 10 Eliz. usq, ad 35 exclusive.
One Bundell, 40 Eliz.
One Bundell, anno 44 Eliz.
One Bundell, anno 7 Eliz.
One Bundell, anno 38 Eliz.
One Bundell, annis 36 et 37 Eliz.
One Bundell, annis 1, 2, 3, et 4 Eliz.
One Bundell, annis 5 et 6 Eliz.
One Bundell, anno 9 Eliz.
One Bundell, anno 42 Eliz.
One Bundell, anno 8 Eliz.
One Bundell, anno 39 Eliz.

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In another canvis bagg there, intituled Bria de ingressu & recupacoib3 tempore Jacobi Regis :—

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One Bundell, anno 8 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 15 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 12 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 16 Jac. R.

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One Bundell, annis 13 et 14 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 11 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 9 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 6 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 7 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 10 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 1 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 2 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 5 Jac. R.
One Bundell, anno 3 Jac. R.

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In another canvis bagg there, intituled Bria com et alia bria nond exaiat in 11 Bundellis, viz., tempore Henrici 8., Regis, Richi, Willmi, Cuthbti, Tho., Robti, Walteri, et Johis Eporū Dunelm. Bria coia tempore Cuth Epi, Henrici 8., et Philipi et Marie, exaiat.

One Bundell of Writte, annis 6 et 7 Richi Epi.

One other Bundell, de tempore Robti Epi, ab ann. 9 usq, ad 19.

One Bundell, tempore Walteri Epi, an. diverss, et tempore Willmi, an. 2 et 3.

One Bundell, anno Willmi Epi et 2, cū aliquib3 aliis brevib3 tempore H. 8.

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One Bundell, annis 1 et 2 Tho. Epi.

One Bundell, tempore Cuth Epi.

One Bundell of divers Writte, inter 9 et 20 ann. Tho. Epi.

One Bundell, tempore Henrici 8., viz.—tempore Richi Epi Dunelm ann. consecr sui 6 et 7 ; anno Willmi Epi 1, 2, et 3 ; an. Cuth 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, et 6, et diverš annis ipius Henrici 8, et anno Tho. Epi 12, 10, 9, et 20, cū aliis.

One Bundell, tempore Robti Epi.

One Bundell, de a. 11 Jo. Epi.

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In the second roome of the third presse, and the devision of that roome next the doore : —

One greate Bundell of Fynes, ab anno 4 Regine Eliz. usq, 16 ann. ejusd Eliz. exclusive, conteyning 256. In wch Bundell are figured 1 to 4 more, wch are wanting off the file.

One other Bundell of Fines, anno 37 Eliz. usq, 42 ejusd Regine, conteyning in number 104, being agreeable with the figures.

One Bundell of Fynes de annis 34, 35, et 36 Eliz., conteyning in number 43, agreeing wth the figures.

One Bundell of pedes finiū ab anno 15 Eliz. usq, 26 Eliz. ann ejusd Reg exclusive, conteyning in nūber 188, in wch Bundell 5 are wanting off the file by the figures.

One Bundell of pedes finium an. 1, 2, 3, et 4 Regine Eliz., conteyning in nūber 64, agreeing wth the figures.

One Bundell of pedes finiū ab ann. 25 Eliz. exclusive, conteyning in nūber 119, agreeing wth the nūber.

One Bundell of pedes finiū annis 43 et 44 Reg Eliz., conteyning in nūber 52, agreeing with the figures.

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Above the shelfe, in the midle devision of that roome :—

One Bundell of pedes finiū tempore Richi Burie Epi, conteyning in nūber 140, agreeing wth the figures.

One Bundell of pedes finium tempore Walteri Skerley Epi, conteyning in nūber 68, agreeing wth the figures.

One Bundell of pedes finiū tempore Henrici 6 R et Tho. Langley Epi, conteyning in nūber 62, agreeing wh the figures.

One Bundell of pedes finiū tempore Walteri Epi, conteyning in nūber 64, lacking one of nūber by the figures.

One Bundell of pedes finiū tempore Tho. Ruthall Epi, conteyning in number 31, agreeing wth the figures.

One Bundle of pedes finiū tempore Tho. Hatfield Epi et Edri 3 R; conteyning in nūber 71, agreeing with the figures.

One Bundell of pedes finiū tempore Tho. Hatfield Epi, conteyning in nūber 121, agreeing with the figures.

Another Roll of pedes finiū tempore Tho. Hatfield Epi, conteyning in nūber 102, agreeing wth the figures.

A Roll of pedes finiū tempore Laurencii, Willmi, Johis, et alior epor, conteyning in nūber 39, agreeing with the figures.

One Roll of pedes finiū temporibus Cuth. Epi, Henrici 8, Edri 6, et Philipi et Marie, conteyning in nūber 152, agreeing wth the figures.

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Under the shelfe of the said midle devision :—

One Roll, tempore Richi de Kelloe Epi, of pede finiū, conteyning in nūber 90, agreeing wth the figures.

One Roll of pedes finiū tempore Lodovici Epi, conteyning in nūber 196, agreeing wth the figures.

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One Roll of pedes finiū tempore Robti Stitchell Epi, conteyning in nūber 50, lackin one menconed in the figures.

One Roll of pedes finiū tempore Robti de Insula, conteyning in nūber 26, agreeing wth the figures.

One Roll of pedes finiū tempore Robti Epi Dunelm, conteyning in nūber 15, agreeing wth the figures.

One Roll of pedes finiū tempore Thome Epi Dunelm, conteyning in nūber 16, the figures but 15.

One Roll of pedes finiū tempore Richi Pauper Epi, conteyning 24, lacking one of the figures, being 25.

One Roll of pedes fiñ tempore Anthonii Epi, conteyning in nūber 284, and by figures 287.

One Roll of pedes fiñ tempore Nichai de Farham et Walter Kirckham Epor, in nūber 4, agreeing wth the figures.

In the third devision of that roome :—

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One Roll of pedes finiū in annis 1, 2, 3, et 5 Jac. Regis, et nulli fines in ann. 4, quia nullus est vic, 84, agreeing wth the figures.

One Roll of pedes finiū annis 6, 7, 8, et 9, R. ℞ Jac., in nūber 111, by figures 112.

One Roll of pedes finiū tempore Jacobi ℞ annis 10, 11, et 12, conteyning in nūber 115, by figures 116.

One Roll of pedes finiū de annis 13, 14, 15, et 16 Jacobi ℞ 128, w^thout figures.

In the third presse :—

One Roll of Inquisicons post mortē liberorū tenent tempore Thome Ruthall Epi, conteyning in nūber 70, agreeing wth the figures.

One Bundell of Inquisicons post mortem liber tenent tempore Eliz. Reg, dnorū Math. et Tobye Epor Dunelm, conteyning in nūber 155, agreeing wth the figures.

One Bundell of Inquisicons post mortē liber teneñ tempore Cuthbti Tonstall Epi Dunelm, conteyning in nūber 121, agreeing wth the figures.

One Bundell of Inquisicons post mortē liber teneñ tempore Jacobi Regis et Willmi Epi Dunelm, conteyning in nūber 82, agreeing wth the figures.

One Bundell of Inquisicons post mortē liber teneñ ab ann. 5 Eliz. usq; ad 35, conteyning in nūber 264, agreeing with the figures.

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One Bundell of Inquisicons post mortē liber teneñ tempore Laureñ Booth Epi, conteyning in nūber 82, agreeing with the figures.

One Bundell of Inquisicons post mortē liber teneñ tempore Robti Nevill Epi, conteyning in nūber 115, agreeing with the figures.

One Bundell of Inquisicons post mortē liber teneñ tempore Willi Dudley Epi, conteyning in nūber 32, agreeing with the figures.

One Bundell of Inquisicons post mortē liber teneñ tempore Tho. Card Epi, conteyning in nūber 26, agreeing with the figures.

A pchment Booke, conteyning Inquisicons tempore Tho. Ruthall Epi, conteyning in nūber 33 leaves.

One Bundell of Inquisicons tempore Willmi Synewes Epi, conteyning in nūber 16.

One Bundell of Inquisicons tempore Hen. 7, Sede vacante post mortē Tho. Ruthall, conteyning in nūber 15.

One Bundell of Inquisicons tempore Hen. Regis, Sede vacante post mortē Xpi Bainbrig, conteyning in nūber 9.

One Bundell of Inquisicons tempore Jac. ℞ dnor Tobye et W^mi Epor Dunelm, conteyning in nūber 71.

One Bundell of Inquisicons tempore Richi Fox Epi, conteyning in nūber 58.

One Bundell of Inquisicons tempore Xpi Bainbrig Epi, conteyning in nūber 6.

One Bundell of Inquisicons tempore Johis Sherwood Epi, conteyning in nūber 23.

One Bundell of Inquisicons, Comissions, & Write tempore Tho. Hatfeild Epi, conteyning in nūber 86 peces.

Inquisicons in a pchment Booke, tempore Eliz. Reg, conteyning in nūber 32 leaves.

Inquisicons in another pchment Booke, tempore Laurent et W^mi Epor, conteyning in nūber 47 leaves.

Inquisicons tempore Willmi Epi Dunelm Sede vacante p^t mortem ejusd Epi, et tempore Richi Epi, conteyning in nūber 124.

Inquisicons tempore Eliz. Reg, conteyning in nūber 12.

Inquisicons tempore Richi Barnes Epi, conteyning in nūber 4 Shedul.

One Roll of Inquisicons tempore Cuth Tonstall Epi, being 9 in nūber.

A Booke of Homages tempore Richi Epi Dunelm in paper, conteyning in nūber 10 written leaves, and 8 not written.

A grete old Fitzharbert natura breviū & many old Statutes in written hand.

In the lowest presse under the same presse, Bills, Pleadinge, Depcosicons & Decrees of the Chauncerie, in 37 severall Bundeles.

In the hiest presse of the fourth rowe next the north wall :—

An old paper Booke, indorsed Arrearages incipieñ a° 16 dni Laur Epi Dunelm.

Another paper Booke, indorsed Repacons maid of all my Lorde castles, manñ, milles, tenemte, &c.

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Another paper Booke, indorsed P'ticular compt̃ Robti Atthie clic, &c.
Another paper Booke of the Clerke of the howse & kitchin.
Another paper Booke, Arrearages dni Jacobi Epi.
Another paper Booke, Liber Magni Recepti de a° Pontificat̃ dni Jacobi Epi primo.
Another Booke Magni Recepti dni Cuth. Epi Dunelm̃.
Another Booke Magni Recepti a° 10 Eliz. Reg.
Another Booke Arrearages 13 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recept̃ tempore Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti a° 27 Hen. 8.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 9 dni Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recept̃ de a° Cuth. Epi 29.
Another Booke Magni Recept̃ de a° 2 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recept̃ de a° 3 Tho. Card. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti dni Cuth. Epi Dunelm̃.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 21 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 24 Cuth. Epi. Dunelm̃.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 9 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 26 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 5 dni Thõ Epi Dunelm̃.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 5 dni Thõ Epi Dunelm̃.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 10 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 27 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 22 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 7 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 1 Jac. Reg̃.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 14 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 14 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 14 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de annis 1 et 2 Eliz. Reg̃.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 13 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 2 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 2 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 22 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 22 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 4 Tho. Card. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 4 Tho. Card. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 17 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 4 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 5 Jac. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a 23 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 4 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 4 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke of Arrearages tempore Tho. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a 2 Jac. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 12 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 3 Jac. Epi.

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Another Booke Magni Recepti de anno 23 Eliz., Sede vacante.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de anno 8 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke of Receptę and Arrearages, in quinto Eliz. tyme.
Another Booke, in a° 26 Cuth. Epi Dunelm̃.
Another Booke of Accomptę tā p dno W^mo Seveures Epo, quā p dno rege, vacacõis p^t mortē dci Willmi Epi.
Another Booke of Receptę and Disbursementę.
Another Booke of Arrearages.
Another Booke of Arrearages, tempore Laurencii Epi.
Another Booke of Survey, intituled Durham.
Another Booke Magni Recepti de a° 17 Johis Sherwood Epi.
Another Booke of Receptę, de a° 15 Cuth. Epi.
Another Booke of Recepti, de a° 1 Marie et 24 Cuth. Epi
Another Booke, in a° 13 Tho. Epi Dunelm̃.
Another Booke of Receptę.
Another Booke of Receptę.
Another Booke of Receptę, de a° 9 Jac. Epi.

In the second presse of the same fourth cubbord next the wall :—

A Bundell ad Assiss in a° 36 Eliz. Reg.
Another Bundell in a° 33 Eliz.
Another Bundell in a° 32 Eliz.
Another Bundell of Goale Delivie, 36 Eliz.

Calend ad assiss in anno 32 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 31 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 34 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 33 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 40 Eliz.

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Another Calend in anno 39 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 36 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 40 Eliz.
Another in the same year.
Another Calend in anno 39 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 36 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 40 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 29 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 29 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 29 Eliz.
Another Calend in annis 29, 30, et 31 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 38 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 31 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 32 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 31 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 36 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 30 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 36 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 35 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 31 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 29 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 30 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 30 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 30 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 37 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 31 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 39 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 42 Eliz.
A Bundell indorsed Felloñ ad largū, 40 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 45 Eliz.
A Roll indorsed Rotuł gaoł deliberĕ ab a° 35 Eliz. usq. ad an. 45.
Another Calend in anno 43 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 41 Eliz.
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Another Calend in anno 43 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 41 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 43 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 42 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 6 Eliz.
Process tempore Philipi et Marie.
Divers indictamte tempore Eliz. Reginæ.
A Bundell of Ignoramus.
Extract. finiū in anno 42 Eliz.
Extract. finiū in anno 44 Eliz.
Extract. finiū in anno 4 Eliz.
Extract. finiū in anno 19 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 8 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 5 Eliz.
Another Calend in a 4 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 16 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 16 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 15 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 9 Eliz.
Another Calend in a 7 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 13 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 5 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 20 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 30 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 3 Eliz.
Another Calend in a° 8 Eliz.

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Another Calend in anno 4 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 2 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 1 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 2 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 19 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 7 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 3 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 1 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 11 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 2 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 4 Eliz.
Another Calend in anno 2 Eliz.
A Bundell of Staine travses.
A Bundell of Indictemente in a° 9 Eliz.
Another Bundell in a 19 Eliz.
Indictamenta divs tempore Eliz. Regine, n. 8, felones inter quos alii ivat ad largū.
A Bundell of pcees upon Indictemente.
A Bundell of Recusante indited in annis 13, 1, 2, 3, 4, et 5 Eliz.
Brĭa de annis 1, 2, 3, 4, et 6 Eliz.
A Calend tempore Eliz. Reg.
Another Calend in anno 38 Eliz.
A Bundell of pcees ad Assiss. et Sess.
A Bundell of pcees upon Indictemts tempore Jac. Epi.
A Bundell of pcees upon Indictements termīos et Sessions.
A Bundell of Indictemente tempore Eliz. Reg.
A Bundell of pannells vs prisonarios, 1596.
A Bundell of travsies upon Indictemente.

In the second devision of the same presse divers Bundells, indorsed ut sequitur, viz :—
P'sentment of Recusante.
Gaole deliberacō 26 Julii anno 11 Jac. Regis.
Indictemente tempore Eliz. et tempore Jac. p trans.
In hoc Bundello Indictament vs Willm Fenwicke.
Gaole deliberan. anno 16 Jac. Regis.
Assiss. a° 6 Jac. R.

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Rotulus gaole delibeř 1, 2, ter, 5, 6, et 8 Jac. Ꝓ.
Indict. de transgr. 32, 33, 34, et 35 Eliz.
Gaole delibeř 16 Jac. Regis.
Assis. 15 Jac. Ꝓ.
Gaole delibeř anno 15 Jac. Ꝓ.
Gaole deliber. anno 14 Jac. Ꝓ.
Gaole deliber. anno 13 Jac. Ꝓ.
Gaole deliber. anno 16 Jac. Ꝓ.
Gaole deliber. anno 13 Jac. Ꝓ.
Calenđ 15 Julii anno 9 Jac. Ꝓ.
Calenđ 15 Julij anno 7 Jac. Ꝓ.
Ignor. anno 7 Jac. Ꝓ.
Indict. tempore đni Regis triat. et filat.
Calenđ ad assis. anno 8 Jac. Ꝓ.
Calenđ anno 6 Jac. Ꝓ.
Calenđ anno 8 Jac. Ꝓ.
Calenđ anno 4 Jac. Ꝓ.
Indictemt ag^t Recusantꝭ.
Calenđ anno 2 Jac. Ꝓ.
Calenđ 20 Aug. anno 1616.
Calenđ anno 9 Jac. Ꝓ.
Calenđ anno 5 Jac. Ꝓ.
Indict. Jac. Ꝓ.
P'sentmtꝭ and Indictementꝭ ag^t Recusantꝭ.
Indictementꝭ ag^t Recusantꝭ anno 4 Jacobi Ꝓ.
Inquisiĉons tempore Jac. Ꝓ.
Inquisiĉons corā Coronatoř, 14 Jac. Ꝓ.
Inquisiĉons anno 1 Jac. Ꝓ.
Calenđ anno 1 Jac. Ꝓ.
Calenđ anno 3 Jac. Ꝓ.
Inquisiĉons for Coroners, in 5 litle bundells, tyed togeather.
Gaole delibeř anno 2 Jac. Ꝓ.
A Bundell of Ignoř.
Calenđ ꝑ gaola 10 Jac. R.
Ignoramus upon Inditemtꝭ tempore Jac. Ꝓ.
Ignoramus of Inditementꝭ att the assiss. a° 10 Jac. Ꝓ, 1612.
Ignoř att the assiss., 31 July 13 Jac. Regis.
Inquisiĉons corā Coronatoř, 7 Jac. Ꝓ.
Writtꝭ de non molestanđ.
Inquisiĉons coř Coronatoř ad assiss., a° 10.
Inquisiĉons coř Coronatoř, 1613.
Ignoř ad assiss., 1613.
Ignoř sup Indict̃, 14 Jac. Ꝓ.
Recusantꝭ.

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In the devision of the same presse divers Bundells, indorsed ut sequitur, viz:—
Calenđ 4 et 5 annis Philipi et Marie.
Calenđ annis 3 et 4.
Calenđ annis 1 et 2.
Assiss. et gaol delivie tempore Philipi et Marie.
Calenđ 2 Aprilis anno 4 et 5 Philipi et Marie.
Calenđ annis 2 et 3 Philipi et Marie.
Calenđ annis 4 et 5 Philipi et Marie.
Calenđ anno 1 Marie.
Calenđ annis 5 et 6.
Calenđ annis 2 et 3.
Calenđ annis 3 et 4.
Calenđ annis 1 et 2.
Indict̃ tempore Thome Ep̃i Dunelm̃ et tempore Hen. 7 et tempore Cardinał ann. 8.
Calenđ anno 4 Edři 6.
Calenđ anno 6 Thõ Card.
Calenđ anno 20 Hen. 8.
Calenđ anno 28 Hen. 8.
Calenđ anno 29 Hen. 8.
Plita Corone tempore Lodovici et Edři Sĉdi.
Anno 30 Hen. 8.
Anno 35 Hen. 8.
Anno 6 Edři 6.
Anno 6 Edři 6.
Anno 29 Hen. 8.

Gaole delibeř 29 Hen. 8.
Calend 3 Hen. 6.
Anno 8 Hen. 7.
Anno 2 Edři 6.
Inquisicões tempore dni Tho. Epi ab anno 1 usq, ad 11 ann.
Infortuna de postremis annis Eliz. Reg. usq, 5 ann. Jac. Ry.
Inquisicones capt corā Coronatoř, ab anno 30 Eliz. tempore Cuthbti Epi et Marie Regine.

In the third presse next the north wall:—

Calend de anno 27 Eliz.
Calend de anno 28 Eliz.
Calend de anno 28 Eliz., autūnales Calend.
Calend de anno 25 Eliz.
Calend de anno 25 Eliz.
Calend de anno 24 Eliz.
Calend de anno 24 Eliz.
Calend de anno 26 Eliz.
Calend de anno 28 Eliz.
Calend de anno 25 Eliz.
Calend de anno 23 Eliz.
Calend de anno 26 Eliz.
Calend de anno 26 Eliz.
Calend de anno 25 Eliz.
Calend de anno 25 Eliz.
Calend de anno 25 Eliz.
Calend de anno 24 Eliz.
Calend de anno 21 Eliz.
Calend de anno 22 Eliz.
Calend de anno 22 Eliz.
Calend de anno 20 Eliz.
Calend de anno 21 Eliz.
Calend de anno 21 Eliz.
Calend de anno 25 Eliz. Inr.
Calend de anno 24 Eliz.
Calend de anno 27 Eliz.
Calend de anno 24 Eliz.

Sessiones Pacis.

Calend de anno 39 Eliz.
Calend de anno 30 Eliz.
Calend de anno 39 Eliz. 1596.
Calend de anno 39 Eliz.
Calend de anno 34 Eliz. 1592.
Calend de anno 34 Eliz.
Calend de anno 35 Eliz.
Calend de anno 34 Eliz.
Calend de anno 40 Eliz.
Calend de anno 40 Eliz.
Calend de anno 25. Aprilis 1593.
Calend de anno 32 Eliz.
Calend de anno 32 Eliz.
Calend de anno 36 Eliz.
Calend de anno 40 Eliz.

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Calend de anno 17 Eliz.
Calend de anno 36 Eliz. 1594.
Calend de anno 38 Eliz.
Calend de anno 38 Eliz.
Calend de anno 31 Eliz.
Calend de anno 38 Eliz.
Calend de anno 31 Eliz.
Calend de anno 38 Eliz.
Calend de anno 31 Eliz.
Calend de anno 31 Eliz.
Calend de anno 37 Eliz.
Calend de anno 33 Eliz.
Calend de anno 33 Eliz.
Calend de anno 36 Eliz.
Calend de anno 37 Eliz.
Calend de anno 36 Eliz.
Calend de anno 33 Eliz.
Calend de anno 37 Eliz.
Calend de anno 36 Eliz.
Calend de anno 38 Eliz.
Calend de anno 32 Eliz.
Calend de anno 32 Eliz.
Calend de anno 32 Eliz.
Calend de anno 40 Eliz.
Calend de anno 34 Eliz.
Calend de anno 35 Eliz.
Calend de anno 34 Eliz.
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Calend de anno 35 Eliz.

Rolls a gaole deliv̊ie in pchment, annis Eliz. Reg. 23, 24, 25, et 26, conteyning 17 Rolls.
Sessions ingrossed ab a° 11 usq, ad. 17 ann., conteyning 25 Rolls.
Another Bundell anno 17 usq, 23, conteyning 11 Rolls.
Another Bundell de annis 26, 27, et 28, conteyning 12 jurat de annis 27 et 28 Regine Eliz.
Bundell of sessions, 42 Eliz.
Anno 42 Eliz.
Anno 41 Eliz.
Anno 41 Eliz.
Anno 41 Eliz.
Anno 42 Eliz.
Anno 41 Eliz.
Anno 42 Eliz.
A Bundell of sessions & gaole deliv̊ie Rolls, annis Philipi et Marie 1, 2, 3, 4, et 5, conteyning 11 Rolls.
Sessions Rolls anno 6 Eliz.
Anno 7 Eliz.
Annis 36 et 37 Eliz.
Informac̄ p̊sentat p Georgiū Baxter.
Anno 37 Eliz.
Anno 38 Eliz.

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Rotulus informac̃ de a^is^ Eliz. 35 et 36.
Presentm^t^e of the Churchwardens of Whickyn, 12 Aug. 1609.
Anno 41 Eliz.
Writte for taking the oathes of the Justices of Peace; Certificate of Aliens.
A Bundell of accompte for mariners, souldiers, & the gaole.

Anno 28 Eliz.
Anno 25 Eliz.
Anno 35 Eliz.
Anno 28 Eliz.
Anno 28 Eliz.
Anno 25 Eliz.
Anno 11 Eliz.
Anno 24 Eliz.
Anno 24 Eliz.
Anno 24 Eliz.
Anno 28 Eliz.
Anno 30 Eliz.
Anno 30 Eliz.
Anno 44 Eliz.
Anno 18 Eliz.
Annis 26 et 29 Eliz.
Anno 18 Eliz.
Anno 18 Eliz.
Anno 27 Eliz.
Anno 16, Januarij 1595.
Anno 26 Eliz.
Anno 26 Eliz.
Anno 27 Eliz.
Anno 27 Eliz.
Anno 26 Eliz.
Sessions, 30 Aug.
Anno 10 Eliz.
Sessions, 15 Oct. a° Dñi 1602.
Anno 27 Eliz.
Anno 30 Eliz.
Anno 11 Eliz.
Anno 24 Eliz.
Anno 25 Eliz.
Anno 28 Eliz.
Anno 26 Eliz.
Anno 26 Eliz.

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Anno 26 Eliz.
A Bundell of Indictemente de tempore Hen. 8 et Cuth. Ep̃i Dunelm̃.
A Roll of Sessiones of Plees, 8 Ja. anno 43 Eliz.
A Roll of Sessions of Plees, anno 43 Eliz.
Anno 43 Eliz.
Anno 43 Eliz.
A greate Bundell of Indictemente tempore Eliz. usq, 25 a° regni Eliz.
A greate Bundell of Indictemente ab anno 18 Eliz. usq, 24 Eliz.
Anno 28 Eliz.
Annis 5, 6, et 7 Eliz.
Annis 10 et 11 Eliz.
Annis 9 et 10 Eliz.
Anno 4 Eliz.
Annis 1, 2, et 3 Eliz.
Anno 8 Eliz.
A Roll of Indictemte tempore Tho. Ep̃i Dunelm̃.
Another Roll tempore Laurencii Ep̃i Dunelm̃.
A Bundell of Rates of Servante waiges, 5 Jac. R.
Indictemte tempore Hen. 8. usq, 2 ann. Edr̃i. 6.
A Cessment delivered by Tho. Cuthet.
Rolls of the gaole delivie anno Edr̃i 6, 4 Schedul.
Anno 4 Regis Edr̃i 6.
Anno 3 Edr̃i 6, conteyning 5 Rolls.
Annis 5 et 6 Edr̃i Regis.
Anno 7 Edr̃i 6, 1 Roll.
Anno 6 Edr̃i 6, conteyning 8 Schedules.
Anno 3 Edr̃i 6, conteyning 3 Rolls.
Annis 5 et 6 Edri Regis.
Anno 7 Edr̃i 6. 1 Roll.
Anno 6 Edr̃i 6, conteyning 8 Schedules.
Anno 3 Edr̃i 6, conteyning 3 Rolls.
Anno 4 Edr̃i 4 conteyning 6 Schedules.
Annis 6 Edr̃i 6, 1, 5, et 6, conteyning 6 Schedules.
Anno 2 Edri 6, conteyning 7 Schedules.
Anno 1 Edri 6.
A Bundell, conteyning 9 bookes of subsidies.
Sessions 44 Eliz.
Anno Eliz. 44.
Sessions 4 January, anno 44 Eliz.
Sessions tent̃ 6 Octobris 1616.
A grete Bundell of Sessions of the Peace tempore Reginæ.

In the lowest pt of the presse next the wall:—
One greate Booke of transumpte in Bpp. Tunstalls tyme for 24 years.
Another greate Booke of transumpte in the tymes of Busshopp Ruthall and Busshopp Bainbrig.

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A paper Booke indorsed Dimissions anno 24 R. Hen. 7, Sede vacante, et tempore Thõ Ruthall Epi.
Recognicões tempore Xpi et Thõ Ruthall Epor.
Another Booke indorsed Liber Recognicõnũ et dimissionũ tempore Laurencii Epi.
Another Booke indorsed Supvis tempore Thõ Hatfeild Epi—Supvis tempore Hug. Epi.
Another Booke indorsed Rentale terrar dni Thõ Langley Epi.
Another Booke indorsed Supvis Warde de Easington.
Another Booke indorsed Dimissiones et recognicões tempore Hen. 7. et Willmi Syveure Epi.
Another Booke indorsed Tempore dni Thõ Epi.
Another Booke indorsed Cõptus constabular liberorũ teneñ a° 8 Thõ Epi, et supvis tempore Hugõis Epi, 1183.
Another Booke indorsed Supvis a° 9 Laurencii Epi.
Another Booke indorsed Comissiones temporibus Richi Fox et Willmi Severes Epor.
Another Booke indorsed Liber Recognicõñ tempore Richi Epi.
Another Book indorsed Recog tempore Richi Fox Epi, et Sede vacante, 22 Hen. 7, et tempore Xpi Epi.
Another Booke indorsed Rentall liberõr teneñ anno 8 Thõ Langley Epi, 1414.
Another Booke indorsed Comissiones tempore Jõ Sherwood Epi.
Another Booke indorsed Liber dimiss dni Cuth. Epi Dunelm, anno primo.
Mr. Sanders' survey, anno 30 Eliz. Reg., Epatus Dunelm, under the Exchequer Seale.
Another Booke indorsed Rentall de Easington, a° 15 Laurencii.
Another Booke indorsed Recog. dni Cuth. Epi Dunelm.
Another Booke indorsed Dimissiones tempore Willmi Epi, 1477.
Another Booke indorsed Liber Recog. et Dimiss. Thõ Di Epi.
Seaven Bundells of Durlington Burrow Court.
Nyne Rolls of Bedlington Court.

In the presse:—

A Booke of Decrees indorsed Orders et decret. in Cancell ab a° 28 Hen. 8 usq^{m} 26 ann. Reg. Eliz.
Another indorsed Seale mony & orders in the Chancerie, annis 2 et 3 Reg. Jacobi.
Another indorsed pcess et Ordiñ in Cancell a 37 an. Eliz. usq^{m} 39 ejusd Reg.

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Another Booke, indorsed Orders and Decrees, 20 Eliz.
Another, indorsed a Booke of Minutes of Orders ab anno 1594 usq 37 Eliz.
Another, indorsed Ab anno 43 Eliz., 1600, usq 2 ann. Jac. R.—pcess, caus, ordiñ et decret.
Another, indorsed Chancerie Matters in annis 40, 44, 42, 43 Eliz.
Another, indorsed Ordines et decret in Cancell a 2 anno reg Jacobi usq 7 anñ ejusd Regis.
Another, indorsed A° 9 Tho. Epi.
A Bundell of Decrees, a° 5 Jac. R.
A Bundell of old Bills and Pleadings in the Chancerie.
A Bundell, indorsed Billa expens.
A Bundell recog, indorsed p pace et ad pformand ord in Cancell.
Orders of publicacon tempore Jacobi R.
A Roll of Decrees and Orders, a° 6 Jac. R., entred.
Another Roll of Orders in the Chancerie temp. Eliz. Reg et Jac. R.
A Bundell, indorsed Affidavide bills of expens & orders, 1602.
A Bundell of Decrees and Orders, a° 5 Jac. R., all entered.
A Bundell of Notes of matters in the Chancerie, taken by Mr. Tho. Candey (?) Chancillor.
A Bundell of Minutes of Orders, by Mr. J. Barnes, 1612 et 1613.
A Bundell of Orders in the Chancerie, 1608 et 1609.
A Bundell of Orders in the Chancerie, 1605.
A Bundell, indorsed Decret Cancell, annis 44 et 45 Eliz. et 5 Jac. R., entered.
A Book, indorsed Breviat of causes indorced in the Chancerie, a° 5.
A Breviate of Orders, 1607.
A Bundell of Orders, 1607.
A Bundell of Recognizance and Orders exaied, 1617.

Comissiõñ deposicons ctificat in the same presse in the eastermost roome, viz:—

One Bundell, conteyning 31 Rolls.
Another Bundell, conteyning 55 Rolls.
One Bundell of Deposicons, conteyning 63.
Another Bundell of Deposicons, conteyning 86.
Another Bundell of Deposicons, conteyning 53.
Another Bundell, conteyning 63.

In the litle box:—

A Cathalogue of Evidences delived to Mr. Fulthrupp, by Indenture out of this Court.
A Bundell of Recognizance, conteyning 28.

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A Note of Leases and Evidence remayning in the custodie of the Clerke of the Chancerie w^th^in the said box.

An Indenture from Mr Fulthorpp, for delivie of a graunt out of his office.

An Agreement betwixt the Busshopp & the Lord Lumley.

Alice Currudder's Deed.

A Lease of Biddicke.

An Indenture of Records, Rolls, & Bookes in the Chancerie, rec̃ by M^r^ Jo. Barnes of Jo. Richardson.

Newton bond to Blackmantle.

Anthony Buckles bond to Robt Duckett.

Mr. Chanclers Warrant towching Mr Swynburne.

Fynes of Weremoth yere kept.

Hutchinson's bond to Widow Layng.

Comiss̃ in ppetm rei memor̃, vizt Wright vs̃ Wright.

Blythman vs̃ Chipchase.

Comissio inter Woodcroft et Wright.

Inter Blithman et Chipchase.

Inter Fetherston et Collyn.

A greate paper Booke, well bound, of Decrees, Recognizance, and levies.

Another paper Booke, price 8^s^, for inrolling of Decrees and Orders.

In the litle presse et alibi in the office:—

Another Booke of Orders, indorced Liber Ord. in Cancell, ab an° 4 Jac. R̃ usq̃ an. 11 ejusd R̃.

Another paper Booke, indorced Ordines et Decret̃ in Cancell, a 7 a° Jac. usq̃ 10 an ejusd Regis.

A Booke, indorced Entry of Pleadinge in the Chancerie.

A Bundell of Decrees and Orders in the sitting 4th Sept. 1613—329 Orders, 28 Aprilis 1614.

In the sitting in M'ch 1617, 20 Orders.

In M'ch 1615, 11 Orders.

In Sept. sitting, 1616, 21 Orders.

In August 1614, 2 Decrees.

In M'ch 1615, 13 Decrees.

In August 1615, 19 Decrees.

One Bundell of publicacon Orders in the Chancerie.

A Bundell of Inquisicons and Pcess of Contemt in the Chancerie.

In M'ch 1615, 13 Decrees.

In July 1616, 24 Decrees.

In Decēber 1615, 8 Decrees.

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In August, 11 Jac. R̃, 14 Decrees.

A Bundell of Scire fac upon Recog̃ forfeited ad Assiss̃ et Sesion̄ pacis.

A ctificat for the greve of Wolsingham.

An Order betwixt Hutchinson & Key.

An Order betwixt Wheatley & Tempest for the rent of Wolsingham.

A Surrender for Mr Morgan, in Wolsingham.

Two ctificate towching the greveshipp of Wolsingham.

An Order betwixt Parkinson & Blakeston, wth Recognizaunces.

An Order betwixt Bellassies & Johnson.

An Order betwixt Martyn & Ewbancke.

An Order betwixt Bowes & Lyncey.

A ctificate from the Busshopp for Recusante.

Ignoramus upon Indictemente.

Certioraries of Indictemente.

Indictemente removed by ctiorarie.

Indictements ag^t^ dyvers psons depending.

One Bundell of exāiacons and infor̃ } ag^t^ prisoners not yett tried.
Another Bundell of exāiacons et inform̃ }

Fower Bundells of Inquisicons taken before Coroners.

A Bundell of Indictemente of Felons & Trespass̃ against offenders extra not yet tried.

One Bundell of Recognizance ad psequend } at the last past gaole delivie.
One Bundell of Recognizance ad cōpend }

The Comission now in being for the gaole delivie.

The Comission now in being for the Assisses.

A Box of the Evidence towching the House of Correcon.

One grete Bundell of Affidavite in the wyndow.

An olde Booke of Alphabette for Fynes, Inquisicons, and Copies of Courte Roll.

Another Booke of Alphabette of Inquisicons, Fynes, and Copiholds.

A Rejester of Writte, original & judiciall.

One large writing deske.

Two long quishions & one short one for Mr Chancell^rs^ his seate.

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One table of the Kingꝭ Armes above Mr Chancellrs seate.
One old chest wth many old writingꝭ pused.
One table hanging on the wall for the fees.

In the inner office, being ꝑceedingꝭ onlie concning the Chancerie; in the hiest cubbord next the wyndow :—

One Bundell of Bills in Sir Cath. Peppers tyme, 157.
One Bundell of Answeres in Bpp. Huttons tyme, in nūber 138.
One Bundell of Rejoiners, 1609, 1610, 1611, et 1612, in nūber 30.
One Bundell of Bills in Mr Justice Huttons tyme, in nūber 29.
One Bundell of Answeares in Mr Justice Huttons tyme, in nūber 10.
One Bundell of Bills in Mr Justice Huttons tyme, in nūber 40.
One Bundell of Replicacons, 1609, 1610, 1611, in nūber 82.
One Bundell of Answeares, 1610, in nūber 28.

In the second or next cubbord under that :—

Fortie Bundells of old paper Bills, Answres, Replicacons, Rejoynders, Demurrers, Comiss, Interr, & Decrees, confused, putt upp together in mixt manner.

In the presse next the wyndowe:—

One greate Bundell of pchment Bills, ao 1609, 151.
One Bundell of pchment Bills, 1610, 1611, 62.
One Bundell of Bills, 1614, 9.
Seventy Bundells of pchment ꝑceedingꝭ for the Chancerie, putt up togeather, mixt as Bills, Answeres, Comissions, Interrogatories, &c.

In the hiest presse next the wyndow :—

Two greate Bundells of Answeares, 2 greate Bundells of Replicacons & Rejoynders, and one Bundell of Demurrers, in sevall yeres.

In the hiest presse next to the doore :—

A greate Bundell of Bills in annis 1617 & 1618.
A grete Bundell of Answeares in annis 1615, 1616, 1617, & 1618.
A Bundell of Replicacons in annis 1617 & 1618.
A Bundell of Rejoynders.
Another Bundell of Rejoynders, in ais 1617 et 1618.
Another Bundell of Replicacons for dyvers yeres.
A Bundell of Bills in annis 1615 et 1616.
A bundell of Answeares.
Another Bundell of Replicacons.
A litle Bundell of loose Pleadingꝭ.
A paper copie of a decree for Durhā Mills, wth Mr Richardꝭ booke, & *yt he kepeth* (?)

In the second presse next the doore :—

Dyvers litle Bundells of Billes, Answearꝭ, Replicacons, and other Pleadings in pchment.
Dyvers Deposicons retorned by the examiner of late, the part of this alphabeted.

In the presse next the doore :—

Dyvers Bundells of Bills, Answeares, Deposicons, and other Pleadingꝭ in the Chancerie, in number 387.

In the hiest presse next the doore :—

Dyvers Bills, 2 Answeares, 6 Rejoynders, 1 Demurrer, 9 Bundells of Orders, and Decrees.
A long pchment Booke of Comptꝭ of the Close Rolls, conteyneing in 285 sides (?)
A Bundell of London Writtꝭ retterо Hillarii año 16 Jaco. R., conteyneing in number 46.
One Close Roll, conteyning Grantꝭ, Patentꝭ, and Inrollmtꝭ, in the Chauncery since the translacon of the now Bp. of Duresme, being in number in the inside fortie-eight, and in the backe five. Julij 1618.
Three Rolls of Plees, conteyneing five Plees upon Indictmtꝭ against Raphe Rootyng, Raphe Harding, Robte Hodgson, Willm Hodgson, and Charles Radcliffe, Recusantꝭ, and one Plea against Raphe Wheatley & William Westom, upon a trespasse.
Also fower Plea Rolls, conteyneing foure Pleas and part of a fift upon Reple betwixt Mr Hilton and Mr. Lesle, and theire tenantꝭ.

Examined and numbird by us,
JOHN RICHARDSON, Cli. Canc.
JOHN KING, Notar. Public.
CUTHB'TE SILSON, Notar Pub.
THO. HASWELL.

Recd 30 Junii 1618 p me, W. SMYTH.
In th ꝑsence of me, JAMES WATSON.

Thomas Haswell delivered the . . . . . to Mr Archdeacon Cradocke, the daie and yeare abovesaid.

Note.—Mr. Hardy has not been enabled to re-examine these schedules with the original documents, but he believes his transcripts, &c. to be quite correct.

No. 5.—Summary of Proceedings in the Public Record

OFFICES.	ARRANGEMENT, REPAIRS, &c.	REMOVALS.
ROLLS HOUSE.	Exchequer of Receipt:— Receipts and Orders—Pensions, &c. (Tellers' Vouchers)—some thousands of stray Documents incorporated. Warrants, Original—3 supplementary bundles made up in continuation of those done, and mentioned in the Eighth Report, Appendix II. No. 10. I. (ii.) Treasury Records:— *Accounts,—* Household—Groom of the Stole, 1812–20; Duke of Sussex, 1799–1800, at Berlin; Princess Charlotte, to July 1814,—Arranged. Military Canal—Rye, Shorncliffe, &c. to Sandgate—Flattened and arranged. American Awards—Flattened. Carolina (Militia, and Royalist Refugees)—Purified and arranged. Cape Coast Castle—Flattened and arranged (suffered from wet). American Loyalist Claims—Flattened. East Florida Claims—Arrangement in progress. Forfeited Estates (Scotland)—Records of the Commissioners and Trustees appointed 1755; Reports, Rentals, Surveys, &c.—arranged. Registered Papers—Cleaning, flattening, classifying, indorsing, incorporating, &c. continued.	Rolls House to the New Record Repository:—The Records from the Rolls House. Rolls House to Dublin:—Some Irish Commissariat Records sent to Dublin, 10 April 1854, by authority of Treasury Letter. Board of Works to Rolls House:—Plans of the Arrangements for the Funeral of the Duke of Wellington, in St. Paul's Cathedral, sent on 12 December 1854.
ROLLS CHAPEL.	Chancery:— Various Membranes, &c. - Damped. 81 - Mended. 5,540 - Sewed. 787	House of Lords to Rolls Chapel:—Parliament Rolls, 16 & 17 Vict. and 17 & 18 Vict. Enrolment Office to Rolls Chapel:— Close Rolls, 1839. Recognizance Rolls, 1839. Memorials of Annuities, 1839. Petty Bag Office to Rolls Chapel:—Patent Rolls, and Privy Seal, &c., bundles, 6 Will. IV. Office of Clerks of Records and Writs to Rolls Chapel—71 Decrees and Docquets.
TOWER.	Chancery:— Proceedings on Common Law Side, commonly known as County Placita—5,789 Documents prepared for workmen; 3,910 cleaned and partially mended. Parliamentary Writs and Returns, from Edw. I. to Edw. IV.—6,563 Instruments re-sorted, arranged between boards, and entitled. Miscellaneous—(Consisting of Petitions to the King in Council and to Parliament, &c.;) numbered and arranged; 5,940 mended; 14,687 sewed in boards, after stitching 11,541 pieces in parcels of 10.	Nottingham to the New Record Repository:—The Records of the late Peveril Court, pursuant to Warrant, dated 18th July 1854.
CHAPTER HOUSE.	Common Pleas:— Fines, Notes of—The stamping, numbering, comparing with Entry Books, arranging, &c. continued; Geo. III. in progress; great deficiencies continue to be discovered; many out of their places.	Craig's Court, Charing Cross, to Chapter House:—Census Papers—Part of those of 1851, called Enumerators' Books, 38 boxes.
CARLTON RIDE. *Mr. Hunter's Division.*	Exchequer:— *Queen's Remembrancer,—* Miscellaneous—Arrangement continued.	- - - -
Mr. Roberts' Division.	Queen's Bench:— Doggett Rolls—Flattening and mending, completed Common Pleas:— Concords of Fines—Geo. III. in progress of stamping, mending, arranging, packing in millboards, ticketing, &c.; 42,733 Suits done. Feet of Fines (early series) continued—The flattening, guarding, mending, stamping, arranging in counties, London and Middlesex done; 8,188 of other counties mended and guarded; and 2,529 arranged in years and terms. Feet of Fees (modern series) continued—168 Terms, comprising 146,585 Documents, placed in portfolios; 107,701 flattened, and where necessary mended; and 103,135 stamped. Recovery Rolls—The cleaning, flattening, dividing, &c., completed. Exchequer:— *Queen's Remembrancer,—* Bills and Answers (Miscellaneous)—Arrangement and identifying continued. Decrees and Orders (Miscellaneous)—2,305 mended and added to the supplementary series. Depositions and Commissions (Miscellaneous)—271 Documents incorporated, still in progress. *Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer,—* Memoranda Roll—249 membranes, in a bad state, mended. Original Repertories—Flattened and placed in vellum cases, and lists made of them. These are a valuable series of about 200 Rolls, much used. *Pipe and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer,—* Miscellaneous—The classification has been proceeded with, but is discontinued at present. *Pipe,—* Pipe Rolls—25 thoroughly mended. Chancellor's Rolls—Arrangement and packing in canvass and boards proceeded with, but not bound together at the head. *Binding:—* 100 volumes belonging to various classes bound, and repaired.	Exchequer — *Queen's Remembrancer* — to Carlton Ride:—6 Documents, on 5th May 1854. Wales and Chester to the New Record Repository:—The Records of the abolished Courts of Great Sessions, &c. of Wales, &c., removed in part (the remainder will be removed in 1855), pursuant to Warrants, dated 18th July 1854.
STATE PAPER OFFICE.	State Papers:— Arranging the English and Foreign Newspapers, Gazettes, &c. of Car. II. Incorporating Royal Letters and stray Correspondence in their proper classes. Domestic, Geo. III., indorsing and sorting into classes, in progress.	- - - -

Office, for the Year ended 31st December 1854.

INVENTORIES.	CALENDARS.	INDEXES.	FEES. Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Amount of Fees. £ s. d.
- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	10	124	62	14	2	24 18 6
- - - -	- - - -	Chancery :— Close Rolls—1826, 1828, fair copied—1827, completed—1834, 1835, 1838, in progress. Decrees—Entered up, 71. Memorials of Annuities, 1838. Specifications—entered up, 71. Patent Rolls—Edw. VI. and Ph. and Mary, and to 5 James I., transcript completed.	637	1,495	249	124	15	333 14 0
Chancery :— Proceedings on Common Law Side (or County Placita)—Lists made of 5,789 Documents.	Chancery :— Miscellaneous — consisting of Petitions, &c.—2,331 more done, making in all 4,683.	- - - -	26	191	140	61	5	74 8 0
- - - -	Court of Requests :— (Continued)—1,066 more Suits done, making in all 2,456 Suits. Miscellaneous—in progress.	- - - -	65	127	49	23	2	21 6 6
- - - -	Exchequer :— *Queen's Remembrancer,*— Miscellaneous continued—1,855 more done, making in all 89,074.	Exchequer :— *Queen's Remembrancer,*— Miscellaneous—Index to the Calendar of Escheators' matter, printed at pp. 1–222 of App. II. to the Tenth Report of the Deputy Keeper. Religious Houses—Index in progress.	- -	346	42	20	4	42 11 0
Exchequer—*Augmentation* :—Particulars for Grants—Eliz.; K to Z. done.	Chancery :— Patent Rolls—continued to 31 Hen. VIII., Part v. Exchequer :— *Queen's Remembrancer,*— Depositions by Commission—A new Calendar commenced—1 to 26 Eliz. done.	Common Pleas :— Feet of Fines to 45 Geo. III.—done. Exchequer—*Augmentation* :— Particulars for Grants—Edw. VI. and Eliz. done.						
		Q. Bench	58	58	34	14	- -	36 9 6
		C. Pleas	632	99	334	330	- -	101 17 6
		Exchequer	122	364	172	67	3	109 2 0
- - - -	State Papers :— Domestic : Edw. VI. to Eliz. in the press, and completed to the end of 1571. Car. I. in progress. Irish : Henry VIII. to end of Jac. I. completed. Car. I. in progress; done to 1631. Spain and Flanders—Eliz. in progress; completed as far as 1580. French—Car. I. in progress; done to 1627.	State Papers :— Domestic—An Index to the Calendar now in the press, viz. Edw. VI. to Eliz., is completed as far as 1568.	- -	- -	- -	- -	2	5 5 0
		Total -	1,550	2,804	1,082	653	33	749 12 0

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THE SEVENTEENTH REPORT OF THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY:—

PURSUANT to the Statute made and passed in the Session of Parliament held in the first and second year of Your Majesty's reign, entitled "An Act "for Keeping Safely the Public Records," I, the undersigned Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, do hereby most humbly make my Seventeenth Report to Your Majesty, for the year beginning 1st January 1855, and ending 31st December 1855, up to which last-mentioned date this Report is made, except, however, so far as relates to certain particular transactions, herein-after quoted as being subsequent to the said 31st December 1855, which it has become needful to notice. And, pursuing the plan adopted in my former Reports, I have arranged the matters hereby submitted to Your Majesty under three general heads; the Tabular Statement from which further details are to be collected being inserted in the Appendix hereto annexed.

I. Proceedings relating to the taking possession, &c., of Records, and also to Records not yet in the custody of the Master of the Rolls.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the regulations of the Statute.

III. General matters connected with the care and management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

I. PROCEEDINGS RELATING TO THE TAKING POSSESSION, &C., OF RECORDS, AND ALSO TO RECORDS NOT YET IN THE CUSTODY OF THE MASTER OF THE ROLLS.

1. *Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law, &c.*—The issue of Warrants for the transfer of the Accruing Records of the Courts of Common Law into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, continues to be suspended, as stated in the Sixteenth Report (I. § 1), until further progress shall have been made in the removals of the Records into the General Record Repository (III. § 2).

2. *Accruing Records of the Chancery and Parliament.*—The Accruing Records of the Chancery, according to ancient usage, have been transferred into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and deposited in the Rolls Chapel, as after mentioned (II. § 29). The Accruing Records of Parliament were received in the previous year (Sixteenth Report, II. § 33).

3. *Records of the Abolished Courts of the Principality of Wales, and the Palatinate of Chester.*—The proceedings of Mr. Roberts relating to the removal into the General Repository of all the Records of these Courts, (save and except those of Cardigan and Radnor) are fully stated in the Sixteenth Report (I. § 3) and in Mr. Roberts' Report of 18th January 1855, appended thereto (App. No. 2). In 1855, Mr. Roberts completed the removal; and his Report of the 20th December 1855, hereto appended (App. No. 1) gives a full account of the business. This important task required much bodily exertion, as well as judgment, and all the Welsh Records are now deposited in the General Repository under arrangements which, though temporary, are sufficient to enable searches to be made for professional purposes amongst the same.

4. *Documents of Commissioners appointed to inquire into the State of the River Tyne.*—The proceedings of this Commission having terminated, Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department, 28th May 1855, requested the Master of the Rolls to inform him whether he could receive into his custody the various Documents connected therewith; and his Honour having assented to the proposition, the same are deposited in the Rolls Chapel Branch Record Office until further orders, as after mentioned (II. § 29).

5. *Records of the late French Claims' Commission.*—Pursuant to a request contained in a letter from the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, 3d January 1856, the Master of the Rolls has taken charge of a further portion of these Documents, which have been brought into his custody, together with others relating to Danish Claims. The particulars thereof are reserved for a future Report. This transfer is in continuation of previous removals noticed in former Reports (Fifth Report; I. § 5, II. § 37, App. I. No. 6; Thirteenth Report, I. § 5, II. § 36; and Fourteenth Report, I. § 7, II. § 29).

6. *Documents belonging to the late Office of Registrar of Metropolitan Buildings.*—The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury were pleased by their letter of the 21st December 1855, to request the Master of the Rolls to take into his charge the Documents appertaining to the late Office of Registrar of Metropolitan Buildings, No. 6, Adelphi Terrace, then in the custody of Arthur Symonds, Esq., Registrar, and the same have been received accordingly. They are deposited in the rooms formerly containing the Records and Papers of the Non-Parochial Register Office, No. 5, Rolls Yard, where they remain under the charge of Mr. Lascelles.

7. *Ratifications of Treaties with Foreign Powers.*—The Right Honourable Your Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs was pleased, 17th August 1855, to transmit to the Master of the Rolls fifty-two Ratifications of Treaties between Your Majesty and Foreign Powers, and the same have been deposited in the State Paper Branch Record Office, with other Documents of the same description, where they remain in charge of the Assistant Keepers performing duty in that repository.

8. *State Paper Office, now State Paper Branch Record Office—Consolidation of Establishments.*—In the Sixteenth Report (I. § 6), full particulars are given with respect to taking possession by the Master of the Rolls of Your Majesty's State Paper Office and the documents therein; and it is further noticed, that the Officers and Servants of the State Paper Department, as well as those employed under the State Paper Commission or otherwise, would thenceforth, until further order, perform their duties as Officers of the Public Record Department; and the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury having increased the number of Assistant Keepers and Clerks, and regulated the number, rank, and position of the Officers of the consolidated establishment, and settled their salaries, Charles Lechmere, Esq., late Deputy Keeper of the State Paper Office, and Robert Lemon, Esq., late Second Clerk of the State Paper Office, were severally appointed Assistant Keepers of Records of the First Class, upon the consolidated establishment: William Lascelles, John Edwards, and John James Bond, Esqrs., of the Public Record Office, and Hans Claude Hamilton, Esq., of the State Paper Office, were appointed Assistant Keepers of Records of the Second Class, upon the said consolidated establishment: and Thomas Temple, W. N. Sainsbury, F. M. Wilson, W. Impey, W. D. Hamilton, and F. H. Hohler, Esqrs., late Clerks of the State Paper Office or of the State Paper Commission, were appointed Clerks or Officers of the Third Class.

II. Proceedings specially relating to the several Records, or Repositories of Records, brought within the Regulations of the Statute.

Carlton Ride; and Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.

Records of the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas, and of the Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer; Equity Records of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Revenue Side of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Palace Court; &c.—(Assistant Keepers, the Rev. Joseph Hunter, Mr. Roberts, Mr. Nelson, and Mr. Bond.)

Mr. Roberts' Division.

1. *Business of the Division.*—The public business of this Division for which fees have been received, during the past year, is as follows:—

FEES RECEIVED FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 31ST DECEMBER 1855.

———	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Net Amount of Fees.	Total.
						£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Common Pleas, and Palace and Marshalsea Courts -	552	- -	- -	- -	- -	27 12 0	—
	- -	65	- -	- -	- -	3 5 0	—
	- -	- -	297	- -	- -	37 9 0	—
	- -	- -	- -	280	- -	32 7 0	—
							100 13 0
Exchequer - -	73	- -	- -	- -	- -	3 17 0	—
	- -	290	- -	- -	- -	14 10 0	—
	- -	- -	122	- -	- -	42 19 0	—
	- -	- -	- -	72	- -	22 10 0	—
							83 16 0
Queen's Bench -	47	- -	- -	- -	- -	2 11 0	—
	- -	53	- -	- -	- -	2 13 0	—
	- -	- -	23	- -	- -	11 3 6	—
	- -	- -	- -	21	- -	10 1 0	—
	- -	- -	- -	- -	1	2 2 0	—
							28 10 6
Total - -	672	408	442	373	1	- -	212 19 6

Some business has also been transacted for Government Departments, for which Fees are not charged.

Inventories, Calendars, &c.

2. *Feet of Fines* (*Modern Series*), (*Common Pleas*).—The collation and correction of the Indexes to these Records (Sixteenth Report, II. § 6, &c.) has been continued, and from Easter Term 46, to Trinity Term 54, George III., has been completed by the examination of 23,169 documents.

3. *Depositions by Commission* (*Exchequer, Queen's Remembrancer*).—The heavy labours which have fallen upon Mr. Roberts and the Officers of this Branch Office, in relation to the removal of the Records from hence to the General Repository, and the measurements and calculations for the adaptation of the Records to the new presses, as well as the complete removal of the Welsh Records into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, as stated elsewhere in this Report (I. § 3), have materially impeded the progress of the Calendars.

The Calendar of Depositions for the reign of Elizabeth (Sixteenth Report, II. § 7) has therefore only been advanced to 27 Elizabeth; but the Index to the Calendar has been made from the first to the twenty-second year, which portion therefore is now available for public use, and is very useful to Searchers. For this reason the Index will, in future, be carried on as nearly as possible concurrently with the Calendar.

A similar Calendar has been commenced for the reign of James I., and completed to Trinity Term in the fifth year; and Mr. Hunt, concurrently with the compilation of the Calendar, is also making the Index, so that text and Index will advance concurrently.

These Calendars are clear and comprehensive, and are quite creditable to Mr. Bond and Mr. Hunt, the Officers who have been employed upon them.

4. *Particulars for Grants* (*Exchequer*).—From the press of other business, greater delay than had been anticipated has occurred in the progress of the Indexes to this Inventory for the reigns of Edward VI. and Elizabeth (Sixteenth Report, II. § 8.) They will, however, as it is expected, be speedily completed by Mr. Turner; therefore this work may be considered finished.

This Calendar has been prepared by Mr. Hunt and Mr. Turner with much care and labour. During its progress it has been frequently consulted by Searchers, and is considered to be of much utility. The Indexes are very comprehensive, and extend over 760 large folio pages, comprising upwards of 20,000 entries.

5. *Calendar of the Patent Rolls (Henry VIII.), (Chancery).*—The Draft of this Calendar, noticed in previous Reports (Sixteenth Report, II. § 9, &c.), has been continued from 31 Henry VIII., part 6, to 33 Henry VIII., part 1. In all, Ten Rolls. Mr. Gairdner, who is employed upon this work, is an accurate and diligent officer, and would have made much greater progress had he been able to employ his time thereon continuously; but he has been very frequently taken off for the purpose of attending to other urgent duties. Whilst Mr. Gairdner was at the Carlton Ride, considerable part of his time was necessarily occupied in making or examining Office Copies, in attendance at the Stone Tower, and other matters which were required; and, since his removal to the General Repository he has been much engaged in sorting the books and making or revising lists of some of the Welsh Records, which have to be reduced into order.

Repairs, Arrangements, Binding, &c.

Common Pleas.

6. *Feet of Fines (Early Series in Counties).*—The operations before reported (Sixteenth Report, II. § 11) have been continued for the counties of Northampton and Oxford, and 2,203 documents have been guarded, and several repaired.

7. *Feet of Fines (Modern Series in Terms).*—The works upon these Records (Sixteenth Report, II. § 12) have been continued. Of the reigns of James I., Charles I., and Charles II., 186 Terms, containing 201,630 documents, have been flattened, done up in parcels, and placed in canvass packages, and 15,203 Fines were stamped. Of the reign of George III., 51 Terms, containing 123,869 documents, have been folded to uniform size, packed between mill-boards, and ticketed.

8. *Concords of Fines.*—The work upon this class of Records for the reign of George III. (Sixteenth Report, II. § 13) has been continued, and 71,252 documents have been cleaned, stamped, and repaired when necessary. These have been arranged in 24,257 suits, each ticketed and packed in parcels between mill-boards.

For the reign of Elizabeth, 71 Terms, containing 50,964 documents, have been flattened, packed in uniform parcels between mill-boards, and ticketed.

9. *Recovery Rolls.*—The operations on these Rolls have been continued (Sixteenth Report, II. § 14), and 215 Rolls repaired and re-tied, and made up in parcels in vellum covers. The arrangement of the whole series from 25 Eliz. to 10 Geo. IV. is now completed.

Exchequer, Queen's Remembrancer.

10. *Decrees and Orders (Miscellaneous).*—Of these, 455 have been repaired and added to the supplementary series (Sixteenth Report, II. § 16).

11. *Miscellaneous Operations.*—Much time has been occupied in flattening the coiled Rolls of the following classes at the Stone Tower and Carlton Ride, viz, the Coram Rege Rolls, Crown Rolls, Controlment Rolls, Queen's Bench Plea Rolls, Placita de Banco Rolls, Recovery Rolls, Essoign Rolls, Queen's Remembrancer's Memoranda Rolls, Lord Treasurer's Memoranda Rolls, and Originalia Rolls. Many of these had been flattened at various times, so that in each series some were coiled and others flat, which irregularity would have rendered their arrangement in the new presses highly inconvenient, if this state of things had continued. During the year, 10,989 Rolls have been laid flat and packed, some in vellum cases, and others between mill-boards, making a total of 55 vellum cases, and 3,320 packages. A great number of these Rolls are in a very bad state, and require extensive and careful repair.

The repair of Records has been effected as extensively as the means afforded to the service will allow, but it is very desirable that this branch of work should be pursued much more vigorously.

12. *Book-binding, &c.*—Of the Queen's Remembrancer's Common Minute Books, 63 volumes in a bad state have been carefully repaired and bound, and a variety of other books rebound or repaired.

Of the Welsh Docket and Plea Rolls, 43 have been carefully and thoroughly repaired at Carlton Ride, and the Inquisitions relating to the County Palatine of Chester have been flattened and sorted into reigns. Of the Welsh Docket and other Books, 15 volumes were repaired and rebound at Carlton Ride. Various minor operations have been performed in sorting, cleaning, flattening

repairing, and arranging the Records, which have been stated in the Monthly Returns of Work, but cannot conveniently be enumerated in this Report.

13. *Lists of Records according to Classes.*—Much time has been occupied in making or collating the lists of the Records according to their respective classes, which lists are then copied in a uniform shape and bound up. Not only are these lists very useful in the Searching Office, but their preparation, at this juncture has become especially needful, enabling the Officers to assign the respective classes to the particular presses and shelves which are to receive them in the General Repository, and to send Specifications thereof. It is very important that this operation should be accurately performed, in order that sufficient instructions may be given to the Clerk of the Works, for the purpose of settling the levels, so that the shelf-bearers may not require any alteration or shifting when the Records are removed thereto. The completion of this arrangement is more urgently required for the Carlton Ride Records than for any others, both on account of the great diversity of dimensions and variety of forms which the several classes exhibit, and the very large mass they constitute in the whole, it being calculated that they will occupy about thirty-three of the Repository Rooms in the General Repository.

General Repository.

14. *Work.*—The work performed at the General Repository has principally consisted of bookbinding, and the sortation, packing, and repair of the Welsh Records. Of the Welsh Record Books, 24 volumes have been rebound and several others repaired, in addition to the operations at Carlton Ride (II. § 12). For the Rolls House, about 70 volumes were repaired or re-covered in cloth. For the Rolls Chapel, 37 large volumes of Inquisitions have been bound, and 452 volumes of the same series repaired, and 24 other volumes rebound or repaired.

15. *Welsh Records.*—Three workmen from the Carlton Ride have been employed for some months past in this Repository on the sortation and packing of these Records, and as before mentioned (II. § 14). Mr. Roberts regrets that more workmen have not been placed at his disposal for this work. The mass is so large, that only about one-third of the whole has yet been subjected to the operations needed for their division and arrangements into such form as will permit their being placed on the shelves of the new presses, and the rest of these Records remain in the large bags and boxes in which they were brought up to London. Several of the most important classes, as the Docket Books, Plea Rolls, Fines, Inquisitions, &c., have been sorted and arranged chronologically, either in reigns or years, and, when necessary, packed up ready for arrangement in the new presses as soon as they are ready to receive them, and accurate lists of each class are in course of preparation, which when completed will be bound up for the use of the Office. The Welsh Records are generally in bad condition and need repairs, and require a larger number of workmen than is at present at the disposal of the Office.

Mr. Hunter's Division.

16. *Business of the Division.*—The extent of the fee-paying business of this Division appears from the following statement:—

——	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Total.		
1855.						£	s.	d.
January	-	11	1	1	-	0	13	6
February	1	16	4	-	-	7	6	6
March	-	6	3	-	-	0	15	6
April	-	34	2	1	-	1	1	0
May	-	7	1	-	1	2	13	0
June	-	158	4	-	-	1	1	0
July	-	2	2	1	-	7	2	0
August	-	15	1	-	-	0	15	6
September	-	82	4	-	-	1	1	0
October	-	24	1	-	-	0	8	6
November	-	5	4	-	-	0	19	0
December	-	-	7	5	-	4	6	6
Total	1	360	34	8	1	28	2	6

Mr. Nelson, an Assistant Keeper of the Second Class, has been relieved from attendance in Mr. Roberts' Department, (except in special cases,) by the appoint-

ment of Mr. Bond as an Assistant Keeper. Mr. Hunter speaks highly of the services rendered by Mr. Nelson and by Mr. Redington, and testifies also to Mr. Green's regularity and diligence.

17. *Queen's Remembrancer's Miscellaneous Records.*—Mr. Hunter has continued the very laborious task of the cleansing, repairing, entitling, and describing the ancient and long neglected Accounts deposited in the Exchequer (Sixteenth Report, II. § 2, &c.).

Mr. Hunter in reporting upon his duties calls attention to the fact, that having had an immense mass of confused and decaying Records of all dates and all kinds placed in his hands to be cleansed, repaired, ascertained, arranged, and ultimately indicated in properly constructed Calendars, his main business is constituted by this work.

Mr. Hunter has proceeded upon the general idea that the documents in his charge should be divided into two great classes, the ancient and the modern, drawing the line at the close of the reign of James the First. It has been to the first class or the ancient Accounts of Sheriffs, Escheators, and other Accountants of the Crown, that his attention has been hitherto directed, reserving the Modern Documents for future consideration. And he now reports (1.) that all the Accounts, as far as known, are cleansed, repaired, and ascertained; and (2.) that in the course of the past year they have been distributed in classes preparatory to the proposed removal of them to the General Repository, all except those of the reign of James the First; that of several of the classes the Finished Calendar has been completed, and of two other classes nearly advanced towards completion. The expression "Finished Calendar" means that it should be understood that there has been a collation of the descriptive slips with the documents, and of the documents one with another, partly during the process of arrangement and partly when the Calendar was being fairly written out, a very necessary labour when Calendars are in course of preparation for the permanent protection of the Records and for public use in future time.

Besides this, a considerable amount of fragmentary matter has been described and reduced to order.

In the course of these arrangements, Mr. Hunter discovered a large portion of the Parliament Roll of the 33 Edward I., a Roll from which only excerpts were printed by Ryley, and from him transferred to the Government Publication of the Rolls of Parliament, which is understood to have been of material importance in the case of the Grandison Peerage.

The Documents which have been examined by Mr. Hunter and described in slips have been 1,342, chiefly fragmentary. These, added to those before reported, make the total 90,416. The reigns to which they belong will appear in the following Table :—

Richard I.	1	Henry VIII.	457
Henry III.	1	Edward VI.	66
Edward I.	36	Philip & Mary	9
Edward II.	18	Elizabeth	154
Edward III.	100	James I.	123
Richard II.	48	Charles I.	157
Henry IV.	13	Interregnum	3
Henry V.	3	Charles II.	94
Henry VI.	20	William & Mary	2
Edward IV.	5	George III.	1
Richard III.	1	Undetermined	16
Henry VII.	14		
			1,342

18. *Calendars and Indexes.*—The Calendar of the Escheators' Accounts and Inquisitions for the first period, namely, from Henry III. to the close of the reign of Edward III. (the Calendar for the second and third periods having been before completed), has been nearly finished for the whole of the Escheatries.

A Calendar of the Parliamentary documents, mostly duplicates of documents already printed in the authentic Edition of the Statutes, has been prepared.

Also, the Calendar of the Documents of the Irish Exchequer, or relating to the internal affairs of that kingdom.

Also, of the Accounts of the Keepers of the Domus Conversorum.

The Calendar of the Accounts of the Clerk of the Hanaper has been prepared as far as the close of the reign of Henry VIII.

A List of the Sheriffs of the various Shrievalties has been prepared by Mr. Green, according to the evidence of old Repertories in the office, from 1 Richard II. to 36 Henry VIII., and since the 10th of May 1855, he has been employed on the modern portion of these documents.

Mr. Green, in pursuance of special instructions received from the Deputy Keeper, has made a general sortation of the documents hitherto unexamined into classes, which afterwards will have to be reduced into chronological order. The diligence bestowed by Mr. Green is very creditable to him, and the result satisfactory. A portion of the documents appertain to classes of Exchequer Records; but many other portions relate to the expenditure of the Army under the Commonwealth.

Chapter House.

Common Law, Exchequer, and Miscellaneous Records.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Devon and Mr. Burtt).

19. *Business of the Division: Proceedings of the Court of Wards and Liveries, Court of Requests, Miscellanea, &c.*—The following is the detail of business in this Division:—

73 Searches.
69 Inspections.
43 Copies.
23 Authentications.
Amount of Fees received 20*l.* 14*s.*

The Literary Searchers have occupied much of the time of the Assistant Keepers.

Mr. Devon has been constantly employed on the Index to the Court of Requests' Records (Sixteenth Report, II. § 26), and has indexed 1,000 more suits, consisting of 3,000 documents, making a total of 3,456 suits, or 10,368 documents, completed, with searchable references, during the reign of Elizabeth.

Mr. Burtt has commenced a similar Index of the Proceedings of the Court of Star Chamber for the reign of Henry VIII., which were some time since ordered to be bound, seven volumes of which are already indexed.

20. *Notes of Fines.*—During the year, 87,464 more Fines (Sixteenth Report, II. § 27), extending from Trin. 32 Geo. III. to East. 6 Geo. IV. inclusively, have been numbered: 236 Fines are missing for this period, besides 175 belonging to Hil. 5 and 6, and East. 6, Geo. IV., making altogether 411. Of the 163 Fines added to the Index, 157 belong to Hil. 5 and 6, and East. 6, Geo. IV., so that, excepting those two bundles, there were only 6 Fines not indexed for the above period.

It should be observed that the discrepancies discovered between the Bundles and the Index would have been much more numerous, but for the pains which were previously taken by the Record Officers to rectify mistakes that had been made. It frequently happened that Fines belonging to one County were found among those of another County in the same Bundle, or perhaps in that of a subsequent year or term. To identify these Fines and restore them to their proper places, required considerable time and labour. Besides this work, about 200 Fines, found amongst the Miscellaneous, &c., at the Carlton Ride and the Chapter House, have been identified and inserted in their proper places.

With respect to the bundles Hil. 5 and 6, and East. 6, Geo. IV. above referred to, each document in the Bundle had to be compared separately with the Index, a very slow process, but which will have to be pursued with the subsequent bundles to Mic. 8 Geo. IV. inclusively.

21. *Proceedings of the Court of Star Chamber.*—The operations upon the Proceedings of the Court of Star Chamber have been judiciously pursued by Mr. Burtt, with reference to their speedy removal to the General Repository.

The collection professedly extends from the 20th year of Edward IV. to the reign of Charles I. (inclusive), and its bulk is as follows:—

20 Edward IV. One small bundle.

Henry VII. Two bundles, about one foot in diameter.

Henry VIII. Sixteen bound volumes to "G. Y.;" 98 bundles of various sizes, arranged under the initial letters of the Plaintiffs.

Edward VI. About eight bundles, distributed in pigeon holes under the initial letter of the Plaintiff's name.

Philip & Mary. Nineteen bundles, put up under initial of Plaintiff.

Elizabeth. 976 bundles, put up under initial of Plaintiff, and indexed as to parties and description of document; also two bundles not indexed.

James I. A loose mass estimated to be equal to 96 bundles of one foot in diameter.

Charles I. None have been found bundled, as specifically belonging to this reign. They will be found among the "Miscellaneous Star Chamber Proceedings, various dates;" of which there are about 50 bundles of one foot in diameter, and among the loose unassigned documents, the extent of which cannot be well estimated in their present condition.

An endorsement of the bundle of the 20th year of Edward IV., attributing it to the Court of Star Chamber, appears to Mr. Burtt to be an error, as it was not till the reign of Henry VII. that the Section or Committee of the Royal Council, which met in the "Starred Chamber" of the Palace of Westminster, was known by that distinctive title. The Documents themselves are Petitions to the King and Council, without any other proceedings; and Mr. Burtt has reason to believe that many similar documents of the same or a preceding date are scattered among the "Miscellanea" in this Office.

In the course of Mr. Burtt's examination of that part of the Office in which the above-mentioned proceedings have long been deposited, and intermixed with them, he met with various documents, which are entirely of a different character, and belong to other classes, and must be incorporated with them :—

Exchequer Accounts :—"Abstract of the Accounts of the Public Revenue, "Taxes, and Moneys borrowed, between Mich'as 1706 and Mich'as 1707."

County Placita, *i.e.* Coroners' Rolls, Placita Coronæ, Rolls of Gaol Delivery, &c., 17 Rolls, Edward II. to Henry IV. (?)

Coroners' Rolls, and two bundles of writs, panels, &c., supplementary to the above.

Court of Wards and Liveries: Ministers' Accounts: 95 detached membranes.

Prince's Receivers' Accounts : 1 Charles I. 27 Rolls. } These had been
" " " 6 Charles I. 20 Rolls. } misplaced.

Privy Seal Bills: one bundle, James I., and seven detached.

Tower of London.

Records of the Chancery, Admiralty, &c.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. Hardy.)

22. *Business of the Division.*—The business of this Division, for which Fees have been paid, has been as follows :—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Fees. £ s. d.
1855.						
January	-	5	22	-	-	5 12 6
February	2	17	36	6	-	13 8 0
March	1	6	11	5	-	4 12 0
April	2	3	20	2	-	4 17 0
May	1	1	-	-	-	0 2 0
June	-	5	9	6	-	3 5 0
July	1	7	7	20	-	5 1 6
August	2	22	7	1	2	7 2 6
September	-	2	2	1	-	1 8 0
October	2	15	13	1	-	2 19 0
November	3	8	1	-	-	0 16 6
December	1	-	10	1	-	2 16 0
Total	15	91	138	43	2	52 0 0

23. *Ancient Parliamentary Petitions.* — During the year, the whole time of the Clerks, when they have not been engaged on the current business of the Office, has been devoted to the arrangement and calendaring of the Petitions to the King or to the Council, or Parliament (Sixteenth Report, II. § 28). These documents are of a most important character, whether they are regarded in the light of materials for a Parliamentary and Constitutional History of England, or as data for legal, topographical, or genealogical en-

quiries; they extend from the commencement of the reign of Edward I. to the end of that of Edward IV. Many of them are printed in the Edition of the Rolls of Parliament published pursuant to a vote of the House of Lords in 1765, but the greater portion (perhaps nine-tenths) still remains unpublished. They were brought to light about the year 1805 by the late Mr. Samuel Lysons, at that time Keeper of the Records in the Tower. He found them intermixed with numerous other documents in a dark corner of the White Tower, and having arranged them roughly into reigns, placed them in portfolios and bags. So valuable and important were these Petitions considered by the lawyers and constitutional antiquaries of the last two centuries, that they caused copies to be made of all that were then accessible, but which, as before stated, are far less numerous than the unedited portion. Several volumes of such transcripts are still preserved among the manuscripts in Lincoln's Inn Library, the Inner Temple Library, the British Museum, the Bodleian Library, and elsewhere. They were, as Mr. Hardy supposes, made from the originals which Mr. Lysons found, and were unknown to the editors of the House of Lords' Edition of the Rolls of Parliament above alluded to, who were therefore necessitated to print these documents from transcripts collected by Sir Matthew Hale, Astle, Ryley, Anstis, Harley, Cotton, and others. Thus these documents, which may be said to embrace the entire compass of Parliamentary jurisdiction, were printed from transcripts that had not, as Mr. Hardy considers, been compared with the originals, and which upon examination were found to be so inaccurate as to deprive them of all authentic character. "These facts," as Mr. Hardy states "determined "the late Record Commissioners to reprint the Rolls of Parliament with the "Petitions, the errors and defects in the Edition of the House of Lords being irre-"mediable. This duty was confided to the care of the present Deputy Keeper of "the Public Records, who commenced his labours in 1822, by examining and "copying all the Petitions produced to him by the officers in the Tower. His "transcripts of these unpublished documents fill no less than 66 volumes, and "yet several remain still unexamined. Many of these documents, however, "could not be assigned by the editor to any particular year, as they bear no date "whatever, though from the handwriting and the internal evidence of the instru-"ment, the reign to which each belongs can generally be ascertained."

One of the objects of the Calendar now in the course of formation, is the identification of all the Petitions that are printed in the House of Lords' Edition, their separation from the general mass, and their arrangement with reference to the printed Rolls, so that they may be accessible whenever required. Hitherto, if a searcher desired to inspect any of the documents in question, say, for instance, those numbered 57, 58, and 59, Vol. I. p. 470, they could not be produced to him on demand. It would have been necessary to go over, one by one, every Petition (amounting to some thousands) in order to find those required, a labour that would occupy several days; but by means of the present Calendar it can be immediately ascertained that 57 is in bundle B. No. 209., 58 in bundle C. No. 341., and 59 in bundle C. No. 281.; in addition to this, each document will be marked, and, when it has been printed, a reference made upon it to the page and volume where it can be found. The inconvenience and loss of time occasioned by the delays arising from the absence of the means of ready reference determined Mr. Hardy to commence this Calendar, though much time is necessarily expended in searching out the date of a Petition, and in ascertaining whether or not it has been printed. Of the above-mentioned documents, 2,210 have been calendared. It is hardly possible to exaggerate the importance of these documents in relation to the before-mentioned subjects, connected either with legal or constitutional history, or biographical inquiry; and it will be desirable when such Calendars are completed to cause them to be printed in such manner as is suggested in a subsequent portion of this Report (III. § 3).

24. *Parliamentary Writs and Returns, &c.*—3,320 Writs and Returns to Parliament (Sixteenth Report, II. § 29), and other Miscellaneous Records, have been alphabetically sorted, numbered, arranged in boards, and entitled.

25. *Proceedings on the Common Law Side of the Court of Chancery.*—Of the documents called County Placita (Sixteenth Report, II. § 30), 973 Instruments have been sorted, arranged, and catalogued.

26. *Royal and other Letters, &c.*—In the Fourteenth Report (II. § 24), it is stated that the calendaring of these documents had been suspended, until the

sortation of the Miscellaneous Records had been completed, as very many of those instruments had been discovered during the sortation of the Miscellaneous Records. The Master of the Rolls being desirous that the Calendar should be forthwith completed and prepared for the press (III. § 3), it was resumed in November 1855, by Mr. Sanders, and his operations, which are favourably reported by Mr. Hardy, will be noticed in the Deputy Keeper's subsequent Reports.

27. *Literary Inquirers, Repairs, &c.*—Much of Mr. Hardy's time has been consumed in making measurements of the Records in his charge, and arrangements and preparations for the removal of the Admiralty Books and Papers (III. § 1); and he has been much employed in attending on the public, especially the Literary Searchers. The following Table will show the operations of the workmen:—

	Cleaned.	Repaired.
Early Chancery Proceedings	4,343	4,343
County Placita	1,529	1,529
Miscellaneous Records	879	879

	Rolls.	Membranes repaired.	Membranes sewed.
Miscellaneous Rolls	275	1,021	910

	Boards.	Instruments.
Sewing Miscellaneous Records in Boards	109	2,322

	Hours.
Admiralty Searching	176

Rolls Chapel Office.

Records of the Chancery, Privy Signet, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe.)

28. *Business of the Division.*—In addition to the ordinary business of the Office, Mr. Holden, in his capacity of Clerk of the Chapel, has attended the Lord Chancellor and the Master of the Rolls with Records when required; also on the public, there having been ninety-three attendances in the Chapel, in compliance with Orders of Court in cases of Foreclosure of Mortgages.

Much of his time has also been occupied in attending the Deputy Keeper, Mr. Holden being employed under the Deputy Keeper's special directions upon a variety of matters relating to the General Repository. He has performed the duties of Care-taker of the General Repository (Sixteenth Report, III. § 2), and has zealously co-operated with Messrs. Hardy and Roberts, who have acted as a species of Committee in aid of the Deputy Keeper, with respect to the management of the works in progress in the General Repository, preparatory to its completion for the reception of the Records, under the direction of the Deputy Keeper, as mentioned in another part of this Report (III. § 2).

The following Table shows the Office business performed and the Fees received in the Rolls Chapel Office:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies and Quantity.	Authentications and Quantity.	Attendances.	Fees.		
1855.			folios.	folios.		£	s.	d.
January	59	120	19=541	10=346	1	28	0	6
February	39	68	32=416	3= 47	1	15	5	6
March	43	74	20=418	12=188	-	19	4	0
April	36	64	16=423	8=194	-	21	2	6
May	31	53	13=654	3=152	-	23	1	0
June	59	130	36=961	13=331	1	38	12	0
July	56	86	25=595	20=454	1	33	7	6
August	38	71	13=195	-	-	8	16	6
September	27	54	5=104	2=37	-	6	2	0
October	39	64	7=27	3=27	-	12	8	0
November	48	47	11=436	4=97	-	17	3	6
December	29	66	11=350	4=89	-	14	8	6
Total	504	897	208=5,120	82=1,962	4	237	11	6

The following Table shows the Business done and Fees received upon the Chester and Welsh Records deposited in the General Repository:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies and Quantity.	Authentications and Quantity.	Attendances.	Fees.
1855.			folios.	folios.		£ s. d.
January - -	9	5	5=50	5=50	- -	4 15 0
February - -	4	3	3=29	3=29	- -	2 9 0
March - -	6	5	7=47	7=47	- -	3 13 0
April - -	4	4	4=40	4=49	- -	2 8 0
May - -	1	1	1=11	- - -	- -	0 10 6
June - -	7	11	9=59	5=44	- -	3 4 6
July - -	4	6	4=26	4=26	- -	1 16 0
August - -	5	10	2=11	2=11	- -	1 4 0
September - -	5	3	3=47	3=47	- -	2 16 0
October - -	4	4	3=27	3=27	- -	1 12 0
November - -	4	5	4=46	2=19	- -	1 12 6
December - -	3	2	2=30	2=30	- -	1 13 0
Total - -	56	59	47=423	40=370	- -	27 13 6

Business has also been done for Literary Inquirers, &c., for which no Fees have been received.

In addition to the ordinary business of the Office towards the Public, and assistance rendered to the House of Lords, very much labour has been employed in the business created by the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions, and Your Majesty's Printers (Sixteenth Report, II. § 32). The repeated daily visits of clerks, draftsmen, copyists, and others employed by the Commissioners, have been equal to 1,950 applications; 500 Specifications have been inspected, each on the average five times for distinct purposes, equal to 2,500 inspections; 500 Specifications have been copied in ink, consisting of 26,800 folios; 1,000 Plans have been copied, and each Plan on the average used five times for distinct purposes, equal to 5,000 inspections. Printed proofs of 500 copies of Specifications, consisting of 26,800 folios, have been examined and corrected by the readers from Your Majesty's Printing Office. Workmen's time employed in reference to this service, 2,551 hours. In consequence of extensive alterations required in the Office for the purpose of accommodating the various clerks and draftsmen employed by the Commissioners, the business of the Office was necessarily much interrupted during the progress of such operations.

29. *Transmissions of Records.*—According to the ancient course of the Chancery, the following Records have been brought into this Office during the year, viz.:—

From the Enrolment Office:—

The Close Rolls of 1840, consisting of 217 parts.
12 bundles of Memorials of Grants of Life Annuities.

N.B.—The Recognizance Rolls of 1840, which form part of the Close Rolls, and ought to accompany them, have not been received.

From the Petty Bag Office:—

The Patent Rolls of 7 Will. IV., consisting of 22 parts.
The Signed Bills and Privy Seal Warrants of 7 Will. IV., consisting of 22 bundles.
The Patent Rolls of 1 Vict., consisting of 30 parts.
The Signed Bills and Privy Seal Warrants of 1 Vict., consisting of 30 bundles.

From the Office of the Clerks of Records and Writs:—

The Enrolments of 98 Decrees, together with the Dockets. The Enrolments have been sewed together and form five Rolls; the Dockets have been tied up in bundles to correspond.

All the above-mentioned Records have been arranged and placed in their respective order of succession.

The following Documents have also been received (I. § 4):—"No. 1, River Tyne Commission, Transcripts of Minutes of Evidence, 1855." "No. 2, Two Books of Calculations on the Capacity of the River Tyne."

30. *Indexes, Repairs, &c.*—The works performed in relation thereto are as follows:—

Index to Close Rolls, 1826, fair copy completed.
" " 1828, fair copy in progress.
" " 1834, in progress in official form from the Enrolments.
" " 1835, draft index partly examined with the Enrolments.
" " 1836, in progress in draft.
" " 1839, alphabetical list in progress.

Memorials, 1839, Office Index completed.

Index to Patent Rolls, 5 Will. IV., 6 Will. IV., and 7 Will. IV., office index completed, together with the alphabets thereto, by Mr. Sharpe.

All Decrees brought in during the year have been indexed, 98 in number, forming five Rolls.

The Specification Index has been entered up for 1839 and part of 1840 (450 Specifications).

The following is a summary of the operations by workmen:—

Cleaned,	611	Membranes of Records of various kinds.
Repaired,	1,949	
Sewed,	1,558	

Rolls House.

Pell Records, and other Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer, formerly in the Custody of the Comptroller-General, &c.; Treasury Records; War Office Records; Slave Registration and Slave Compensation Records; Welsh Records; &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe, and afterwards Mr. Lascelles.)

31. *Business of the Division.*—Mr. Lascelles, having been for many years an active Senior Officer in the Third Class, entered upon the discharge of his duties as Assistant Keeper, 2d August 1855, but this Report contains his operations as well as those of Mr. Knight and Mr. Hart, Officers of the Third Class under his directions, during the whole year. The fees will be found in the Tabular Statement, App. No. 2.

In this Division, so miscellaneous are its contents, the public can scarcely move a step without the counsel and assistance of some officer thoroughly acquainted with its details, and for several months past the attention of the officers in it has been mainly occupied by removals and arrangements. The nature and uses of Government documents required much examination; new acquisitions pouring in, necessitating new inquiries. Few lists have been transmitted with the Government documents in proportion to the masses. The Record Officers have to learn new lessons, and to obtain that information which enables an officer to trace a particular paper and find it among many tons, and when the document is required for the purpose of establishing facts, to know readily and precisely into what quarter to look in order to find that Record among many classes, which shall particularly answer the object in view.

The heavy business of collecting under one and the same roof the various classes of Records which have been gradually gathered together from numerous Offices into the Rolls House and Buildings adjoining, and which unitedly make up the bulk allotted to this Division, being the accumulations of what may be strictly defined as "Government Departments," has continued to engross the care and attention of all the officers in this Division; and their attention has been directed rather to hastening the final reduction into consultable order of past accumulations and recent additions, than to that minute investigation of detailed contents which is necessary for the formation of Calendars.

32. *Transfers.*—On the 5th, 6th, and 7th of February 1855, the Treasury Solicitor's Papers, which had been removed from Whitehall to the Chapter House, between the 2d and 10th of August 1853, pursuant to the Warrant of the Master of the Rolls, were brought from thence to the General Repository (Sixteenth Report, II. § 42) and placed under the control of Mr. Lascelles. On their first arrival, they were stowed in three rooms in the basement floor.

Subsequently they were raised to the top story, by means of the exterior crane: they were, exclusive of papers in bags, &c., contained in 229 tin and wooden boxes and chests of various sizes—some so heavy that four men were often required to lift one box. The preceding transfer, bulky as it was, was comparatively inconsiderable compared with one of greater importance, and of unusual magnitude, which commenced on the 13th of February 1855, and was, so far as concerned the mere act of transit, completed on the 10th of March following. This operation consisted of the clearance of the War Office Depôt, and the removal of its contents to this Department (Sixteenth Report, I. § 12, II. § 44). This transfer was required by the War Office and the Treasury, with the object of obtaining premises near the Horse Guards sufficient to accommodate the increased business of the Army Medical Board; and this end could not be effected except by the clearance of a Mansion in Whitehall Yard, partly in the occupation of the Army Clothing Office, but principally used by the War Office as a Depôt for its Records and Papers. (See also III. § 1).

33. *Arrangements.*—The operations of dusting, rough sorting, and arrangement, have proceeded vigorously: the remainder of the Papers contained in the loft over the Engine House, of which the condition has been stated in previous Reports (Fifteenth Report, II. § 32, Sixteenth Report, II. § 36) has very nearly passed through the workmen's hands for the purposes of dusting, cleansing, and flattening—a laborious and disagreeable operation. The difficulties formerly described remained to be contended with; and loose Papers and leaves of Books adhered so closely together, that the operations upon them were tedious in the extreme.

Cape Coast Castle Account Books, Accounts and Vouchers, and Correspondence.—These portions of the loft Papers just alluded to have been completed so far as the treatment above described and the rough sortation are concerned (Sixteenth Report, II. § 36): they are tied up in parcels in brown paper, but some further operations will be performed. They are labelled and arranged in chronological order, in all 219 bundles, bearing date from 1741 to 1819.

War Office Papers.—The operations upon them since their transfer have been carried on uninterruptedly, and on a large scale. In the Sixteenth Report (II. § 44), the commencement of operations was detailed, but up to that period little progress had been made in raising them from the ground and basement floors to the upper stories of the General Repository. For this purpose, the iron gratings were raised, and a set of shear-legs with block and tackle diligently employed under the direction of Mr. Lascelles; in less than three months 150 tons were dispersed through the corridors of the Repository, and in two rooms on the basement.

The arrangement of the War Office Papers in the General Repository, though only for temporary deposit, required much attention. Many tickets had to be written; many packages had to be re-tied in brown paper, six reams being so expended, and many loose Documents, had out for use, and suffered to accumulate, had to be restored to their places. And, in addition to the above, their new location rendered it necessary to add an extra ticketing, inside the Books and Bundles, and also outside, in order to make them easily distinguishable from the accumulations of Documents belonging to other Offices, which have been here congregated, and to guard against any negligent commixture.

In the meantime the service of the War Office itself had not to be neglected. No trouble was spared, and, notwithstanding the great difficulties that offered themselves, the required papers were produced, with even regularity, and without interruption to or retarding the business of that Department. The administration of the Documents was carried on pursuant to the letter of the Master of the Rolls, dated 1st February 1854, and a book was especially provided for this service, planned in a tabular form, to render the issue and return of documents very expeditious, while complying at the same time with all the requisite formalities. The following Table will show the additional amount of work performed at this Office in consequence of the removal now under notice: the Register first began to be kept on the 12th of March 1855: an issue and a return have each been considered as a search, for quite as much trouble was entailed on the Office by the one as by the other:—March, 70; April, 103; May, 112; June, 114; July, 140; August, 57; September, 57;

October, 133; November, 124; December, 76. Total documents issued and rt urned, 986.

As located at present, the War Office papers are dispersed as follows in various parts of the building:—In the corridor of the Second Floor:—The Old Regimental Muster Rolls, the Regimental Pay Lists, and Adjutants' Rolls; the Muster Master-General's, the Regimental, and other Indexes; the bound Casualty Returns, the Service Returns, and the other petty series of bound Volumes. In the First Floor corridor:—The Old Series of Correspondence, the Effects Papers marked C., the Unnumbered Papers, the Correspondence marked A., the Discharges, and some of the petty series of Papers. In the Ground Floor corridor:—The Deserter Papers, the Monthly Returns, the Arrear Papers, the Foreign numbered Papers, the M. Papers, the Militia Pay Lists and Muster Rolls (English, Irish, and Scotch), and the Militia Accounts and Vouchers. In the Rooms D 10 and 11 on the basement:—The Regimental Accounts and Vouchers, the District Pay Lists, Accounts, and Vouchers, &c. All these documents have been carefully arranged in the General Repository by the labours of Mr. Lascelles, assisted by four workmen on an average during a period of eight months, and are now in course of being removed to the houses in Chancery Lane (III. § 1), in order that presses may be erected in the corridors. These statements will show, yet only imperfectly, the great labour that has been cast upon this department by the War Office Papers having been transferred to the Master of the Rolls.

Miscellaneous Exchequer Records.—Mr. Knight has worked upon the following classes, heretofore in the office of the Auditor of Receipt; Tellers' Certificates; Powers of Attorney and Assignments; Applications by the Bishop of London for Bounty for Ministers going to America; Bills allowed and signed by the Treasurer and Under-Treasurer of the Exchequer (containing Accounts of the extraordinary Expenses of Foreign Ambassadors, and Bills of Charges for prosecuting persons counterfeiting the current Coin, &c.); Warrants for Orders; Receipts for Orders; Tellers' Certificates of Remains; Ordnance Quarter Books; Gunpowder Certificates; Papers relating to the Transport and Victualling, &c. of Troops for Ireland, 1559–1619; Bills, Warrants, &c. payable by the Treasurers or Receivers General of the Prince of Wales; Navy, Dockyards, &c. Estimates, Certificates, &c.; Garrison Pay of Upnor Castle, Portsmouth, Plymouth, the Scilly Isles, &c.; Miscellaneous Lists of Exchequer Bills, Lists of Fees, Debits, Receipts, for Land Tax charged on Offices; Accounts of and Receipts for Stationery and Necessaries of the Exchequer. The following statement affords a more detailed view of his operations:—

Papers of the Auditor of the Receipt of the Exchequer.—The following classes of Papers have been sorted, stamped, and made up in bundles. In these operations Mr. Knight has worked upon and prosecuted the arrangements commenced by Mr. Edwards in aid of Mr. Black (Third Report, App. I. No. 13). The first four classes and some of the others are supplemental to the "Warrants of divers kinds" described in the Eighth Report, App. II. No. 10:—

Warrants for Orders, 1705, 1706, 1727.

Ambassadors' Bills of Extraordinaries and other Bills Allowed, 1701–1797.

Bills, Receipts, and Warrants of the Commissioners of Revenue, &c. payable by Sir Adam Newton, Treasurer or Receiver General to the Prince of Wales, 1617–1630.

Bills, Warrants, &c., payable by Sir David Cuningham, Receiver General of the Revenues of the King when Prince of Wales, 1628–1638; also Receiver General of the Prince of Wales and the Royal Progeny, 1639–1642.

Warrants, Letters, Accounts, Receipts, Certificates, and Contracts relating to the Transport, Victualling, and Equipment, at Chester, Barnstaple, Bristol, and other places, of Troops for Ireland, 1559–1619. Also a few Papers relating to similar expenses for the Army in France and the Low Countries.

Pay for the Garrisons of Upnor Castle, Portsmouth, Plymouth, the Scilly Isles, and other fortifications, 1589–1610.

Navy, Dockyards, &c. Estimates, Certificates, &c., 1588–1726.

Ordnance Quarter Books, 1587–1634.

Gunpowder Certificates, 1581–1636.

Receipts of various sorts, 1661–1796.
Receipts for Land Tax charged on Offices, 1724–1780.
Powers of Attorney and Assignments, 1701–1706.
Applications by the Bishop of London for Bounty for Ministers going to America, 1743–1791.
Miscellaneous, consisting of Receipts, Petitions, Reports, and other Treasury Papers, 1702–1791.
Tellers' Certificates, various, 1661–1830.
Tellers' Certificates of Remains, 1628–1665.
Certificates, various, 1700–1797.
Debits, 1798–1801.

Rolls and Membranes, from the Auditor's Office.—Many of these have been stamped, some mended, and not a few, hitherto separated, have been deposited with the series to which they belong; many have also been wrapped round with cartridge paper, with descriptions written thereon. They are put together in bundles until presses can be provided for them, and are as follow:—

Expenses of Foreign Garrisons and Troops abroad, four rolls, Jas. I. and Chas. II.
Military Establishments, Musters, &c., for service in Ireland, 15 rolls, also one roll of soldiers pressed out of the County of Suffolk and sent to Yarmouth; Eliz. and Jas. II.
Quietus of the Clerk of the Pipe for Wilkins, Receiver of Taxes for Wilts, four rolls, 1798–1801; also his Writ and Bond, dated 1798, returned into the Exchequer.
Quietus of the Clerk of the Pipe for the Cofferer and Keeper of the Great Wardrobe, four rolls, 1716, 1717, 1718, and 1721. Also one roll for the Profits of the Green Wax, 13 Chas. II.
Certificates by the Clerk of the Pipe of Post-fines answered by the Sheriffs, 22 rolls, Chas. I., Chas. II., Jas. II., Will. III., Geo. I., Geo. II., and 1 Geo. III.
Accounts of the Alienation Office, ten rolls, Eliz., Chas. I., and 1650–1652.
Imprest Certificates, Eliz., Chas. II., Jas. II., Will. and Mary, Geo. II., and Geo. III., 29 rolls, those of Geo. III. rolled up together.
Original Letters Patent, various dates, some of Oliver and Richard Cromwell.
Original Letters of Privy Seal.
Original Liberates, sorted into reigns, Eliz. to Chas. II.
Parchment Orders and Tallies assigned.
Indentures of Weights and Measures, in three files, dated respectively 1663–1670, 1679–1681, and 1749–1796.
Three Paper Draughts of Under-Treasurer's Declarations, 14–15, 35–36, 36–37 Hen. VIII.
Assignments, &c.
Probates and Administrations of Wills, &c., a few dated 1665, 1731, 1766, 1822, and 1828.
Releases and Surrenders.
Constitutions—put up in the same bundle as the foregoing.
Accounts of the Public Funded Debt of Great Britain and Ireland, and its Redemption, 1810, 1813, and 1814.
Decayed Parchments, Fragments, &c.

Rolls, &c., from the Vault at Somerset House and the Pell Office.—These documents (described as in progress in the Sixth Report, II. §§ 51–56) have been treated in the same manner as the foregoing, and are as follows:—

Jewel Rolls, one of Hen. IV. and six of Eliz.
Receivers of the Revenues of Charles I. when Prince of Wales, seven rolls.
Court Rolls, five.
Rolls of Accounts relating to Lands.
Liberate Roll of Mich. term, 53–54 Hen. III.; also a fragment of 50 Hen. III.
Ancient Rolls of Daily Bills, six; also three small ancient Rolls of Receipt and Issue: all from the clearings of the Pell Office.
Subsidy Roll, a fragment.

File of Indentures testifying payments of moneys due to Walter de Langton, late Bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, into the Exchequer, 1, 2, and 4 Edw. II.

Letters Patent granted to Queen Philippa, 4, 5, 7, and 33 Edw. III.

Bonds delivered to the French Ambassador on his payment of £60,000 into the Exchequer, dated 7th Nov. 1612.

State of the Public Revenues, from 5th Nov. 1688 to Mich. 1700.

Registered Treasury Papers.—The operations on these documents have, as during former years, been very much impeded by necessary arrangements of Exchequer Records, and the current business of the Office. Still, good progress has been made, not only as regards the arrangement of the mass of these papers, but also of the largest and most difficult of the classes. The classes referred to are the Reports on Referred Petitions of the Commissioners for Customs and Excise in England, about one half of the former and the greater part of the latter of which had been accidentally separated from the Petitions to which they refer; and the labour necessary to reunite them, involving the repeated handling of so many documents, (it being necessary to cast both Reports and Petitions into the strict alphabetical order of names, under years, besides their subsequent chronological arrangement,) is wearisome and tedious. The classes that remain to be arranged, besides being much less bulky, present none of the difficulties which have impeded the operations effected on the foregoing. About 17,551 documents, without reckoning inclosures, have been finally arranged during the past year; their classes are the following:—

Private Petitions and Memorials, presented to the Lords of the Treasury, chiefly relating to Money or Patronage, from the Revolution to recent times. They are about 2,250 in number, and are arranged according to the strict alphabetical order of their names, and some in the alphabetical order of localities.

Certificates of the Receiver General for Scotland, 1711–1764, about 400 in number.

Reports, Accounts, Memorials, and Lists of the Commissioners for the Improvement of Fisheries and Manufactures in Scotland, 1737–1807. In number 84.

Barons of the Exchequer in Scotland, Reports, Letters, &c., 1708–1832. Nos. 339.

Letters from the Exchequer in Scotland, 1761–1762. Nos. 18.

Papers relating to Roads, Bridges, Canals, and Surveys in Scotland, 1744–1809. Nos. 57.

Lord Advocate, Solicitor for Scotland, Lords of the Treasury, Lords of Council and Session, and King's Remembrancer, Scotland, Reports, Letters, Accounts, and Memorials (chiefly of the Lord Advocate), 1707–1833. Nos. 30.

Lord Advocate's Applications for Issues for Criminal Prosecutions and Law Charges, &c. Nos. 25.

Receiver General's Abbreviates of Receipts, Payments, and Remains of the Rents and Profits of Forfeited Estates, Scotland, 1723–1725, and 1764. Nos. 22.

Commissioners and Trustees for managing the Forfeited Estates in Scotland, Salary and Incident Bills and other Accounts, 1712–1722. Nos. 11.

Reports, Letters, &c. of the said Commissioners and Trustees, 1716–1752, Nos. 15; and 1755–1786, Nos. 50.

Forfeitures in Scotland, various relating to, 1721–1781. Nos. 24.

Commissioners of the Equivalent for Debts due to Scotland, various, 1706–1735. Nos. 17.

Scotch Establishments, military and civil, 1699, 1708, 1714, and 1755. Nos. 5.

Mint, Post Office, King's Printers, Almoner, and Lighthouses in Scotland. Nos. 15.

Miscellaneous, Scotland, 1704–1809. Nos. 70.

Commissioners of the Customs for England, Reports on Referred Petitions, and some Petitions the Reports on which have not been found or

identified; Letters of the Secretary of the Customs, Presentments, and Memorials, arranged chronologically in one series, 1689–1836. Nos. 8,838. Of these half the number are flattened, and will be incorporated with the remainder, which are not yet flattened.

Commissioners of the Excise for England, Reports on Referred Petitions, Memorials, Presentments, Letters, &c., arranged chronologically in one series, 1689–1838. Nos. 4,032.

Board of Works, Reports, 1689–1813. Nos. 320.

Board of Works and Surveyor of the Works, Memorials, 1689–1808. Nos. 122.

Accounts (for the most part quarterly) of the Debt in the Office of the Works, 1698–1786. Nos. 200.

Accounts and Allowances in the Office of the Works, 1706–1783. Nos. 3.

Orders to be observed in the Office of the Works, also a few Warrants, Commissions, &c., 1705–1766. Nos. 15.

Miscellaneous, relating to Works and Buildings, 1708–1819. Nos. 19.

Applications of Sculptors for Issues of Money due for Monuments, 1790–1809. Nos. 23.

Surveyor General of Woods and Forests, Reports, Memorials, Accounts, &c., 1688–1832. Nos. 274.

Surveyor General of Land Revenue, Reports, &c., 1691–1807. Nos. 338.

Miscellaneous, relating to Lands, Crown Rents, &c., 1697–1826. Nos. 39.

Commissioners for Paving and Improvements in London and Westminster, Applications for Issues of Money, 1703–1809. Nos. 11.

Treasury Solicitor's Papers.—A notice of the removal of the Treasury Solicitor's Papers has already been given (§ 32). Mr. Hart's undivided attention has been devoted to their arrangement. Of the 230 boxes, few were inscribed with any outward name or description conveying an accurate notion of their contents, some were wholly destitute of inscriptions, some were inscribed with letters of the alphabet, or numbers, or other marks referring to some list not now extant; while with respect to such as bore an intelligible inscription on the outside, it was often found that such inscription did not refer to the contents, but that loose papers on many different subjects had been thrust into an emptied box, and the label left unaltered.

When first brought to the General Repository, and stowed box upon box, these boxes filled three rooms in a very inconvenient manner; they were unmanageable and inconsultable, not only in consequence of the weight and cumbersomeness of the various boxes, but from the great delay incurred and the muscular strength required in raising or lowering them during the fatiguing process of unpiling and piling them up again one upon another. A search which ought, under a better stowage, to have been carried on by one clerk, always required one clerk and three workmen, whose united exertions were often insufficient without the assistance of a fifth helper. To rectify this evil, instructions were given to carry on with all speed the salutary work of reducing the documents into small and portable parcels, the size to be in a great measure determined by the exigencies of each suit; the ordinary course of protecting these parcels with brown paper was of course adopted. The result has been that a collection of papers, which at first encumbered three rooms, now fills the third of one, and the weight, originally about eight tons, has been reduced to about five. The operations of ticketing and numbering the parcels have progressed *pari passu* as they were made up, and more than half of the work is now completed.

It is very difficult to ascertain how collections become scattered; but when Mr. Lascelles made a survey of the Records in the loft in the Rolls Yard in 1853, he found three boxes of Treasury Solicitor's Papers among the miscellaneous matters therein contained; they were called "Solicitor White's Papers." These have been added to the documents in progress of arrangement by Mr. Hart, with a note of the source from which they were derived.

Some further particulars may be given of the operations performed by Mr. Hart upon these documents. The operations from 29th January to the 28th April 1855 are detailed in the Sixteenth Report (II. § 42), where the number of boxes then completed was stated to be thirty; but the calculation of the work by boxes is uncertain, inasmuch as some are very large and some

very small, and no direct average of the time devoted to each can be made. The plan adopted is the removal of the papers from boxes, for the purpose of tying them up in parcels of a convenient size, when they are placed on a rack in one of the rooms in the General Repository, and are then as easily accessible as the books in a library. This arrangement effectually preserves the Papers from dirt, and also saves much space, and when the iron racks are completed it would be totally impracticable to adopt any other expedient; the boxes could not be placed in the racks, nor could they be left in the passage ways, added to which, many of them were so old and rotten, that they have in the course of their various shiftings fallen entirely to pieces. The contents of each parcel are shown briefly in an Inventory or List compiled by Mr. Hart; it is very brief, but quite sufficient; it contains the names of all the parties, and the nature of the Case, whether Peerage Claim, Criminal Information, Escheat, or Appeal. Nothing more is needed except an Index Nominum to it when completed. The Papers themselves will be best disposed of by a chronological arrangement. All this labour has been performed by the Record Department for the use of the Treasury Solicitor. The papers are kept strictly private; they are never opened to any stranger except with the Solicitor's permission. About 550 parcels have been made up, forming a very large proportion of the entire mass; the result of Mr. Hart's application to his task, which, though necessarily slow and tedious, well deserves the labour. His object has been simply to reduce the papers into such a state of order that any set of them might be produced immediately, when required by the Treasury, avoiding the delay which would arise in searching through numerous boxes of unsorted, dirty, and in many cases decayed and rotten papers, without any clue or guide. This state of things is now at an end; any of the papers that are most likely to be wanted can be produced at a few minutes' notice.

Much useful information may possibly be afforded to Your Majesty's Law Officers from these Papers, which are altogether of an exceptional nature; the custody thereof having been accepted by the Master of the Rolls, for the special use and service of Your Majesty's Treasury and other Public Boards and Departments, or the Law Officers of the Crown.

Irish Commissariat Papers, relating to the Commissariat Famine Relief Service in Ireland (Sixteenth Report, II. § 35). Their arrangement has been completed: they have been tied up in brown paper, and labelled. The scheme of their classification is as follows:—

Forage and Oats Tenders, Contracts, and Bonds, from December 1847 to May 1852. 4 bundles.

Bread and Meat Tenders, Contracts, Bonds, and Schedules, from April 1847 to April 1852. 21 bundles.

Regimental Monthly Ration Accounts, from February 1849 to April 1852.

Accounts Current, &c. of Local Relief Committees for all the Irish Counties.

Cash Accounts, and Store Accounts, from November 1845 to May 1852. 84 bundles.

Bread and Meat Accounts, from April 1847 to January 1849. 11 bundles.

Regimental Forage Accounts, from December 1847 to April 1852. 6 bundles.

Stoppages for Forages, from May 1848 to January 1852.

Correspondence (Old Series) marked E, from 1 June 1846 to 31 October 1848, from No. 1,000 to 11,636. 34 bundles.

Correspondence (New Series), also marked E, from September 1848 to November 1850, from No. 1 to 1,999. 5 bundles. (The remainder of these Letters, from E 2,000 to E 2,888, from 5 November 1850 to 26 May 1852, were *inter alia* sent to Ireland, 10 April 1854.)

Correspondence (Supplemental Series). 2 bundles.

Monthly Abstracts of Sums received and Payments made by Commissaries, from December 1845 to October 1848. 6 bundles.

Entries and Issues, Monthly Abstracts of Provisions received, and remaining in charge, and issued, from February 1846 to October 1848. 7 bundles.

Miscellaneous, 2 bundles.

It may be questionable whether all these documents should be permanently preserved, but they are kept by this Department at the request of the Treasury.

Records in Boxes, &c.—The transmission of Documents to this Department in boxes occasions many inconveniences. In one instance, by removing the Documents out of the boxes, and placing the bundles on shelves, they only fill half the space which they previously occupied. Trifling as the matter may seem, it is by the attention to such laborious details, constantly multiplied by the arrangement and re-arrangement and transmission of Government and other Documents, that a large, perhaps the largest, proportion of the time of the Officers is consumed, producing results which leave no traces except absence of inconvenience, and affording advantages which can only be appreciated by those who have been familiar with the objects in their previous condition, and the subject will require much consideration in future.

State Paper Branch Record Office.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Lechmere, Mr. Lemon, and Mr. H. C. Hamilton.)

34. *General Business; Operations upon Papers, &c.*—Mr. Lechmere, in addition to his ordinary duties of superintending the current business of the Office, has employed his time upon the arrangement of the Ratifications of Treaties with Foreign Powers, beginning a Catalogue of the portion of the Treaties and Papers belonging to the Foreign Office, to be transferred to the General Record Repository. Searches have been made for the Secretaries of State and Treasury. Much has been done in other branches of arrangement; *e. g.*, the Miscellaneous Papers of the reigns of George III. and IV. The greater part of the Domestic Papers of these reigns, and a large part of the Colonial and some of the Foreign Papers, have been received within the last five years in an unarranged state.

The following classes have furthermore been arranged:—Foreign Correspondence (Various), with the exception of the rough drafts; the whole of the Volumes of Correspondence lettered "Ireland;" a large Collection relating to Trade and Foreign Plantations has been prepared for incorporation. Treaty Papers have also been made up; France, German States, Russia, and Turkey Correspondence, also Domestic Papers of George I., II., III., have been arranged and dated; many bundles of Foreign and Domestic Correspondence for incorporation, and a Collection of Original Patents and Ciphers, have been arranged; Royal Letters incorporated with the Holland Correspondence; many bundles of Foreign Correspondence incorporated into the various Series; all bundles of every Series prior to 1750, in a torn and dilapidated condition, re-covered; a collection of Printed Gazettes, Pamphlets, Tracts, and Treaties, tied in bundles. Press Lists have been made of Documents relating to or entitled America, Germany, Holland, Foreign, Various, Domestic Chas. II., Ireland, Patents, Ciphers, Printed Gazettes, Pamphlets, Tracts and Treaties, Home Office Transmissions. Lists of Domestic Elizabeth, America and W. Indies, and Privy Seals, have been revised; all the Foreign Office Lists have been corrected. The Foreign Press Lists (after 1750) have been revised, to insert additional names of Ambassadors, Ministers, &c.

A very large collection of English and Foreign Gazettes and Newspapers of the time of Charles II. has been arranged. 66 bundles of Domestic Papers, 1744 to 1830, have been sorted into dates.

The following Table shows the monthly account of Fees received:—

1855.	No.	Copies.	No.	Authentications.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
January	15	3 9 0	–	—
February	1	0 3 6	3	0 4 6
March	4	0 11 0	–	—
April	–	—	–	—
May	22	8 3 0	1	1 15 0
June	2	1 4 0	–	—
July	–	—	–	—
August	167	19 18 0	–	—
September	62	9 4 0	–	—
October	–	—	–	—
November	20	2 14 0	–	—
December	–	—	–	—
Total	293	45 6 6	4	1 19 6

35. *Receipts of Records.*—The following Transmissions have been made into the State Paper Office in 1855:—February 8, from Home Office, Secret Despatches, 1778 to 1782 (1 Vol.) August 17, from Foreign Office, 52 Ratifications of Treaties with Foreign Powers, 1849 to 1855. October 11, from Home Office, 4 bundles of Irish Correspondence (1811).

36. *Cleaning, Binding, Repairing, &c.*—The following is a summary of these operations:—

	No. of Volumes bound.
Correspondence with Ireland, 1558 to 1565 - -	15
Domestic Correspondence, 1573 to 1575 - - -	16
Ditto ditto James I. - - -	1
Calendars of Correspondence with France - - -	4
Ditto ditto Ireland - -	6
Ditto Domestic Correspondence - - -	8
Ditto Correspondence with Flanders - -	3
Ditto ditto Spain - - -	2
Total -	55

355 bundles of Privy Seals (Henry III. to Henry VIII.) have been cleaned, re-covered with paper, and numbered.

37. *Calendars, &c.*—796 Entries in the Calendar of Domestic Papers, 1661, 1662. 197 Entries in the Calendar of Domestic Papers of 1663. Catalogue of the Treaties and Papers belonging to the Foreign Office to be transferred to the General Record Repository (37 pages). List of volumes to be removed to the General Record Repository (19 pages). Catalogue of Foreign Office Papers to be retained in the State Paper Office (217 pages).

Mr. Hans C. Hamilton had continued (Sixteenth Report, II. § 47) the Irish Calendar down to the month of September 1632, and has now finished as far as August 1645. Under Mr. Lechmere's directions, he was employed upon a re-arrangement of the International Treaties and Ratifications, rendered necessary by the introduction of new Ratifications from the Foreign Office, and the withdrawal of many documents not possessing that distinctive character, but which had in former times found their way into the series.

Mr. Impey (Sixteenth Report, II. § 47) had finished the Calendar of French Papers to the end of 1630, and, before continuing the series from that point, he had to arrange and insert a large mass of back papers that had accumulated from various sources, extending from the reign of Elizabeth inclusive, to the year 1630, which he had then just concluded. He continued employed on the French Papers, and has finished down to the end of the year 1631. In the months of August and September he was employed with Mr. H. Hamilton in re-arranging the Ratifications, as above described. Many circumstances concurring to require a greater expedition in calendaring the Domestic Papers of a later period, Mr. Impey, in November, was taken off the French Correspondence, and commenced the Domestic Papers, beginning with the year 1634, and he has progressed to the month of July in that year. He has been occasionally interrupted for the purpose of making transcripts, and has copied 180 folios, principally of Scottish Papers, of a difficult character, belonging to the early part of the reign of Queen Elizabeth.

The Calendar of the Spanish Papers, which in the last Report (Sixteenth Report, II. § 47) had reached to the year 1580, Mr. William Hamilton has completed to the end of Elizabeth, with the exception of the year 1588.

The proceedings relating to the Calendar of State Papers of the reigns of Edward VI., Mary, and Elizabeth, compiled by Mr. Lemon, now in the press, and the preparations now making for the purpose of putting other Calendars to press, will be found in a subsequent portion of this Report (III. § 3).

III. General Matters connected with the Care and Management of the Records, and the Record Establishment.

1. *Removals from the Tower, War Office, &c., and their Consequences.*—The exigencies of the recent hostilities in which Your Majesty has been involved, have recoiled severely upon this Department. Not merely have the transactions arising

out of these public necessities very materially impeded the progress of the works connected with the progress of the General Repository, and the transfer of Records thereto, but they have also much disturbed the performance of the ordinary duties of the establishment, these ordinary duties being increased in pressure by the extra duties cast upon the officers. Amongst others it may be noticed that the needful communications with the various Public Departments arising out of these transitory transactions and the progress of the General Repository have more than doubled the official paper work in the Deputy Keeper's and Secretary's Department.

When instructions were settled for the first block of the General Repository according to the plans given and explained in the Estimates presented to the House of Commons (Sessional Paper, House of Commons, 1850, No. 571, viii.), proposed to be erected in the year 1850-51, it was calculated that the same would contain all the Records then in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, save and except the Admiralty Records deposited in the White Tower. For these no space was reserved. As a place of deposit, the White Tower is reasonably safe, and as access to them is not frequently required, it was considered that a Clerk, whom it was and is proposed to retain in the present Record Office in the Tower, would be sufficient to look after the same, and transact any business arising out of other Records which it might be thought expedient to retain either in the White Tower or the Wakefield Tower. For it was thought probable that in calculations, however carefully made, errors could scarcely be avoided when applied to so large a mass as the Public Records; and it was afterwards found that there might scarcely be sufficient room in the General Repository for the Records then in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, and the Accruing Records of the classes which it might be expedient to receive.

Under this arrangement, the White Tower would have been a provisional Repository until the second block of the Building, No. 2, and the progress of the General Repository, and the deposit of the Records therein, would have been regularly effected. But these schemes were frustrated through the measures adopted pursuant to the application made by the Storekeepers of Your Majesty's Ordnance, praying that the Records should be removed from the White Tower, as is stated in the Sixteenth Report (I. § 9.), and the Tower given up to the Board of Ordnance. The Master of the Rolls declined compliance with such request. But further repeated and urgent requests having been made to him by the Board of Ordnance, his Honour, though much regretting the labour and expense which would be incurred and sustained by this Department in consequence of the removal of the documents from the Tower, assented to the proposal, provided accommodation could be found for the Documents in the vicinity of the General Repository, the whole of that Repository having been appropriated for the reception of other Records already in his custody; and inasmuch as he was informed that the block of houses situated between Chancery Lane and the Rolls Yard, at the disposal of the Board of Works, would be convenient for the deposit not only of the Admiralty Records, but also for the War Office Documents, it was suggested by his Honour, 22d March 1855, (Sixteenth Report, Appendix, No. 1 *b*,) that such houses should be assigned to the Record Department. The Board of Works assented to this proposal, and gave possession of the said houses, Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15, 16, 17, and 20, Chancery Lane, to the Officers of the Record Department, in or about November 1855, save and except No. 12, of which possession cannot be obtained till 5th January 1857. As soon as possession was obtained, the Board of Works commenced fitting up the houses for the reception of the Documents, and in proportion as the fittings up have advanced, the removal of the said Documents has been commenced, and is now in progress.

Previous, however, to the removal of any Admiralty Documents from the Tower, communications were made to the Admiralty as to the expediency of destroying a great number of Books and Documents which appeared to be useless; and for this purpose various communications took place between Sir John Liddell, the Director-General of the Medical Department of the Navy, and Mr. Hardy, the Assistant Keeper of the Branch Record Office at the Tower; and they, having carefully examined the documents, agreed in opinion that certain classes as reported to the Master of the Rolls by Mr. Hardy, by his Reports of the 12th January and 13th February 1856, should be retained, and the others delivered over to Your Majesty's Stationery Office for the purpose of being pulped.

All the impediments and inconveniences resulting from the before-mentioned circumstances have been exceedingly aggravated by the imperative necessity of obeying the commands proceeding from the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury, concerning the receipt into the custody of the Master of the Rolls of papers contained in a very capacious house, 6, Whitehall Yard, called the War Office Depôt (Sixteenth Report, I. § 12; II. § 44). This house or receptacle was filled from loft to cellar with documents specially belonging to the War Office Branch of the War Department; and it was therefore earnestly represented by the Master of the Rolls that the space which these documents would require was absolutely necessary for the accommodation of the Records in the Carlton Ride and other Repositories, and the measures contemplated for the removal of the Records into the General Repository would be impeded or stayed.

Various communications took place, and his Honour ultimately stated that, considering it his duty, he would do his best to aid the Treasury during this national crisis; and therefore he would endeavour to receive the papers into the General Repository as a temporary deposit, but it would be needful to contemplate an extension of the building, and possibly an increase of the establishment. The removal was effected in the manner described in the Sixteenth Report (I. § 12; II. § 44). When the Documents were brought into the building there were no means of finding space for the same except in the extensive corridors, which had been already prospectively appropriated for other Records. The War Office Department stated in their communications that the papers must not be stowed away so as to be inconsultable, but that they must be arranged in such a manner as to allow the officers of the War Department to consult them whenever required, and as this is very frequently the case (II. § 33), it was needful to retain the papers as nearly as possible in the same order as they were in the War Office Depôt, in order that the Officers of the War Department might do their duty. To effect this end, the presses were removed bodily from Whitehall Yard, and set up in the corridors of the General Repository, which they now fill, the corridors being 169 feet in length. This arrangement, forced upon this Department by necessity, was and still is objectionable and inconvenient, as impeding the erection of the iron presses therein, and contrary to the principle adopted in the construction of the building, which requires the total exclusion of all combustible materials, and an enormous mass of wood and paper has been accumulated in a locality where, so long as workmen shall be employed upon the premises, the documents would be most likely to be in danger. But at length the arrangement for giving up to the use of this Department the houses in Chancery Lane, before mentioned, was made. The needful fittings are in progress, and the removals are proceeding as before mentioned, but a very large portion of the time of the Deputy Keeper and the other Officers of this establishment, who are concerned in the direction and management of the business, as well as those who are practically employed in removals, has been abstracted from the time needed for the regular official proceedings, and all the labours of removal will have to be performed over again when the contemplated addition shall be made to the General Repository, and accommodation therein afforded for the documents now in the houses in Chancery Lane.

2. *General Record Repository.*—The shell of the Repository has been completed (Sixteenth Report, III. § 1), and considerable progress made in the fitting up the racks intended for the reception of the Records, but the tops have not yet been placed thereon. All the standards and supports are made of iron, the shelves are composed of slate, and the doors are composed of wirework in iron frames. Such doors are costly; and a discussion having arisen on the subject between the Master of the Rolls and the First Commissioner of Your Majesty's Board of Works concerning the expense, it appeared to his Honour that, electing between the difficulties, it was preferable, on the whole, to spread the expense over three years, instead of permanently diminishing the security of the Records by adopting a more economical mode (Sessional Paper, House of Commons, 1855, No. 140, vii., page 23); nevertheless it is expected that, notwithstanding these hindrances, a portion of the Public Records may be possibly located in the General Repository in the course of the current financial year.

The General Repository continues for the present under the general charge of Mr. Holden. The three Assistant Keepers, Mr. Hardy, Mr. Roberts, and Mr. Holden, continue to superintend the measurements and inspect the erections

of the fittings. Mr. Roberts attends, when required, for the purpose of arranging the Welsh and Chester Records, and one of the clerks from the Carlton Ride is also located in the building, and several workmen.

3. *Calendars.*—There are three principal classes of searchers, for whom Inventories, Calendars, Catalogues, and Indexes of the Public Records are necessary, and for whom it is a duty to provide, as far as is possible, the means of obtaining the needful information with the smallest expenditure of their time. All Calendars, &c., must of course be first prepared in MS., and deposited for consultation in the Office, but under every circumstance inconveniences, greater or lesser, result to the public by their non-publication, and the Record Act, 1 & 2 Vict. c. 94. § 14, accordingly provides that it shall be lawful for any one of Your Majesty's Secretaries of State to cause to be printed from time to time such Calendars, Catalogues, and Indexes of the Records, in the custody of the Master of the Rolls, as the Secretary of State may select, or as the Master of the Rolls shall recommend.

The first class of searchers consists of professional men, who consult the Records simply for legal or quasi legal purposes, such as descents or genealogies. They mostly reside in London, and the searches are generally made either by the principal or some confidential clerk. A country practitioner must employ an agent. All the time thus employed must of course be paid for; and although this expense of time consumed ultimately falls upon the client, yet a professional man is often deterred from pursuing inquiries to their full extent by his reluctance to increase the charge, as he, or his clerk, or agent, must leave their individual office or house for the purpose of prosecuting the needful inquiries, which, if possessed of Printed Calendars, they could to a great extent pursue at their offices.

The second class consists of individuals employed professionally upon literary labour, and so long as the Calendars exist merely in manuscript, in the Public Offices, a large proportion of the time which they employ upon the documents in public repositories is consumed in making themselves acquainted with the contents of the repositories, and this bears particularly hard upon such of those gentlemen (and there are not a few) who have other avocations. In such case they can only visit public repositories by fits and snatches, and much of the time which might be given to the collection of matter is absorbed in consultation of the MS. Calendars.

In the third class are the numerous antiquarian and historical inquirers, incited by the increasing stimulus which has been given to archæological, palæographical, and antiquarian studies, of whom a very considerable portion reside habitually out of the Metropolis and are dispersed throughout the Kingdom. The larger number of individuals belonging to this class work wholly without any expectation whatever of pecuniary profit, or even of finding a publisher. It is very rarely that any work of this description is undertaken by a publisher except at the author's risk. Works of a very important but unmarketable class never pay their expenses, and the very useful Transactions and Serials of the numerous Antiquarian and Archæological societies are composed wholly of voluntary contributions, often costing money to the contributors. Their labour is simply a labour of love, and very few can spare the time or encounter the expense of a journey to London, prolonged during a sufficient length of time to enable them to prosecute the needful inquiries, or afford the cost of a literary agent to make the searches for them.

It is, therefore, a national duty that these classes should be furnished with the means of ascertaining the contents of public literary repositories, through the means of Catalogues, &c., published by Government in a very cheap and consultable form. It is impossible to exaggerate the importance of multiplying the means of home study. One quiet hour employed by the student at his own desk and with his own tools, is worth a day in any public library.

Besides this external necessity, so to speak, of disseminating the knowledge of the contents of the Repositories by the printing of Calendars, there is an official reason. The publication of Calendars, &c., is a constant instigation to diligence of the Officers employed thereon; it affords the means of encouraging competition without awakening jealousy or rivalry. Every officer in his degree is gratified by the communication of his labours to the public, in any matter connected with his situation, and this desire is a stimulus to be encouraged, and not to be checked or disregarded. With these views I commenced my operations in the capacity of Deputy Keeper, but having felt my way, and found that

there was no chance of bringing the publication of Calendars before the Treasury through such a channel as would obtain support to the proposition, or in such a manner as promised success, it appeared to me the only available plan of making some partial advance in affording information in a course which I felt to be conducive to public and private benefit, was by appending portions of such Calendars, &c., to my annual reports. A List of the various Calendars or Inventories of Records communicated to me by the several Assistant Keepers, or made by myself, or under my directions, and so appended to the first ten Reports which I had the honour of making to Your Majesty, follows the text of this present Report. It will be of use to all persons interested in inquiries among Your Majesty's Public Records and Archives, equally by directing them to the printed sources of information, and also in conveying some idea, though imperfect, of their varied and multifarious nature.

Matters thus continued until the Comptroller of the Stationery Office felt it his duty, (though without making any previous communication to the Master of the Rolls,) to bring under the notice of Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department "the great bulk of the Appendix to the Ninth Report, and the heavy expense which the printing had occasioned." In consequence thereof, the Secretary of State, by his Letter of the 19th Aug. 1848 to Lord Langdale, &c., stated that the matter of which the Appendix is chiefly composed, though of an interesting nature, and valuable to persons engaged in antiquarian search, did not appear available for the purposes of Parliamentary or other public business, or such as would engage the attention of general readers. He therefore further states, that it is not likely the volume would command a sale sufficient to defray any considerable proportion of the expense of printing, which would become a charge on the public, with little corresponding advantage. Under these circumstances, addressing Lord Langdale, then Master of the Rolls, he invited the inquiry whether the Appendices to future Reports should contain matter of the same character to which he had alluded, or whether they should be strictly confined to such Documents as might be required to elucidate the Reports, or to furnish useful information to Parliament (Tenth Report, App. I. No. 2), and Lord Langdale followed the lead of the communications he received.

Adopting to a certain extent the reasoning of the Secretary of State, the question is narrowed to the simple question, Whether it is expedient to annex portions of Calendars to the Deputy Keeper's Annual Reports, addressed to Your Majesty, presented to both Houses of Parliament, and printed by order of the House, instead of printing them in a separate form? And fully admitting that the communication of documents to the public is effected better and more completely by separate publication, I request to be permitted to explain the reasons which suggested the course I pursued.

In the first place, the remarks made on the subject by the Comptroller of the Stationery Office, Sir George Grey, and Lord Langdale (Tenth Report, App. I. Nos. 2–5), are founded simply upon the Calendars annexed to the Ninth Report, but the Calendars annexed to the antecedent Reports are not confined to the species of matter rendered accessible by that Report. It is true that Calendars and Inventories may in many cases be of collateral utility to the persons engaged in antiquarian research, but mainly useful in inquiries relating to claims and rights of persons and property; such, for example, are judgments and decisions of the Courts of Common Law and Equity. Even interlocutory proceedings have their value. Affidavits filed in the course of a suit may afford evidence of descent not to be collected elsewhere, or assist in verifying a disputed signature. The Patent Rolls, Charter Rolls, and Close Rolls are, to a considerable extent in early times, and in modern times almost exclusively, composed of documents which are equivalent to title-deeds or positive title-deeds, grants of land, or other rights from the Crown, conveyances, &c. Directly or indirectly they are connected with the general mass of landed property in England and Wales, and to whatever extent, whether lesser or greater, cognizance of them is extended, is so much gain. The largest portion of the mass appertains wholly to the public departments whence these documents have been transferred, and the operations of this department conducive to the benefit of such public or Government departments, by enabling them to consult their own documents by the aids which they had not provided for themselves.

With respect to the annexation of the Calendars to the Reports, this plan

was adopted very advisedly. There was not the slightest chance of expecting that Your Majesty's Treasury would grant any portion of the sums needed for printing and publishing Calendars; and under these circumstances, after due consideration, it appeared to me that it was a proper exercise of the duties annexed to the office I hold, to adopt the plan against which the objections were raised, and that for the following further reasons:—

In the first place, the prints of the Reports are sold at a cheap rate, and it has been already observed that the necessity of bringing out portions at a given time in each year is an instigation to diligence, and it is very expedient that those services which the Assistant Keepers or their subordinates perform in a difficult department of their business should, as a matter of justice to them, be rendered as public as possible.

It was objected in the next place, that the Calendars were not complete, and that previously to any Calendars being undertaken it was needful that a perfect classification should be effected. But the Calendars afford the very means for effecting this classification, and it is too often forgotten that each year of our lives, so to speak, should, as far as is practicable, provide for its own needs. It ought to be, as I may be permitted to observe, a normal condition in all similar undertakings, especially those connected with history, historical sources, or historical matter, as is the case with no inconsiderable number of the Calendars annexed to the Reports, to present successive portions of the information they require as speedily as is practicable, and to avoid any long-winded plan which constantly necessitates working underground in order to build up a reversion to become available when the workman and his successors shall be lying in their graves.

With respect to the incidental remark that the volume was not likely to command a sale sufficient to defray any considerable portion of the printing charged to the public, it is sufficient to ask whether any of those publications popularly denominated "Blue-books" command a sale; and this Report, when it shall have been presented to both Houses of Parliament by Your Majesty, will, like all its predecessors, become a Blue-book, and liable to the common fate which befalls all "Blue-books."

A certain number of "Blue-books" are sold over the counter by the departments of printed papers of the Houses of Parliament, and they, as well as the copies not retained by those who receive them gratuitously or deposited in official or public libraries, pass, to a certain and limited extent, into the hands of a few booksellers who collect books of an analogous nature. The remainder descend into the waste-paper basket, or travel to the pulping mill. With respect to those which are caught up by retail booksellers, they know which and what "Blue-books" are in request, and I am informed that the Deputy Keeper's "Blue-books" are, considering their nature, fairly inquired after.

But inasmuch as the practice of appending Calendars, &c., to the Deputy Keeper's Reports has ceased, whilst it is increasingly desirable that the Calendars should be printed and published, it becomes my duty humbly to submit the following observations to Your Majesty:—

In the first place, the first condition upon which the circulation of any publication containing, comprising, or relating to history or historical materials entirely rests is a negative condition, namely, that the volumes should not be in the shape of folios, which are utterly unsuited for the literary and domestic habits of the present day. Such volumes make a handsome show upon the shelves of public libraries and fill up gaps, but they are inconvenient to the hard-working students who collect materials in those establishments, and quite uncongenial to the tastes and unsuitable to the requirements of those who pursue their inquiries in their own dwellings. The time also employed in preparing and publishing such bulky volumes is also a very important consideration. The first sheet of the text has frequently to wait several years after the completion of the last page of the index until publication can pass, and the tardiness becomes still more annoying when this form is employed for a series. Large massy quartos are liable to the same objection as folios.

These circumstances had ultimately considerable weight with the late Record Commission. They consequently printed some of the works both in the folio

and the octavo size, and the result deserves attention. About seven-twentieths of the octavo copies of Mr. Benjamin Thorpe's excellent edition of the Anglo-Saxon Laws, and Mr. Owen's no less important edition of the Welsh or British laws, (of each of which 500 copies were printed,) have been sold, but about one-half of the folios, of which 750 copies were printed, are yet in hand. The folio copies are usually given away by direction of the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury or of Your Majesty's Secretaries of State to home or foreign libraries, &c.

Cheapness of publication is the second normal element. Every species of typographical luxury or embellishment should be avoided; neither large paper copies nor fine paper copies, nor any devices adopted tending to create an artificial rarity. Nor should any engravings, lithographs, photographs, or illustrations be admitted, except in the very few contingencies where they are actually needed, such as when two persons bear the same Christian and surname, and the signature of either is appended to an undated document; or if there should happen to be any doubt of the authenticity of a document or the signature thereto, or when the outward appearance of the writing reveals some knowledge of the circumstances under which the document was prepared or still exists, and when there are doubts as to its authenticity.

Lastly, the circulation and sale of the works should be promoted by the fair commercial practices of the bookselling trade. They should be abundantly advertised. Nor should any one newspaper, journal, or periodical have a monopoly of such advertisements, and a handsome allowance should be made to the booksellers, who should be allowed to have copies on sale or return. If printed and published under such conditions, a sale would probably be ultimately effected of the whole stock of an impression of 1,000 copies of any Calendar or collection of historical materials possessing only an average interest, and would realize as much money as would nearly defray the expense of printing; more than this cannot be expected. Any individual who takes the risk of any publication of this nature and character is sure to be out of pocket, and never expects any remuneration for his expenses and labour. And if there be private individuals who are not unwilling to submit to such sacrifices for the sake of public utility, it is submitted that the item of loss or gain should not enter into the calculation of a Government Board.

No alteration of views took place in any influential quarter until the appointment of the present Master of the Rolls, when the great desirability of proceeding as rapidly and as efficiently as practicable in the publication of Calendars attracted his serious attention. Many hindrances offered themselves, impeding a more active prosecution of his designs, and when the somewhat distant but certain prospect of the incorporation of Your Majesty's State Paper Office with the Record Department was approaching, it was thought better to defer any active movement until that union should be completed—When the incorporation of the State Paper Office with the General Record Office was fully effected, then the proper period arrived.

The Master of the Rolls having duly considered the subject of calendaring in all its bearings, and particularly for the purpose of diffusing knowledge, he placed himself in communication with the Treasury, and ascertained that their Lordships would not object to propose in the estimates of this Department a moderate sum for affording additional help in aid of the operations of the present Officers of the State Paper Department by engaging supernumeraries, as after mentioned. His Honour considered it expedient to treat the State Paper Department as peculiarly requiring attention for various reasons. Much interest has been excited of late years with respect to English history from the accession of Henry VIII., the period when the history of modern Europe begins, and measures which previously to the union of the State Paper Office with the Record Department had been adopted by the State Paper Commissioners had opened the way for more energetic operations. In the year 1852, Mr. Lemon, as Secretary of the Board, was directed to complete for publication a Calendar of the "Domestic Papers," commencing with the reign of Edward VI., and having submitted the specimen proofs to the Treasury of such proposed printed Calendar, their Lordships approved thereof, and the needful directions having been given to Your Majesty's Stationery Office, the same was sent to the press, April 1852. The work continued in progress till October 1854, at which period

27 sheets, or 432 pages, had been worked. Proceedings were then stayed. It is not needful for the present purposes to examine the proceedings of the State Paper Commission, but in consequence of the arrangements with Your Majesty's Treasury, the Master of the Rolls directed that the printing of the copy prepared by Mr. Lemon should be resumed The volume now in the press will extend from the 1st of Edward VI., and it is proposed to continue the same to November 1580, or the close of the 22nd of Elizabeth, and it will then include 50 sheets, or 800 pages, and Mr. Lemon expects that it will be completed in the course of the month of July next. The second volume of Calendars, which will be wholly devoted to the reign of Elizabeth, will extend from 1581 to the end of her reign, and form a volume about the same bulk as the first, of 50 sheets, or 800 pages, and Mr. Lemon anticipates it will occupy more than a year in passing the same through the press.

The plan which the Master of the Rolls has proposed for accelerating the proceedings of the State Paper Office Calendars, and to which the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury have acceded, is the introduction of competent persons, not as regulated officers at a fixed salary, but as temporary assistants, receiving their remuneration according to the quantity of work performed, and in the execution of this plan he selected three individuals, known by their studies or employments upon or connected with historical documents, knowledge, and experience, videlicet,—Mrs. Mary Anne Everett Green (so honourably distinguished by her Lives of the Princesses of England, a work which introduced her to the notice of the Master of the Rolls,)—John Bruce, Esq., (Director of the Camden Society), and Markham John Thorpe, Esq. To Mrs. Green has been assigned the preparation and perfecting of the Calendar of the Home Correspondence from the commencement of the reign of James I., when Mr. Lemon's Domestic Calendar ceases, and continuing the same until the period when the task is taken up by Mr. Bruce: the portion assigned to this gentleman being the Home Correspondence from the accession of Charles I. down to the demise of Charles II.: and lastly, Mr. M. J. Thorpe is employed in perfecting the Calendars of the Scotch and Border Papers, (including the Papers relating to Mary Queen of Scots during her detention in England,) until the accession of James I.; and it is trusted that this co-operation of such diligent hands with the Officers of the Establishment, will, at no very distant time, render the whole of this very important mass of historical evidence open to the public so far as Your Majesty's Secretaries of State may think advisable.

But as it did not appear advisable to confine the whole of the exertions for the speedy publication of Calendars to the modern period of history, his Honour has directed that preparations be made for publishing the Calendars of the Diplomatic Documents in the Tower, of which, as stated in a previous section (II. § 26), portions, containing upwards of 5,000 Documents, and commenced by Mr. Hardy, have been carried on at various periods (Third Report, II. § 34, App. II. Nos. *5 a*, *5 c*; Fourth Report, II. § 43, App. II. No. *5 c*; Fifth Report, II. § 19, App. II. No. *5 f*; Sixth Report, II. § 68, App. II. No. *2*; Seventh Report, II. § 10, App. II. No. 7; Eighth Report, II. § 102; Ninth Report, II. § 22; Tenth Report, II. § 8; Eleventh Report, II. § 6; Twelfth Report, II. § 5; Thirteenth Report, II. § 30; Fourteenth Report, II. § 24; Seventeenth Report, II. § 26); four portions of the Calendar being annexed to the Deputy Keeper's Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, and Seventh Reports, and Mr. Sanders, an officer of the Third Class, who had been previously employed upon the work, has, since December 1855, been employed thereon (II. § 26). The publication of these Calendars was recommended, amongst other reasons, for the peculiar propriety of furnishing a complete view, in connexion with the State Paper Documents, of English diplomacy, so far as materials extend, and the Calendar has been found peculiarly useful to those foreign students who have devoted themselves to the investigation of ancient English History.

4. *Records, State Papers, &c.*—It is important to remark that the terms usually or conventionally employed respecting ancient or Public Records are somewhat inaccurate. According to the ancient legal meaning of the term there are no Records except those of the Courts of Common Law, but the Record Act declares that the word "Records" shall be taken to mean all

rolls, records, writs, books, proceedings, decrees, bills, warrants, accounts, papers, and documents of a public nature (however modern) belonging to Your Majesty within the purview of the Act; and by virtue of the Act, when any legal, quasi-legal, government, or official document passes into the actual custody of the Master of the Rolls it becomes for all purposes of the Act a public record. Accepting, therefore, the term Records in relation to the character which they acquire by such newly created legal custody, it may be affirmed that the English Records, whether in relation to antiquity, variety, or extent, are unequalled in continental Europe. The Papal Registers, transcendant as they may be in value, are confined to documents directly emanating from the Pontiff. The archives of France, the most abundant and perfect beyond the Channel, do not ascend higher than the reign of Saint Louis, and compared with ours are stinted and jejune; whereas in England, taking up our title by Domesday, the documents, which by the Record Act, the Order in Council, and the incorporation of the State Paper Office with the Public Record Office, are or will be placed in the charge of the Master of the Rolls, contain materials for the religious, legal, and political history of England and Wales, in every branch and in every aspect or relation, civil, political, social, statistical, moral, or material, from the Norman Conquest, without any material interruption, to the present day. Chasms there are. The nature of each class of documents fluctuates to a certain degree with the progress of the forms of government and the principles of tenure, but the only chasm of any magnitude is the period intervening between Domesday and the Great Rolls of the Exchequer, that is to say, from 1087, the last year of the reign of William the Conqueror, to 1130, the 31st Henry I. With respect to subsequent periods, though particular species of documents may fail, yet the place of lost muniments, or the vacancy occasioned by the discontinuance of particular serial classes, in consequence of the rise of new institutions and the general advance of society, is always fairly well supplied by the existence of others affording information nearly equivalent.

This is peculiarly the case with respect to the class which in modern language, and according to modern habits and views, is termed diplomatic. In the earliest period all royal documents originated in the Royal Chapel. The Clerks were exclusively ecclesiastics, and the names of these Clerks (called also Masters) become very numerous as Dignitaries of the Church. When the duties of Chancellor, as supreme Prothonotary, were diminished and finally absorbed in his legal and political functions, then a considerable portion of the diplomatic or archival functions of this High Officer were diverted to the Royal Council, and to the Secretaries of State. Private Secretaries employed by the Crown appear at an early period, but the Office of Secretary of State does not appear to have acquired its present construction until the reign of Henry VIII. Information will be found upon this subject in the History of the State Paper Office by Mr. Thomas; and many curious particulars are dispersed in the prefaces prefixed to the Volumes containing the Acts and Proceedings of the Privy Council, edited by the late Sir N. H. Nicolas, and published by the late Record Commission.

Your Majesty's diplomatic documents (notwithstanding the variations occasioned by new customs, new laws, and new offices,) continue in uninterrupted sequence unto the present day. In consequence of the ancient mode of transacting business, they commence with the Records of the Chancery (at this present moment in the Tower of London). The credentials of the Flemish Ambassador sent to Richard Cœur de Lion constitute the initial entry in the Tower Calendar, and they continue regularly, varying more or less in form, until the last dispatches emanating from or received by Your Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

According to the ancient principles of the Constitution, all Treaties with foreign powers were enrolled in the Chancery; in earlier periods they are found upon the Close Rolls or in special Rolls appropriated for foreign transactions; but in the reign of Edward I. there were also special Treaty Rolls appropriated for this purpose, and they continue in the Rolls Chapel until the reign of James I.; and in Charles II. two Treaties are found between the British Crown and the

States General of the Low Countries, dated 1667 and 1674. Lord Nottingham, then Lord Chancellor, signed fiats for their enrolment, but such enrolment was not perfected, in consequence, as it is presumed, of the fees not having been paid to the Prothonotary of the Court of Chancery, an office now suppressed. Since that period, the Treaties between the British or Imperial Crown are deposited, in the first instance, with Your Majesty's Secretary of State for the Foreign Department, and then from time to time transmitted to Your Majesty's State Paper Office. The last transmission, as has been elsewhere noticed (I. § 7), has been lately made to Your Majesty's State Paper Branch Record Office.

Original Treaties with foreign powers were at an early period transmitted into the Treasury of Your Majesty's Exchequer, now the Chapter House, and some are entered in books kept for that purpose in the said Treasury. But, besides the Treaties and Missives, many other documents found their way into the Treasury of the Exchequer of the nature of those now in the State Paper Office; for instance, Correspondence of Cromwell and Wolsey, Papers laid before the Crown for consideration, Informations against persons accused of State offences, Petitions, and the like.

From the reign of Henry VIII., the business appropriated to the department which became the "State Paper Office," originally an adjunct to the office of the King's Secretary, who at first was styled the King's Clerk, then Secretary, until the Revolution, the era from which we must date the existing English constitution, was conducted accordingly under a vague and rather indefinite plan: since that period it has not sustained any important alteration.

All which is most humbly submitted to Your Majesty.

(Signed) FRANCIS PALGRAVE,

10th April 1856. *The Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.*

I most humbly certify to Your Majesty, that this Report is made by the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records under my direction, pursuant to the Statute.

(Signed) JOHN ROMILLY, M.R.

Calendars, Catalogues, Inventories, and Indexes, annexed to the Reports of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.

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1. *Chancery, &c.:—Tower of London.*

Inventory of the Records of the Chancery, and of the other Records preserved amongst the Records of the Chancery, in the Tower of London, and deposited in the Wakefield Tower, with observations, showing their condition, state of repair, &c., viz.:—	Second Report, App. II. No. 1.
Pipe Rolls, 30 Hen. II., 6 Ric. I., 7 John.	
Cartæ Antiquæ (uncertain dates).	
Charter Rolls, 1 John to 22 Edw. IV.	
Patent Rolls, 3 John to 23 Edw. IV.	
Close Rolls, 6 John to 23 Edw. IV.	
Oblata Rolls, 1, 2, 3 John.	
Oblata and Fine Roll, 9 John.	
Misæ Roll, 11 John.	
Præstita Roll, 12 John.	
Fine Rolls, 6 John to 23 Edw. IV.	
Liberate Rolls, 2 John to 14 Hen. VI.	
Redisseisin Rolls, 14 Edw. I. to 39 Hen. VI.	
Parliament Rolls, 5 Edw. II. to 22 Edw. IV.	
Coronation Rolls, 1 Edw. II., 1 Hen. IV., and 1 Hen. V.	
Exchange Rolls, 6 Ric. II. to 12 Hen. VI.	
Staple Rolls, 27 Edw. III. to 39 Hen. VI.	
Pardon Rolls, 22 Edw. 1 to 23 Edw. IV.	
Extract Rolls, 45 Hen. III. to 6 Rich. II.	
Protection Rolls, 10 Edw. I. to 35 Edw. I.	
Welsh Rolls, 5 Edw. I. to 23 Edw. I.	
Scotch Rolls, 19 Edw. I. to 22 Edw. IV.	
Irish Rolls, 1 Edw. III., and 47 to 50 Edw. III.	
Norman Rolls, 2 John to 10 Hen. V.	

Calendars, Catalogues, Inventories, and Indexes, &c.—*continued.*

Inventory of the Records of the Chancery, &c.—*continued.* Vascon Rolls, 26 Hen. III. to 7 Edw. IV. French Rolls, 1 Edw. II. to 22 Edw. IV. Roman Rolls, 34 Edw. I. to 31 Edw. III. Almain Rolls, 22 Edw. I. to 15 Edw. III. Subsidy Rolls, 1 Edw. III. to 18 Eliz. Court Rolls, 17 Edw. I. to 1687. Hundred Rolls, 3 Edw. I. to 10 Edw. II. Placita coram Rege, 9 Hen. III. to 53 Hen. III. Placita de Banco, 7 Hen. III. to 19 Edw. II. Essoin Rolls, 10 Hen. III. to 33 Edw. III. Miscellaneous Rolls, John to 25 Edw. III. ,, 20 Edw. III. to 1662, in continuation - -	Third Report, App. II. No. 5.
Notes showing the nature of the Bundles of Records on the Files of the Chancery in the Tower.	Third Report, App. II. No. 5 (*b*).
Inventory of Writs and other Documents returned into or kept upon the Files of the Chancery, and other Miscellaneous Records deposited in the White Tower. 939 Bundles, containing on a rough average 244,750 Documents.	Fourth Report, App. 2. No. 5 *a*.
Catalogue of a File containing Letters from Cardinal Pandulph - - -	Third Report, App. II. No. 5 (*a*).
Records of the Chancery anciently on the File.—Calendar of Royal and other Letters and Writs, and some few Patents, in the Wakefield Tower.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 5 (*c*).
——— Continuation of Calendar of Royal and other Letters and Writs, and some few Patents, in the Wakefield Tower.	Fifth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*f*).
——— Continuation of Calendar of Royal and other Letters and Writs, and some few Patents, in the Wakefield Tower.	Sixth Report, App. II. No. 2.
——— Continuation of Calendar of Royal and other Letters and Writs, and some few Patents, in the Wakefield Tower.	Seventh Report, App. II. No. 7.
Calendar of Proofs of Age lately discovered upon the Files of the Chancery in the Tower, 30–40 Edw. III.	Third Report, App. II. No. 5 (*c*).
Calendar of Proofs of Age, 10–51 Edw. III., found among the unarranged Records in the Tower subsequently to the above Calendar. The two Calendars contain 631 Documents.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 5 (*b*).
Inventory of Writs of Privy Seal, Edw. I. to Charles II.; the total number of Instruments amounting to 88,982.	Fifth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*a*).
Inventory of Letters Missive, mostly addressed to the Chancellors of England, and of Signed Bills, Edw. III. to Charles I.; the total number of Instruments amounting to 2,524.	Fifth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*b*).
Inventory of Bills filed on the Equity Side of the Chancery previously to the commencement of the regular Series in the reign of Elizabeth, from 1452 to 1629; the total number of Documents amounting to 39,038.	Fifth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*c*).
Inventory of Papal Bulls; the Membranes being 198 - - - - -	Fifth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*d*).
Inventory of the Records relating to the Royal Forests, and other Forest Proceedings, in the Wakefield Tower:— Forest Proceedings, entitled "De Antiquis Forestis;" John to 35 Hen. VI., &c., the total number of Membranes being 132; Proceedings before the Justices in Eyre of the reigns of Henry VIII., Elizabeth, James I., and Charles I., and other Documents relating thereto; the total number of Membranes being 5,144; Swainmote Court Rolls for Windsor Forest, Edward VI. to Charles I., the total number of Membranes being 2,094.	Fifth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*e*).
Inventory of the Books, Papers, and Proceedings of the Commissioners and Trustees nominated and appointed for putting in execution the powers and authorities relating to the Forfeited Estates in England and Ireland and elsewhere, except Scotland, pursuant to the Acts 1 Geo. I. c. 50., and 4 Geo. I. c. 8.	Fifth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*g*).

2. *Chancery:—Rolls Chapel.*

First Part of the Inventory of the Rolls, Enrolments, and Records of the Chancery, in the Rolls Chapel:— Fine Rolls, 1 Edw. V. to 23 Chas. I. Pardon Rolls, 1 Rich. III. to 2 Jas. I. Treaty Rolls:—French Rolls, Edw. V. to 26 Chas. II. ,, Scotch Rolls, 1 Rich. III. to 7 Hen. VIII. Charter Rolls, 1 Rich. III. to 6 Hen. VIII. Patent Rolls, Edw. V. to 5 & 6 Phil. & Mary (First Part.) Close Rolls, Edw. V. to 5 & 6 Phil. & Mary (First Part.) Decree Rolls, Hen. VIII. to Eliz. and Jas. I. (First Part.) Parliament Rolls, Rich. III. to 43 Eliz. (First Part.) With observations on their condition.	Third Report, App. II. No. 3.

Calendars, Catalogues, Inventories, and Indexes, &c.—*continued.*

Second Part of the Inventory of the Rolls, Enrolments, and Records of the Chancery, in the Rolls Chapel:— Close Rolls, 1 to 12 Eliz. (Second Part.) Confirmation Rolls, 1 Rich. III. to 1 Chas. I. Records of Pleadings on the Common Law Side of the Court of Chancery, 3 Hen. VII. to 22 Jas. I. Bundles of Statutes Staple, 21 Hen. VIII. to 9 Anne, 43 bundles, containing 13,250 documents. With observations, as before.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 4.
Third Part of the Inventory of the Rolls, Enrolments, and Records of the Chancery, in the Rolls Chapel:— Patent Rolls from 1 to 45 Eliz. (Second Part). 669 Rolls, containing 26,797 membranes. With observations, as before.	Sixth Report, App. II. No. 4.
Specimen of the Calendar of the Patent Rolls, 38 Hen. VIII., Part I., 1546.	Second Report, App. II. No. 7.
The First Part of the Calendar of the Patent Rolls, deposited in the Rolls Chapel. Edw. V. and Rich. III.	Ninth Report, App. II. No. 1.
Indexes to the Patent Rolls of Edw. V. and Rich. III. - - - - -	Ninth Report, App. II. No. 8.
The First Part of the Calendar of Specification and Surrender Rolls, 11 Anne to 45 Geo. III.	Sixth Report, App. II. No. 3 (*a*).
Continuation of the Calendar of Specification and Surrender Rolls, 45 Geo. III. to 1 Vict.	Seventh Report, App. II. No. 2 (*a*).
The First Part of the Calendar of Specifications enrolled upon the Close Rolls, 11 Anne to 45 Geo. III.	Sixth Report, App. II. No. 3 (*b*).
The Second Part of the Calendar of Specifications enrolled upon the Close Rolls, 46 Geo. III. to 50 Geo. III.	Seventh Report, App. II. No. 2 (*b*).
The Third Part of the Calendar of Specifications enrolled upon the Close Rolls, 50 Geo. III. to 1 Geo. IV.	Eighth Report, App. II. No. 3.

3. *Queen's Bench.*

The First Part of the Inventory and Calendar of the contents of the Baga de Secretis, heretofore kept in the Treasury of the Court of Queen's Bench, under three keys, viz., the first in the custody of the Lord Chief Justice of England; the second in the custody of the Clerk of the Crown, or Coroner; and the third in the custody of the Attorney-General:—viz., for the reigns of Edw. IV., Hen. VII., and Hen. VIII.	Third Report, App. II. No. 6.
The Second Part of the Inventory and Calendar of the contents of the Baga de Secretis, viz., for the reigns of Edw. VI., Mary, Philip and Mary, and Elizabeth.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 7.
The Third and last Part of the Inventory and Calendar of the contents of the Baga de Secretis, viz., for the reigns of James I., Charles I., Charles II., Anne, Geo. I., Geo. II., and Geo. III. (there not being any Records extant in the Baga, for the reigns of James II., William and Mary, or William III.)	Fifth Report, App. II. No. 3.

4. *Common Pleas.*

Inventory of Doggett Rolls, with a statement of the number of Membranes each Roll contains, the condition in which it was found, and the operations to which it was subjected during the formation of the Inventory. From 1 Hen. VIII. to 10 Geo. III.	Second Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Doggett Rolls, in continuation. Extending to 3 Geo. IV.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*d*).
Inventory of Doggett Books, with remarks referring to the condition of the covers of the volumes. From 4 & 5 Wm. and Mary to 60 Geo. III. By Statute 4 & 5 Wm. and Mary, c. 20, the Clerk of the Essoins was directed to make an Index or Doggett, alphabetically by the Defendants' names, of all Judgments signed in the Court of Common Pleas, from the Doggett Rolls brought to him by the Clerk of the Doggett.	Second Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Common Rolls, for the reign of Hen. VIII. - - - - These Rolls are endorsed, in early times, "Placita Communia;" they have been styled "Personal Plea Rolls," "Issue Rolls," and "Judgment Rolls." "Issue Rolls," because the litigant parties join issue; and "Judgment Rolls," because, in many cases, the judgment is entered on the Roll. Until the 25th Eliz., the "Placita Communia" are intermingled with the "Placita Terræ," which latter consist of judgments in all real actions, including common recoveries, of enrolments of bargains and sales, and other conveyances; of deeds to make tenants to præcipes, and to lead the uses of fines; of payments of king's silver, &c. The total number of Rolls in this reign is 151—consisting of 102,566 Membranes.	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.

Calendars, Catalogues, Inventories, and Indexes, &c.—*continued.*

Inventory of Common Rolls, for the reigns of Edw. VI., Mary, and Philip and Mary, in continuation. Total, 45 Rolls, 45,921 Membranes.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*k*).
Inventory of Pleas of Land and Deeds enrolled. From the commencement of them as a distinct series, 25 Eliz. to end of James I., 168 Rolls, 27,948 Membranes. These Rolls contain the whole proceedings, including the final judgment, in all real actions, the bulk of which consists of common recoveries, together with enrolments of bargains and sales, and other conveyances; deeds to make tenants to præcipes, and to lead to the uses of fines, appointments of officers, payments of king's silver.	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
——————————— Continuation, for the reign of Chas. I.; containing 96 Rolls, 14,183 Membranes.	Seventh Report, App. II. No. 5.
Inventory of Recovery Indexes. 22 Hen. VII. 1507, to 60 Geo. III., 1820. These Books give all the important particulars of the Recoveries, and in most cases are consulted in preference.	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Indexes to Deeds enrolled in the Common Pleas, called Deed Indexes. 20 Hen. VII., 1505, to 43 Geo. III., 1803. 20 Hen. VII. to 31 Hen. VIII. are in Vol. A. of Recovery Indexes.	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Appearance Books (London and Middlesex), 1735 to 1819; and of Indexes thereto, 12 Geo. II. to 1819; with observations on their condition.	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Appearance Books (various counties), 1729 to 1823, with observations on their condition.	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Books of Appearances on Attachments, 1734 to 1777 - -	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Day Books, 1712 to 1764, with observations on their condition -	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Writ Books, 1784 to 1819, with observations on their condition -	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Index to Affidavits of Debt (London and Middlesex), 1743 to 1819.	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Bail Books, 1721 to 1819, with observations on their condition -	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Index to Posteas and Inquiries, 1737 to 1800 - - - -	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Declaration Indexes, 30 Chas. I. to 1823, with observations on their condition.	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Miscellaneous Books, Books of Pleas, Replications, and Demurrers, Caret Books, Disbursement Book, Private Day Books, various Indexes, &c., 1782 to 1829.	Third Report, App. II. No. 2.
Inventory of Remembrance Rolls, 1 Hen. VIII. to 3 Geo. IV., with a statement of the number of Membranes each Roll contains, the condition in which it was found, and the operations to which it was subjected during the formation of the Inventory.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*a*).
Inventory of Secondaries' Remembrance Books.—Geo. III. and IV. Each of these books includes four terms; they are in good condition. On the average they contain 1,400 pages each, being in the whole 32,200 pages.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*b*).
Inventory of Filacers' Remembrance Rolls. The total number of Rolls is 1,007, consisting of about 3,200 membranes.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*c*).
Inventory of General Affidavits, consisting of Affidavits of Service of Motion, Service of Rules Nisi, and of Delivery of Warrants of Attorney. 1704 to 1822. 85 boxes, containing 1,594 bundles. Estimated number of documents, 102,473.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*e*).
Inventory of Declarations, or Declarations against Prisoners. 1706 to 1822. 21 boxes; 440 bundles. Estimated number of documents, 24,111. The Affidavit of Service of Declaration usually accompanies the Declaration.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*f*).
Inventory of Declarations and Affidavits of Service of Declarations in Ejectment, and Papers annexed. 1704 to 1822. 23 boxes; 525 bundles. Estimated number of documents, 26,344.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*g*).
Inventory of Affidavits annexed to the Præcipes and Warrants of Attorney for suffering Recoveries, acknowledged by the Tenant or Vouchees, by virtue of Writs of Dedimus potestatem; 15 Geo. III. to 2 Will. IV. 58 bags, containing 47,818 documents.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*h*).
Inventory of Warrants of Attorney to confess Judgment. December 1802 to December 1822. 12 boxes, containing 173 bundles, containing (by estimation) 18,000 documents.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*i*).
Inventory of Capiases, or Small Paper Memoranda of the Issue of Writs of Capias for Debt. 1800 to 1822. 13 boxes; 1,477 bundles; estimated number of documents, 145,786.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 2 (*l*).

Calendars, Catalogues, Inventories, and Indexes, &c.—*continued.*

5. Exchequer of Pleas.	
Rolls:	
A Chronological Table, showing every Roll of Pleadings of the Exchequer before the Barons then in the Public Record Office, together with the number of Membranes each Roll contains.	Second Report, App. II. No. 3.
Similar Table of similar Rolls, then in the Queen's Remembrancer's Office in the Exchequer.	
A consolidated Table of the preceding Tables, showing the terms then extant and deficient in each year from Edw. I.	
A Synopsis of whole years or terms for which Rolls were probably deficient.	
Number of Rolls stated to have been extant in 1800, compared with the numbers extant in 1838.	
A Summary of the Consolidated Table of Rolls.	
Bills and Writs:	
List of every File of Bills and Writs then extant in the Office of the Exchequer of Pleas.	
Miscellaneous:	
Miscellaneous Rolls, Files, Proceedings, &c.	
A List of the Rolls formed out of loose Membranes.	
Remembrancer's Writs.	
A List of the Files of Bills and Writs formed out of the loose Documents.	
Affidavits:	
On Motions in Court.	
Of Debt.	
Bail Files.	
Attachments.	
Declarations.	
Books:	
Repertories, Catalogues, Indexes, and Dockets of Judgments.	
Orders.	
Appearances.	
Rule Books and Rules to Plead.	
Formulare Placitorum.	
Attachments.	
Catalogues of Appearances.	
Writs.	
Subpœnas.	
Rough Minute Book.	
Three short Docket Books.	
Notices of Tythe-Suits enrolled in the Exchequer of Pleas, being a selection abridged from the Calendar.	Second Report, App. II. No. 6.
6. Exchequer: Queen's Remembrancer.	
The First Part of the Inventory of Rolls of Accounts, Assessments, Inquisitions, Petitions, Certificates, or other Documents, relating to the assessing and collection of the tallages, carucages, scutages, aids, subsidies, loans, benevolences, contributions, reliefs, (taxes on merchandise, and any revenue collected at the ports not being included,) granted to the King, by the Clergy in Convocation, or by the Laity in Parliament, or enjoyed in virtue of the Royal Prerogative or ancient prescriptive right; viz., from the fourth year of Henry III. to the ninth year of Henry V.	Second Report, App. II. No. 4.
Supplement to the First Part of the above Inventory.	Third Report, App. II. No. 1.
The Second Part of the Inventory of Rolls of Accounts, &c., &c., relating to the assessing and collection of the tallages, &c., from the sixth year of Henry VI. to the thirty-eighth year of Henry VIII.	Third Report, App. II. No. 1.
The Third Part of the Inventory of Rolls of Accounts, &c., &c., relating to the assessing and collection of the tallages, &c., from the second and third year of Edward VI. to the fifth year of Elizabeth.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 1.
The Fourth Part of the Inventory of Rolls of Accounts, &c., &c., relating to the assessing and collection of the tallages, &c., from the eighth to the twenty-seventh year of Elizabeth.	Fifth Report, App. II. No. 1.
Calendar of the Ancient Compotuses of the Exchequer, containing the Escheators' Accounts, and the Inquisitions post-mortem, and other Inquisitions or Documents transmitted therewith, from the first year of Henry the Seventh to the closing of each series.	Tenth Report, App. II. No. 1.
Syllabus of the Ancient Taxations of the Church of Ireland, Edw. I. or II.	Fifth Report, App. II. No. 5.
A Catalogue, topographically arranged, of the Inventories of the Goods and Ornaments in the several Churches and Chapels of the Realm, as they were found by the various bodies of Commissioners appointed to make inquiry concerning the same, in the sixth year of Edward the Sixth.	Seventh Report, App. II. No. 10.

Calendars, Catalogues, Inventories, and Indexes, &c.—*continued.*

Supplementary Calendar of Inventories of Church Goods and Ornaments in the reign of Edward the Sixth, with Copies of Documents relating to the Powers and Mode of Proceeding of the Commissioners.	Ninth Report, App. II. No. 3.

7. *Exchequer: Queen's Remembrancer; Augmentation Office.*

A Catalogue of the Deeds of Surrender of certain Abbeys, Priories, Colleges, Hospitals, Free Chapels, Chantries, Bishopricks, Prebends, and Rectories, made in the reign of Henry the Eighth, with a few of the reign of Edward the Sixth, preserved apart from the other Records of the abolished Court of Augmentations.	Eighth Report, App. II. No. 1.
The First Part of the Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.	Ninth Report, App. II. No. 2.
The Second Part of the Inventory of Particulars for Grants, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.	Tenth Report, App. II. No. 2.
The First Part of the Calendar and Description of the Monastic and other Chartularies, viz. a portion of those amongst the Records of the late Court of Augmentations.	Eighth Report, App. II. No. 4.
The First Part of the Calendar and Inventory of Parliamentary Surveys, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office.	Seventh Report, App. II. No. 6.
The Second (and concluding) Part of the Calendar and Inventory of Parliamentary Surveys, preserved among the Records of the late Augmentation Office. List of Parliamentary Surveys deposited in the Office of the Duchy of Lancaster. List of Parliamentary Surveys of the County of Cornwall, deposited in the Office of the Duchy of Cornwall.	Eighth Report, App. II. No. 2.

8. *Exchequer of Receipt.*

Catalogues of the Documents and Records then in the custody of the Comptroller of the Exchequer.

Papal Briefs, and Imperial and Ducal Letters, addressed chiefly to Henry VIII. and Cardinal Wolsey, from 1513 to 1527, and from 1513 to 1523; and Original Letters and State Papers, addressed or belonging chiefly to Cardinal Wolsey, from 1515 to 1529, &c.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Supplement to the Papal Briefs and State Papers - - - -	Third Report, App. II. No. 4 (*a*).
Farther Supplement to the Papal Briefs - - - - - - - -	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 6 *a*.
Supplemental Papal Briefs and Letters of State - - - - - -	Sixth Report, App. II. No. 5 (*b*).
The Under-Treasurer's Declarations to the King, of the state of the Treasury, containing a summary account of all the receipts and expenditure of the King's treasure, for a year and a half preceding the death of Henry VII., for the first year and a half of the reign of Henry VIII., then for the two next years, and then from year to year (with the exception of thirteen years, at different periods) to the end of his reign.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Draughts of the Under-Treasurer's Yearly Declarations to the King, for three years only of Henry VIII.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Wardrobe Books, Household Books, &c., of Henry VIII., Prince Henry, eldest son of James I., and Prince Charles, afterwards King Charles I.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
The Receipt Books and Issue Books of the Clerk of the Pells, showing all the receipts or payments of money, at the Receipt of the Exchequer, for the several half-years to which they respectively belong.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Brief Declarations of the Receipts and Issues of the Exchequer, certified unto the Lord Treasurer, by the Clerk of the Pells, for Easter half-year 42 Eliz. 1600, and the Michaelmas and Easter half-years, 1639–40.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Inrolments, or Books of Entry, of Letters Patent, granting offices, pensions, and honours with pecuniary emoluments, from the beginning of the reign of Hen. VIII. to that of Chas. II.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Inrolments, or Books of Entry, of Letters Patent, relative to the Revenues of the Crown; containing Crown Leases by Indenture, Grants by Patent, Letters of Privy Seal, and various other documents, recorded in the Auditor's Office; 41 Eliz. 1599, to 8 Will. and Mary, 1696.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Inrolment Books of Writs or Letters of Privy Seal, for the payment of moneys at the Receipt of the Exchequer, as entered in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt. 1594 to 1741, in 22 large volumes.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Books of the Inrolment or Entry of Letters of Privy Seal for the allowance of moneys at the Receipt of the Exchequer, or for the discharge of Accountants and others; interspersed with sundry other documents, as Assignments, Letters of Attorney, Wills, Administrations, &c., 1620 to 1734.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.

Calendars, Catalogues, Inventories, and Indexes, &c.—*continued.*

The Auditor's Warrant Books; containing Warrants under the Sign Manual, but chiefly by the Lords Treasurers or Commissioners of the Treasury, and various documents connected, as entered (in full) in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt; chiefly of the reigns of Chas. II., Jas. II., and Will. and Mary; but extending from 1626 to 1790, in various series and separate volumes.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Order Books of the Auditor of the Receipt, containing the substance of Orders and Warrants of the Lord Treasurer, or Commissioners of the Treasury, for the issuing of money upon Letters of the Great Seal or Privy Seal already entered in the Office; 1621 to 1678.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Certificate Books, containing Weekly Certificates of the Tellers' Receipts, Issues, and Remains (or Balances); entered in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt; 1610 to 1665.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Views (otherwise Brief Declarations) of the Receipts and Issues of the four Tellers, as certified unto the Lord Treasurer. Mich. 1 Eliz. 1559 to 1610.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Brief Declarations of the Receipts and Issues of the Exchequer, and of the state thereof, as certified to the Lord Treasurer by the Auditor of the Receipt, in half-yearly books. An irregular series.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Receipt Books of the Auditor of the Receipt of the Exchequer; containing an Account of all Payments into the Exchequer, for every half-year, under the names of the several Tellers receiving the same, and subdivided under the several species of revenue so received. 1570 to Charles II., with one of Queen Anne.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Yearly Views of the Payments of Fees or Salaries, Annuities, and Pensions, by the four Tellers of the Receipt, being the Auditor's Accounts of Payments upon Debentures; 1569–70 to 1607–8.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Auditor's Accounts of Payments upon Warrants and Orders, being Abstracts of all Payments out of the Exchequer, by virtue of Writs of Privy Seal, Warrants of the Lord Treasurer and Under-Treasurer, and Letters of the Privy Council, reduced under heads; 1559-60 to 1585-6.	Second Report, App. II. No. 5.
Supplements to the above Catalogues of Documents and Records.	Fifth Report, App. II. No. 4 *b*.
Inventories of the Books of the Pell Office of the late Receipt of the Exchequer, at the Rolls House.	
I. Pell of Receipt.	
Receipt Books of the Clerk of the Pells, 1559 to 1834, including Breviates thereof, from 1560 to 1602.	Third Report, App. II. No. 4.; and Fourth Report, App. II. No. 6.
Breviates of the Receipts, or Abbreviationes Pellis Receptorum, in separate Books, 1573 to 1577, and 1602 to 1642–3.	Third Report, App. II. No. 4.; & Seventh Report, App. II. No. 4.
Assignation Books, or Books of Assignationes, for the payment of Interest upon Bankers' Loans, 1678 to 1688.	Fourth Report, App. II. No. 6.; and Fifth Report, App. II. No. 4 (*a*).
II. Pell of Issue.	
Issue Books of the Clerk of the Pells, 1597 to 1834 - - - - -	Third Report, App. II. No. 4.; & Seventh Report, App. II. No. 4.
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Calendar of Miscellaneous Documents amongst the Records of the Ancient Treasury of the Receipt of the Exchequer, in the Chapter House:— (1.) Miscellaneous Records formerly deposited in a bag labelled "Rageman." (2.) Documents formerly contained in a bag labelled "Augmentation."	Ninth Report, App. II. No. 4.
Description of certain hitherto unexamined Rolls at the Chapter House, viz., Letters of Prince Edward (afterwards Edward II.), 33 Edward I.; Household Roll, 21 Edward I.; 2 Rolls, Eliz.; &c.	Ninth Report, App. II. No. 5.

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TO

THE SEVENTEENTH REPORT

OF

THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

No. 1.—WELSH RECORDS.

LETTER from CHARLES ROBERTS, Esq., to Sir FRANCIS PALGRAVE.

1. Welsh Records.

Second Report of Mr. Roberts.

SIR, Carlton Ride, December 20th, 1855.

IN my letter of the 18th January last concerning the Welsh Records, I reported my proceedings in execution of the Warrants* of the Master of the Rolls, and stated that I had removed to London the Records from all the depositories on the Chester and North Wales Circuits, from Haverfordwest and Carmarthen on the Carmarthen Circuit, and from Cardiff on the Brecknock Circuit, leaving the Records at Brecknock, Presteign, and Cardigan, for removal during the present year.

Brecknock.—According to the arrangements I had made with Mr. Maybery, I went to Brecknock on the 18th of April, and on the five following days packed up all the Records there, keeping them in classes as well as the time would admit. The closet in which the Records were kept in various cupboards was so small that it was not possible to pack the Records therein, and they were brought down to the Magistrates' room, which Mr. Maybery's interest procured me the use of. From day to day, Mr. Maybery gave me all the assistance in his power, and also brought to me from the house of his brother, Walter Maybery, Esq., the late Prothonotary, all the Books and other Records which had been kept there.

At the office of G. R. Bevan, Esq., Solicitor, in Brecknock, I found a few Chancery Records and some Books. These had formerly been in the custody of his partner, Philip Vaughan, Esq., late Clerk of Indictments on this Circuit, who, on dissolution of their partnership, had removed from Brecknock, and taken with him most of the Records in his charge, and those now found in the office at Brecknock were evidently left there by mistake. Mr. Bevan, on production of the Warrant, immediately handed them over to me.

In this place I had better state that at a later period (viz. on 16th November last), Mr. Philip Vaughan delivered to me at this office the Records above mentioned to have been removed from Brecknock, and which he informed me were remaining in his possession at the abolition of the Welsh Courts, not only as Clerk of Indictments, but also as surviving partner of Thomas Bold, Esq., late Cursitor and Chancery Clerk of the Brecknock Circuit.

All the Records at Brecknock were conveyed in a large van to the Railway Station at Abergavenny, and thence in a horse box to London, and deposited in the General Record Repository on the 26th of April.

I must now refer to the Records described in the Schedule of the Warrant, as "the "Records of the Registrar and Marshal of the Brecknock Circuit now or formerly in the "custody of Henry Revell Reynolds, Esq., Solicitor to the Treasury, formerly Registrar, "&c. of the said Circuit, or of Thomas Jones, Esq., of Bridgend, Glamorganshire, formerly "Clerk of the Registrar."

In my former Report it was stated that these Records had not been received, except two Books which Mr. Reynolds had kept at his house in London; and a portion of them are undiscovered still. They are valuable, as they comprise the later Decrees and Orders, with the Petitions, Affidavits, &c., and I have therefore used every means in my power to find them.

In the General Report of the Public Record Commissioners in 1837, (Appendix H. 10 *c.*) is a return made by Mr. Reynolds, dated 16th April 1832, wherein he states that "Mr. Thomas Jones, of Bridgend, Glamorganshire, is in custody of the Records belonging "to the late Office of Registrar of the Brecon Circuit. That on the death of

* Seven of the nine original Warrants were returned with my former Report. The Warrant for Cardigan, and that for Brecknock, Radnor, and Glamorgan, are returned herewith.

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"Mr. Vaughan, the preceding Registrar, he (Mr. Reynolds) continued Mr. Jones as "Clerk of the Registrar, and both when he first came into office, and on his leaving Wales, "on termination of the last Circuit, he gave him strict injunctions to keep all the Records "safely locked up in the boxes at his own house, and to permit no one to have access to "them without his written direction." And Mr. Reynolds subjoins an extract from a letter from Mr. Jones, stating that he had at his dwelling-house the Books of Orders and Decrees, and the other Records in his charge, in wooden boxes properly secured and locked up, so that no one could have access to them but himself.

I had several interviews with Mr. Reynolds, but he could give me no information respecting the Records or Mr. Jones.

When in Glamorganshire at the end of last year, I made every inquiry I could for this Mr. Jones, and went to every place where I heard there was a chance of finding him, but it was only in January 1855, I learnt his address at Kidwelly. This I communicated to Mr. Reynolds, and he thereupon wrote to Mr. Jones, who in reply stated, that on giving up his house at Bridgend many years before, he had returned the Books and Records to Lanelay, where they had formerly been kept when Mr. Vaughan was Registrar. Upon this I communicated with Nash Edwards Vaughan, Esq., of Rheola, the present owner of Lanelay, but not residing there, and learnt that he had a room there in which were various boxes of old deeds and papers, found there when the property came into his possession, and he offered to meet me at Lanelay to search them. On our arrival there on the 17th of April, we found a number of boxes in a large room over some farm buildings. These were all searched through in succession, some of them contained old printed books, with numerous deeds and papers of a private nature accumulated in the legal practice of Mr. Vaughan, the Registrar. Three boxes only were filled with old Records, relating to the Chancery of the Brecknock Circuit; these were handed over to me, and were brought up to London with the Records from Brecknock.

None of these Records, however, came down to the time of the abolition of the Courts, and consequently the later volumes of the Decrees and Orders, &c. &c., extending down to 1830, are still wanting.

In June I wrote to Mr. Thomas Jones, stating the result of the search at Lanelay, and the non-discovery of the last Books of Orders and Decrees, and other Records down to 1830, and hoping that on consideration he would be able to furnish some further information. In reply, the 19th June, he stated, "It is out of my power to give any further information "respecting the Papers relating to the Brecon Circuit than I did to Mr. Reynolds. My "motive for sending them to Lanelay was, that a portion of the books and papers relating "to the Circuit were already there, as we only took with us round the Circuit such as were "likely to be required, and the remainder were always at Lanelay; and Mr. Reynolds took "with him the books and papers relating to the then pending suits, and such as he required "at the expiration of the Circuit, and left the remainder with me. Some time afterwards, "when I was about to leave Bridgend, my then residence, I consulted the late Mr. John "Edwards Vaughan, who took the name and became possessed of the estate of the late "Mr. Vaughan, the Registrar, and it was determined that I should send them to Lanelay to "be kept with the other papers; and this I immediately did, as I considered them safer "there than with me."

In July I again wrote to Mr. Nash Edwards Vaughan, who had promised to have search made at his residence at Rheola, in case any Records might have been sent there from Lanelay. In reply (the 13th July) Mr. Vaughan stated, "I have searched every corner "here for the Records, and my old bailiff has done the same at Lanelay, but in vain. I "have a recollection of a box of Papers which were partially consumed in a fire we had here "(Rheola) about fifteen years ago, and that I looked them over to ascertain whether they "concerned me, and finding that they did not, I burnt the remains with the useless articles. "I cannot, however, at all call to mind the nature of the documents or conceive what "could have become of the Records, if they were not the Papers I have just referred to. "Should I ever find them you may rely upon my sending them to you immediately."

Cardigan.—F. R. Roberts, Esq., of Aberystwith, Clerk of the Peace for the County of Cardigan, having informed me that Mr. Morgan would act as his Agent in giving up the Records at Cardigan, I went there on the 14th August, and having sorted and got them packed at the Town Hall, I brought them in a waggon to Narberth Road Railway Station, and thence in a horse box to London, and deposited them in the General Repository on the 21st of August.

In respect of the Cardigan Records, I have only further to mention that the Docket Books of Fines and Recoveries were not with them, or known to have been there since Mr. Beynon resigned the office of Clerk of the Peace some years ago. As Mr. Beynon and his old clerk, Thomas Williams, were both still living at Newcastle-Emlyn, I went over there, and Thomas Williams stated that he well remembered sending these Books from Newcastle-Emlyn to Mr. Roberts, when he succeeded to the Clerkship of the Peace. Mr. Roberts afterwards found them at his office at Aberystwith and sent them to me in London.

Presteign.—Having made arrangements with Mr. Maybery, at Brecknock, I met him at Presteign on the 29th October, and he delivered over to me all the Records for the County of Radnor, kept at the New Town Hall in Presteign. When they were packed, I conveyed them to Leominster in a waggon, and thence to London by Railway in a horse box, and on the 6th November I deposited them in the General Record Repository.

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The Records brought from Brecknock, Cardigan, and Presteign, weighed, I believe, above four tons, making with those brought up last year about twenty-four tons.

All the Records of the abolished Welsh Courts, as far as I am aware of them, have now been removed from Wales and placed in the General Record Repository.*

The primary examination and sortation of these Records have been continued since my former Report, but the completion of even this partial arrangement will occupy a long time, unless a larger force can be placed upon the work, and the preparation of proper lists, checked with the respective Records, will be a work of some duration.

I am, &c.,

Sir Francis Palgrave, &c. &c.

(Signed) CHARLES ROBERTS.

* The Records formerly in the custody of Joseph Bicknell, Esq., Registrar, and one of the Clerks in Chancery, on the Carmarthen Circuit, are still undiscovered. See note † in Sixteenth Report of Deputy Keeper, Appendix, No. 2.

No. 2.—Summary of Proceedings in the Public Record Office, for the Year ended 31st December 1855.

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ROLLS CHAPEL.	Chancery :— Various Membranes, &c. - - Damped. 611 - Mended. 1,949 - Sewed. 1,558	Enrolment Office to Rolls Chapel :—Close Rolls, & Memorials of Annuities, 1840. Petty Bag Office to Rolls Chapel :—Patent Rolls and Privy Seals, &c., 7 Will. IV. and 1 Vict. Office of Clerks of Records and Writs to Rolls Chapel :—98 Decrees, & Dockets. Great Queen Street, Westminster, to Rolls Chapel :—River Tyne Commission Papers, by authority of Home Office of 28 May 1855.
TOWER.	Chancery :— Early Equity Proceedings—4,343 cleaned and mended. Proceedings on the Common Law Side, commonly known as County Placita—973 more, sorted and arranged ; 1,529 more, cleaned and mended. Parliamentary Writs and Returns—3,320 more, sorted, numbered, arranged between boards, and entitled. Miscellaneous (consisting of Petitions to the King and his Council, to Parliament, &c.)—Arrangement continued—879 Instruments cleaned and mended ; 1,021 mended ; and 3,232 sewed.	- - - -
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CARLTON RIDE. *Mr. Hunter's Division.*	Exchequer :— *Queen's Remembrancer,—* Miscellaneous—Arrangement continued.	- - - -
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STATE PAPER BRANCH RECORD OFFICE.	State Papers :— Treaties—Arranging Ratifications and Treaty Papers. Correspondence—Domestic, Geo. III. and IV.—Arranging. " —Domestic and Foreign—Incorporating various. Privy Seals—Hen. III. to Hen. VIII. ; 355 bundles cleaned, re-covered, and numbered. *Binding :—* 55 volumes—various.	Home Office to State Paper Branch Record Office :—Secret Despatches, 1778 to 1782, 1 Vol. Irish Correspondence, 1811, 4 bundles. Foreign Office to State Paper Branch Record Office :—52 Ratifications of Treaties, 1849 to 1855.

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CHANCERY :— Proceedings on Common Law Side (or County Placita)—973 more.	CHANCERY :— Petitions to Parliament, &c.—2,210 more, making in all 6,893. Royal Letters—Continued.	- - - -	15	91	138	43	2	52 0 0
- - - -	COURT OF REQUESTS :— Continued—1,000 more Suits, making in all 3,456 Suits,—Eliz. COURT OF STAR CHAMBER :— In progress—Hen. VIII.	- - - -	73	69	43	23	–	20 14 0
- - - -	EXCHEQUER :— *Queen's Remembrancer,*— Miscellaneous, continued—1,342 more, making in all 90,416.	- - - -	1	360	34	8	1	28 2 6
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THE EIGHTEENTH REPORT OF THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR MAJESTY:—

PURSUANT to the Statute made and passed in the Session of Parliament held in the first and second year of Your Majesty's reign, entitled "An Act "for Keeping Safely the Public Records," I, the undersigned Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, do hereby most humbly make my Eighteenth Report to Your Majesty, for the year beginning 1st January 1856, and ending 31st December 1856, up to which last-mentioned date this Report is made, except, however, so far as relates to certain particular transactions, herein-after quoted as being subsequent to the 31st December 1856, which it has become needful to notice.

But in making this Report it has been considered expedient to vary from the plan of the preceding Annual Reports, by desisting from arranging the matter into three separate heads or chapters, and abbreviating as much as possible all details.

The period which this Report embraces has been mainly employed in transferring the Records from the different Branch Repositories of Records, or Record Offices, into the new General Record Repository. The Records in Your Majesty's Tower of London (save and except some few in the ancient Chapel called Julius Cæsar's Chapel,) have been removed as herein-after more particularly mentioned, and the keys of the Repository delivered to the Officers of Your Majesty's Board of Works. The Chancery Records in the Rolls Chapel are now equally in the course of removal, and Messrs. Hardy, Roberts, and Sharpe, with some of the Officers of the third class and the greater number of the workmen, are transacting business in the said Repository. The proceedings relating to the transfers of Records from other Departments, or receipts of Records transmitted to this Department from other Departments, will appear in relation to the General Repository, or to the Branch Office in or from which every transfer may have been made. Some further transfers have been suggested, but have not been carried out.

TOWER OF LONDON, ROLLS CHAPEL, and GENERAL REPOSITORY.—*Records of the Chancery, Admiralty, &c.*—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Hardy, Mr. Roberts, Mr. Holden, and Mr. Sharpe.)

1. *Business of the Division.*—The duties of Mr. Hardy were at the commencement and during great part of the year divided between these localities; but since the removals noticed in another section of this Report (§ 4), Mr. Hardy has given his official attendance (Mr. Roberts, Mr. Holden, and Mr. Sharpe also aiding,) in the General Repository, doing, however, what may be needful at the Tower with respect to the Records still remaining there.

The business of the Division, for which fees have been paid, has been as follows :—

FEES RECEIVED from the 1st January 1856 to the 30th of August 1856 at the TOWER, and from the 1st November to 31st December 1856 at the GENERAL REPOSITORY.

1856.	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	—		
						£	s.	d.
January	-	16	34	26	-	13	6	0
February	1	19	4	2	-	2	2	0
March	5	15	45	24	-	13	5	6
April	-	8	9	-	-	1	16	0
May	2	2	44	79	-	23	0	6
June	1	5	10	1	-	18	5	6
July	6	10	28	8	1	11	3	0
August	3	8	8	9	-	7	17	6
September	Fees accounted for among those at the Rolls Chapel.							
October								
November	9	21	7	3	-	3	17	0
December	11	30	15	6	-	6	17	6
Total	38	134	204	158	1	101	10	6

2. *Royal and other Letters, &c.*—Since Mr. Hardy's last annual Report, of which the summary is contained in the Seventeenth Report (II. §§ 22–27), the Calendar of the Royal Letters and State Papers compiled by Messrs. Sanders, Ellis, and Haydon has been resumed.

The Master of the Rolls, as Mr. Hardy states, has expressed his desire that those portions of the Calendar annexed to the Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, and Seventh Reports (Third Report, App. II. No. 5 *a*; Fourth Report, App. II. No. 5 *c*; Fifth Report, App. II. No. 5 *f*; Sixth Report, App. II. No. 2; Seventh Report, App. II. No. 7), should be amalgamated in chronological order with those in the course of re-formation. Mr. Hardy expresses his views with respect to Calendars of this class as follows: he considers that a printed Calendar ought to be confined to a general description, without editorial comment, of the contents of each piece, noticing, however, in the words of the document itself, any passage that throws light upon the manners, customs, language, or character of the times to which it relates;—in other words, such sufficient indication ought to be given as will inform an inquirer, living at a distance, whether or not he need refer to the document itself for the subject he is investigating. Mr. Hardy further observes that the editor must always bear in mind the necessity of keeping his work within a reasonable compass; for, if he lose sight of this important consideration, he will run the risk of wearing out the patience of the inquirer with lengthened details, and his book will extend to several instead of a few volumes, and their cost will, in all probability, exclude the work from the shelves of the student, the very person most requiring it. Mr. Hardy gives some very useful observations, suggested, in the first instance, by the assumption that many persons entertain an opinion that a Calendar cannot be too full. As an illustration, he supposes that an author, engaged upon the History of the Welsh Wars in the reign of King Henry the Third, saw in the Calendar the following entries:—

No. 1. Letter from Peter de Montfort to the King, relative to the depredations committed by the Welsh adherents of Llewellyn in the neighbourhood of Abergavenny.

No. 2. Letter from Peter de Montfort to the King, relative to the death of the Archbishop of Dublin and to the ecclesiastical dissensions about the election of his successor.

Now both of these notices are sufficiently indicative of the contents of the two Letters, and the inquirer would at once refer to the original Document of No. 1, as relating to the subject which he is investigating (for no description in the Calendar, however full, would, Mr. Hardy thinks, satisfy him, and he would certainly consult the document itself); on the other hand, he would not deem it necessary to refer to Document No. 2, as it did not bear upon his inquiry. But suppose, again, he were writing a memoir of Peter de Montfort, he would

(if he conscientiously fulfilled his obligation as a writer) consult both Letters, though the Calendar sufficiently notified to him their several objects, to ascertain in what manner they illustrated the life or character of his subject; he would not be content with the fullest digest of these Letters; he would expect to find incidents and points of information, which might have escaped the notice of the Calendarer, inasmuch as a man who especially devotes his mind to the investigation of one subject necessarily knows more than the one who is compelled by the nature of work to take a general view of all matters coming within the scope of his work. Mr. Hardy, however, further observes, that all Calendars cannot be constructed on the same plan. Formal instruments, such as those on the Charter Rolls and the Inquisitions post mortem, can be calendared in a much shorter and more expeditious manner than such miscellaneous collections as the Royal Letters and State Papers. Mr. Hardy further reports (amongst other matters) that Mr. Sanders has prepared for press during the last twelvemonth upwards of one thousand of these Documents, but they will require to be sorted and resorted, and these portions of the Calendar annexed to the Deputy Keeper's Reports, as above mentioned, must be amalgamated with them before they can be sent to press, and it may be a question whether, for the sake of uniformity, they ought to be amplified, to harmonise with Mr. Sanders' plan, or if it be determined that they are to remain as they occur in the said Reports, whether they ought not to be designated by some mark to show that they are the work of another hand.

3. *Ancient Parliamentary Petitions.*—Mr. Hardy further reports that the Calendar of the Petitions and Miscellaneous Parliamentary Documents (Seventeenth Report, II. § 23) has been continued. During the short time Mr. Cole has been in this Division, he has catalogued 105 documents, identified those that are printed, and referred by references and cross references to the six volumes of the Rolls of Parliament.

4. *Removals, Repairs, &c.*—Mr. Hardy lastly reports that, pursuant to the Warrant of the Master of the Rolls, dated 10 June 1856, all the Records set forth in the Appendix (App. No. 1.), have been removed into the new or General Repository and the houses in Chancery Lane. The workmen have cleaned 658 documents, and repaired 624.

Rolls Chapel Office.

Records of the Chancery, Privy Signet, &c.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Holden and Mr. Sharpe, who give divided attendance in the General Repository when needed.)

5. *Business of the Division.*—The Chancery and other Records in the Rolls Chapel are in course of transfer to the General Repository. They consist of the following classes:—

Treaty or Foreign Rolls, from Edw. V. to 19 Chas. II.
Charter Rolls, from 1 Ric. III. to 8 Hen. VIII.
Patent Rolls, from Edw. V. to 2 Vict.
Confirmation Rolls, from Ric. III. to 12 Jas. I.
Fine Rolls, or Lord Treasurers' Rolls, from Edw. V. to 17 Chas. I.
Dispensation Rolls, from 37 Eliz. to 20 Geo. II.
Pardon Rolls, from Ric. III. to Jas. I.
Close Rolls, from Edw. V. to 1841.
Judgment or Decree Rolls, from 25 Hen. VIII. to 1856.
Surrender and Specification Rolls, from Chas. II. to 1848.
N.B.—Such and so many of the Close and Specification Rolls as are or shall be required for Professor Woodcroft's copyists must remain in the Chapel till he has done with them.
Privy Seal Bundles, from Hen. VII. to 2 Vict.
Signed Bill Bundles, from Hen. VII. to 2 Vict.
Escheat Bundles, from 1 Hen. VII. to 20 Chas. I., with a few subsequently.
Parliament Return Bundles, from 33 Hen. VIII. to Commonwealth.
Certiorari Bundles, from 6 Hen. VIII. to 40 Geo. III.
Pleadings on Common Law Side of Chancery, on Petitions of Right, and on Writs of Scire facias, and Judgments thereon respectively, Hen. VII. and subsequently.

Two Bundles of Inquisitions, called Cardinal's Bundles, now bound in two volumes, relating to Cardinal Wolsey.
Commissions and Adjudications of Sewers.
Commissions of Charitable Uses.
Surveys of Church Livings, Commonwealth.
Certificates of Statutes of the Staple; Extents returned thereon, and Liberates.
Certificates of Excommunications from the Ecclesiastical Courts.
Writs of Scire facias.
Writs of Audita querela.
Writs of Ex gravi querela.
Miscellaneous Bundles and Files of Writs and Returns, and other Instruments, &c.
Recognizance Rolls to 1841.
Memorials of Deeds and other Securities for Annuities, from 53 Geo. III. to 1841.
Records, not being Enrolments, formerly arranged in 16 bundles:—

1. Files of Bills and Answers.
2. Files of Writs of Habeas Corpus cum causâ.
3. Writs of Certiorari.
4. Attachments, Proclamations, Commissions of Rebellion, and Transcripts of Injunctions.
5. Writs of Scire facias, Audita querela, and Ex gravi querela.
6. Escheators' Bundle, containing Inquisitions Post mortem, and Ad quod damnum.
7. Privy Seal Bundle.
8. Signed Bill Bundle.
9. Parliament Return Bundle.
10. The Purse Bundle, containing the Lord Treasurer's Warrants for Patents of Escheators, &c.
11. The Staple Bundle, containing Proceedings under the Statute.
12. The Gallows Bundle, Proceedings upon Writs De excommunicato capiendo.
13. The Stool Bundle, being Transcripts of Supersedeas for Bails, and of Recognizances for Peace and Good Behaviour.
14. The Horn Bundle; Bails upon Special Pardons.
15. The Pot Bundle; Proceedings relating to the Appointment of Sheriffs.
16. The Arrow Bundle; Letters Patent surrendered; Cancelled Deeds; Acts of Parliament transmitted by Certiorari; Writs of Dedimus Potestatem to take Acknowledgments for Enrolment or Cancellation; Warrants of Attorney upon Writs of Entry, and also for taking Sheriffs' Oaths; Writs De Coronatore et Viridario Eligendo, and Writs of Dower.

Documents belonging to the late River Tyne Commission.
Records of the abolished Privy Signet Office, from 1584 to December 1800.
And all Calendars, Inventories, Indexes, Lists, &c.

Mr. Holden, in addition to his usual duties of an Assistant Keeper, and also as Clerk of the Chapel, has made many extensive searches for the House of Lords and various Government departments, and for the Commissioners of Patents and Your Majesty's Printers; there have been eighty-two attendances in the Chapel, in compliance with Orders of Court, in cases of Foreclosure of Mortgage. He has also continued the Office Index to the Close Rolls of 1834; has indexed all Decrees brought into the Chapel during the year, formed the Enrolments thereof into Rolls, and added the marginal notes and numbers; has finished looking through the contents of the Close Rolls of 1840, selecting the titles of Specifications, and entered up the Specification Index (1840); and delivered up to the Secretary of the present Charity Commissioners the whole of the documents, books, and papers of the late Charities' Commissioners, pursuant to a Warrant of the Master of the Rolls, dated 11th June 1856 (§ 6); prepared Reports, &c. &c. Mr. Sharpe has assisted to attend on the public, making searches, &c., also on Literary Inquirers, and on the agents of the Commissioners of Patents and Your Majesty's Printers. He has assisted to examine copies, taken his usual share in the business, and has made a Calendar and Alphabetical Index to the Patent Rolls of the 1st Victoria, and has begun the 2nd year.

The following Tables show the Office business performed and the Fees received:—

CHANCERY.

1856.	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies and Quantity.	Authentications and Quantity.	Attendances.	Fees.		
			folios.	folios.		£	s.	d.
January - -	45	99	16=579	16=904	2	42	7	6
February - -	54	246	30=773	21=436	3	41	1	6*
March - -	32	61	14=598	6=336	- -	26	2	0
April - -	35	74	13=316	18=577	- -	25	16	6
May - -	44	104	41=845	4=110	- -	28	10	6
June - -	40	93	38=635	5=71	3	22	15	0
July - -	44	66	10=275	3=76	2	15	16	6
August - -	40	84	13=171	3=48	- -	9	12	6
September - -	36	54	16=263	3=40	- -	11	1	6
October - -	38	142	36=282	13=160	- -	17	5	0
November - -	47	357	7=216	22=835	1	35	13	6
December - -	49	145	24=915	2=104	- -	32	18	6
Total - -	504	1,525	258=5,868	116=3,697	11	309	0	6
* Less Fees incurred by the Agents employed in the Wensleydale Peerage Case, and returned by order of the Master of the Rolls - - - -						11	5	0
					£	297	15	6

WELSH RECORDS.

1856.	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies and Quantity.	Authentications and Quantity.	Attendances.	Fees.		
			folios.	folios.		£	s.	d.
January - -	5	7	5=52	5=52	- -	2	19	0
February - -	5	12	1=12	1=12	- -	1	7	0
March - -	4	9	1= 7	1= 7	- -	0	16	0
April - -	5	6	5=26	5=26	- -	1	12	0
May - -	6	91	2=11	2=11	- -	1	14	0
June - -	8	50	5=97	4=30	- -	3	18	6
July - -	1	2	2=15	2=15	- -	0	16	0
August - -	3	8	3=18	3=18	- -	1	6	0
September - -	4	3	1= 3	1= 3	- -	0	17	0
October - -	3	1	1= 5	- -	- -	0	13	6
November - } December - }	The business was transacted and Fees taken by Mr. Hardy, in the General Repository.					- -		
Total - -	44	189	26=246	24=174	- -	15	19	0

COMMON PLEAS RECORDS, VIZ., NOTES OF FINES BROUGHT FROM CHAPTER HOUSE:—

1856.	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies and Quantity.	Authentications and Quantity.	Attendances.	Fees.		
						£	s.	d.
August - -	12	12	10=60	2=14	- -	2	11	0
September - -	5	3	2=8	- -	- -	0	10	0
October - -	6	3	2=10	1=6	- -	0	15	0
November - } December - }	The business was transacted and the Fees taken by Mr. Hardy, in the General Repository.							
Total - -	23	18	14=78	3=20	- -	3	16	0

Business has also been done for Literary Inquirers, &c., for which no Fees have been received.

Very much labour has been employed in the business created by the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions, and Your Majesty's Printers (Sixteenth

Report, II. § 32; Seventeenth Report, II. § 28). The repeated daily visits of clerks, draftsmen, copyists, examiners and others employed by the Commissioners, have been equal to 5,024 applications; 7,614 Rolls have been taken down and replaced; 5,600 Specifications have been inspected once; 800 Specifications have been inspected four times on the average for distinct purposes, equal to 3,200 inspections; 800 Specifications have been copied in ink, consisting of 32,000 folios; 1,500 Plans have been unattached and copied; 1,500 lithographed copies of Plans have been examined with the original drawings, each Plan used three times on the average, equal to 4,500 inspections, and the originals afterwards re-attached to the Rolls. Printed proofs of 800 Specifications, consisting of 32,000 folios, have been examined and corrected by the examiners from Your Majesty's Printing Office. Workmen's time employed in reference to this service, 4,469 hours.

6. *Transmissions of Records.*—According to the ancient course of the Court of Chancery, the following Records have been brought into the Rolls Chapel during the year, viz.:—

From the House of Lords:—

The Parliament Rolls 18 & 19 Vict., consisting of 63 parts, together with a printed Table of their Contents.

From the Enrolment Office:—

The Close Rolls of 1841, consisting of 212 parts or Rolls.
12 bundles of Memorials of Grants of Life Annuities, 1841.
The Recognizance Rolls of 1840, consisting of 2 parts. The like of 1841, consisting of 2 parts.

From the Petty Bag Office:—

The Patent Rolls of 2 Vict., consisting of 34 parts.
The Signed Bills and Privy Seal Warrants of 2 Vict., consisting of 34 bundles.

From the Office of the Clerks of Records and Writs, and from Solicitors:—

The Enrolments of 90 Decrees, together with their Dockets. The Enrolments have been sewed together and form four Rolls; the Dockets have been tied up in bundles to correspond.

All the above-mentioned Records have been arranged and placed in their respective orders of succession amongst their series.

All the Documents, Books, and Papers of the late Charities' Commissioners, which had been brought into the custody of the Master of the Rolls by an order of the Secretary of State for the Home Department, dated August 5, 1841 (Third Report, I. § 8), and deposited in the Rolls Chapel, have been transferred by virtue of a Warrant of the Master of the Rolls, dated June 11, 1856, to the present Charity Commissioners (§ 5).

7. *Indexes, Repairs, &c.*—The works performed in relation thereto are as follows:—

Index to Close Rolls, 1828, fair copy in progress.
" " 1830, fair copy in progress.
" " 1834, office index from the Enrolments in progress.
" " 1836, draft index in progress.
" " 1839, alphabetical list in progress.
Index to Patent Rolls, 1 Vict., calendar and alphabetical index completed.
" " 2 Vict., calendar in progress.
Decree Index, 1856, entered up.
Specification Index, 1840, entered up.

The following is a summary of the operations by workmen:—

Cleaned,	1,154	Membranes of Records of various kinds.
Repaired,	1,672	
Sewed,	3,486	

Chapter House.

Common Law, Exchequer, and Miscellaneous Records.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Devon and Mr. Burtt).

8. *Business of the Division: Miscellanea, Proceedings of the Court of Wards and Liveries, Court of Requests, &c.*—The Repository is in course of clearance. The business of this Division, except as to that portion connected with the Literary Searches, will appear from the Tabular Summary (App. No. 2). Mr. Devon has employed himself in preparing matter for Indexes, and he has indexed above 11,000 documents of the Court of Requests for the reign of Elizabeth.

The documents which emanate from or belong to these Courts are (as Mr. Devon remarks) of genealogical and topographical importance. They include Wills and other Deeds, and are sometimes accompanied with plans and drawings.

At the commencement of the year a great portion of Mr. Burtt's time was occupied in settling the plans of the presses, and the various measurements and arrangements necessary for the location of the contents of the Office in the General Repository. These having been completed as far as practicable, workmen have been engaged upon the cleaning and packing of various classes of Records, and Mr. Burtt has been occupied in directing those operations, and examining and sorting the Records themselves. By these operations, 11 packages (containing about 200 cubic feet of bulk closely compressed) of proceedings of the Courts of Wards and Liveries, Requests, and Star Chamber, have been prepared for removal, besides other packages in progress; and the documents therein are in a condition, except sorting into reigns, to be transferred to the presses arranged for their reception. Reference may be made to the Twelfth Report (II. §§ 8, 9, 10) for a full account of similar operations upon the first portion of the proceedings of the Courts of Wards and Requests, in which is also given a description of the documents of different classes found amongst them.

In the course of the operations now reported upon, numerous documents have also been selected, of which the principal are as follows, though some few were known before, and have improperly, or by accident, become mingled with them. Mr. Devon quotes the following:—

Deeds: John to Charles I., about 230 of various descriptions, being chiefly ordinary Deeds of Feofment, Grant, &c. Among them may be remarked a Letter Patent of Richard Earl of Cornwall, granting to Fulk Basset, Bishop of London, the custody and marriage of the daughters of William le Bretun, A.D. 1257. Seal slightly clipped, impression perfect. This Deed is of importance, as bearing upon a question now pending between the Crown and the Duchy of Cornwall.

Notarial instrument upon the contract of a loan by the deputy of Prince Edward, with certain foreign merchants, 1 Oct. 1263.

Notarial instrument of the Letter Patent of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, appointing visitors of all the houses and possessions of the Order beyond the seas, 19 December 1313. The instrument recited is printed in the Fœd. II. pt. 1. p. 182. n.e.

Indenture between the deputies of the Kings of England and Scotland, touching the repair of the Castle of Wark, and other "points" relating to the marches, contained in an Indenture previously made at Abchester, 12 July 1383.

Assignment by Charles VI. of France, of a further annual sum of 150,000 francs for the support of the Queen's household, to be charged upon the ordinary revenues of the Crown, 1 April 1415.

Notarial instrument of the settlement of the differences between the King of Poland and the Archduke of Lithuania on the one part, and the Knights of the Teutonic Order of the other, entered into by the mediation of the Pope (Martin V.), the King of Hungary, and numerous continental Princes and Nobles, 14 May 1419.

Exemplification of Charter to the Abbey of Bakland, Devon, temp. Hen. VIII.

Dispensation by the Vicar Apostolic to Peter Ladron, student, to assume the office of priest, although he had not previously taken minor orders, 7 Paul III. A.D. 1541.

Grant by the King to Sir Arthur Bagenall and wife, of lands, &c. in Ireland, Chas. I.

&c. &c. &c.

9. *Removals, Notes of Fines, &c.*—156 bags, boxes, bundles, and portfolios of documents have been removed into the General Repository, and others will shortly follow them. The Notes of Fines have also been removed into the General Repository, as elsewhere mentioned (§ 14); previously to their removal the numbering (Seventeenth Report, II. § 20) was continued; upwards of 180,000 have been numbered. Some papers have also been removed to the State Paper Office.

Carlton Ride; and Stone Tower, Westminster Hall.

Records of the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas, and of the Common Law Side of the Court of Exchequer; Equity Records of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Revenue Side of the Court of Exchequer; Records of the Palace Court; &c. — (Assistant Keepers, the Rev. Joseph Hunter, Mr. Roberts, Mr. Nelson, and Mr. Bond.)

Mr. Hunter's Division.

10. *Business of the Division.*—The extent of the fee-paying business of this Division appears from the following statement:—

—	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Total.
1856.					£ s. d.
January	-	105	8	-	6 8 0
February	-	40	1	-	0 19 0
March	2	6	34	1	12 1 6
April	-	21	1	-	0 17 0
May	-	-	4	-	0 12 6
June	-	26	7	-	32 17 0
July	-	8	4	1	2 2 6
August	-	10	5	-	0 17 6
September	-	16	6	-	29 14 0
October	1	42	5	-	2 4 0
November	1	5	3	1	0 17 0
December	-	5	2	-	0 15 0
Total	4	284	80	3	90 5 0

11. *Calendars.*—The following Calendars have been brought to completion:—

A remaining portion of the Escheators' Accounts and Inquisitions for Somerset, Dorset, Devon, and Cornwall, Henry III. to Edward III.

The whole of those for the City of London, 1–51 Edward III.

The whole of those for the Ultra Trentam, Henry III. to Edward III.

These complete the Calendar of the Escheators' Documents preserved in this Division, when there is added the revised Calendar of those for Surrey and Sussex, Southampton and Wilts, and Worcestershire, 1 Richard II. to 2 Richard III.

Documents arising in the seizure of possessions of the Alien Priories, and Persons de potestate Regis Franciæ, 22 Edward I. to 22 Edward IV.

Accounts and subsidiary Documents of the Royal Households and Wardrobes, 14 John to 20 Edward II. and from 1 Richard II. to 56 George III.; of minor Households and Wardrobes, 48 Edward III. to A.D. 1658.

Accounts of the Clerk of the Hanaper, 1 Edward VI. to 33 Elizabeth.

Accounts of the possessions of Roger Bigod Earl of Norfolk. The whole in alphabetical arrangement.

Accounts in the Department of the Master of the Horse, 17 Edward I. to 20 Edward III.

12. *Repairs, &c.*—All the Inquisitions for the middle period, Richard II. to Richard III., have been ticketed and placed between millboards; those previous to Richard II. have been guarded and ticketed. Two volumes of Calendar have been bound. The Chartulary of Malmesbury and the Warwick Church Lands Book have had their bindings repaired.

Mr. Roberts' Division.

13. *Business of the Division.*—The business of this Division and the amount of fees received will appear from the following statement:—

SUMMARY OF FEES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 1856.

———	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Net Amount of Fees.	Total.
						£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Common Pleas, &c.	494	- -	- -	- -	- -	24 14 0	—
	- -	44	- -	- -	- -	2 4 0	—
	- -	- -	285	- -	- -	33 16 0	—
	- -	- -	- -	265	- -	32 4 0	—
							92 18 0
Exchequer	82	- -	- -	- -	- -	4 2 0	—
	- -	451	- -	- -	- -	22 11 0	—
	- -	- -	276	- -	- -	110 7 6	—
	- -	- -	- -	99	- -	34 17 0	—
	- -	- -	- -	- -	2	4 4 0	—
							176 1 6
Queen's Bench	35	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 15 0	—
	- -	57	- -	- -	- -	2 17 0	—
	- -	- -	29	- -	- -	10 12 0	—
	- -	- -	- -	14	- -	4 4 6	—
	- -	- -	- -	- -	4	8 8 0	—
							27 16 6
Total	611	552	590	378	6	- -	296 16 0

The business transacted for Literary Inquirers and for Government Departments is not included in the above.

The works upon which Mr. Roberts and the officers in his Division, particularly Mr. Bond, have been mainly occupied, in addition to the general superintendence and direction of the business and workmen, have been the operations needful for the transfer of the Documents into the General Repository; these labours have been very varied and very laborious, and may be summed up as follows:—Preparations for the removal of the Records from this office to the General Repository; arranging the various classes to the different presses, and making specifications for the shelves in accordance with such arrangement, and preparing press catalogues denoting the intended position of each package, which will greatly facilitate the removal, and insure the speedy production of the Records when removed. The lists of Records for the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas have been checked or re-made, fair copied, and bound up in five large volumes. This has occupied a large portion of time, but the lists will be found of great use. The number of packages (many of them very large) for these two Courts alone are estimated at 19,000, and they will entirely fill 17 of the Repository rooms. It is intended to have a ticket affixed to each package before it leaves this office, denoting the room, press, and shelf it is to occupy, and thus, if possible, prevent confusion or misplacing at the removal.

Inventories, Calendars, &c.

14. *Notes of Fines (Common Pleas).*—An Inventory of the Notes of Fines transferred from the Chapter House in August 1856 to the General Repository, as previously mentioned (§ 9), has been made for the reign of William and Mary (14,709 documents), in order to complete the Inventory of those Records which were so transferred, and which was deficient for that period. When removed from the Chapter House they were packed in paper parcels of such inconvenient shape and size that they could not be placed on the shelves of the new presses without a very great sacrifice of space. As many workmen as could be spared were therefore placed upon them; the documents are being

taken off the files, checked with the Inventory, tied up in sections of Counties, &c., and then made up in uniform packages between millboards. Each Term is kept separate, according to the old arrangement, and 211 Terms (1 to 53 George III.) have been completed. When necessary, they have been repaired and guarded. Some bundles of an early date, in a bad condition when transferred, and 14,468 Fines therein, have been cleaned and flattened at the Carlton Ride ready for repair.

15. *Feet of Fines* (*Modern Series*), (*Common Pleas*).—The collation and correction of the Indexes to these Records (Seventeenth Report, II. § 2), has been continued, and from Michaelmas Term 55 George III. to Michaelmas Term 2 George IV. has been completed; 17,915 documents.

16. *Depositions by Commission* (*Exchequer, Queen's Remembrancer*).—The Calendar and Index of these documents for the reign of James I. (Seventeenth Report, II. § 3) has been continued, and completed concurrently from Michaelmas Term 5 James I. to Easter Term 6 James I., both inclusive. Further progress has been hindered by the pressure of office business. The documents have been placed in portfolios as calendared, and 200 have been repaired.

17. *Miscellaneous Papers*, (*Augmentation Office*).—The contents of 44 portfolios have been examined, rough tickets affixed, and entries made of the nature of the documents, with a view to future classification and arrangement.

18. *Calendar of the Patent Rolls* (*Henry VIII.*), (*Chancery*).—The draft of this Calendar, noticed in previous Reports (Seventeenth Report, II. § 5, &c.), has been continued by Mr. Gairdner, and the following Rolls, viz., 32 Henry VIII., part 8, 33 Henry VIII., parts 2 to 9, and 34 Henry VIII., parts 1 to 6, have been finished. (Part 1 of 33rd year was calendared in 1855.)

Common Pleas.

19. *Repairs, Arrangements, Binding, &c., in the Carlton Ride.—Concords of Fines.*—The work upon this class of Records (Seventeenth Report, II. § 8,) has been continued, and from Hilary Term 13 Eliz. to Michaelmas Term 4 James II. have been cleaned, flattened, and temporarily packed between millboards, 432,695 documents, in 127 packages. These have not been connected in suits, nor arranged in counties, nor stamped. The documents of the same class from Easter Term 1, to Easter Term 3, William and Mary, are prepared for packing in a similar manner to the last, for the purpose of removal; and those from Easter 2, to Easter 4, George III., have been cleaned, stamped, connected in suits, sorted in counties, collated with the Writ of Entry Books, and permanently packed, 8,160 suits, containing 14,693 documents.

20. *Feet of Fines* (*Early Series, in Counties*).—The operations on these Records (Seventeenth Report, II. § 6) have been partially continued, and the documents for the counties of Rutland, Salop, Somerset, Southampton, and Stafford have been placed in vellum cases, but they have not been guarded or permanently fixed.

21. *Feet of Fines* (*Modern Series, in Terms*).—The works upon these Records (Seventeenth Report, II. § 7) have been continued from Hilary 12 and 13 Charles II. to Michaelmas Term 4 James II.; they have been flattened and made up in packages of uniform size between millboards and canvass; viz., 87 bundles (62,100 documents) in 66 packages. The same class for the Reigns of William III. and Mary, Anne, George II., and George III., have been packed in 172 uniform packages ready for removal; and the reigns of George I. and George IV. are in hand. The documents, however, have not been flattened, which work, and the final arrangements of them, must remain until after their removal to the General Repository.

22. *Recovery and Common Rolls.*—Some Miscellaneous Records of these classes have been sorted in reigns and terms, and made up in bundles, with list thereof, as an addition to the regular series. (Fourteenth Report, II. § 4; Seventeenth Report, II. § 9.)

23. *Book-binding, &c.*—The Bookbinder has rebound 78 volumes, and repaired 32 others. He has also been employed on the repair of Records previously mentioned. Of the Welsh Docket Rolls, 13 in a very bad state have been thoroughly repaired at Carlton Ride; and of the Chester Inquisitions, 1,341 documents have been flattened and mended, and the remainder will soon

be completed and removed to the General Repository. These are in addition to the binding operations after mentioned (§ 24).

24. *General Repository.—Work, Repairs, &c., &c.*—The work performed in the Bookbinders' Room at the General Repository has been very various. In addition to those previously mentioned (§ 23), the Indexes which came from the Chapter House with the Notes of Fines, have been repaired for the Search Office; and a variety of Books have also been repaired, bound, or lettered for the Rolls House, &c. But the greater portion of the work has been upon the Welsh Record Books, which being for the most part in a bad state, have required not merely binding, but extensive repair, sometimes leaf by leaf throughout the volume. The more important of these have been various Docket Books, about 26 volumes; Orders, Rules and Orders, and Orders and Confessions, about 43 volumes, and Indexes to Bills and Answers, 8 volumes.

25. *Welsh Records.*—The sortation, repairs, and arrangement of the Welsh Records have been continued throughout the year, subject to many interruptions consequent on the unfinished state of the building, which has rendered necessary frequent transfers from one room to another. About 200 books for the two South Wales Circuits have been sorted and ticketed, and a rough list made. The following is a concise account of the operations performed on certain classes in addition to what was done the preceding year (Seventeenth Report, II. §§ 12, 14, 15), and to the operations previously mentioned (§§ 23, 24).

26. *Fines, &c.*, for the counties of Chester, Denbigh, Montgomery, Radnor, Glamorgan, Cardigan, and Carmarthen, have been sorted into years, flattened, and arranged between millboards, 174 packages, ticketed, and rough list made. A great number of these documents were found among the Miscellaneous.

27. *Plea Rolls*, for all the Welsh counties, have been covered with brown paper for temporary protection, and ticketed and arranged in chronological order on the shelves. Rough list made (5,954 Rolls). A most serious and wilful injury has at a remote period been done to some of the Plea Rolls for the counties of Brecknock and Radnor, by cutting out the membranes to use as covers for the bundles of other Records. A great number of these cut out membranes have been collected in the sortation of the Fines, Writs, &c., and it is curious to observe that the membranes so cut from the Brecknock Rolls were used to cover the Radnor Fines, &c., and those cut from the Radnor Rolls to cover the Brecknock Fines.

28. *Gaol Files*, for the counties of Denbigh, Montgomery, Brecknock, Radnor, Glamorgan, Carmarthen, Pembroke, and Cardigan, have been sorted into years and packed in 224 bags, with temporary tickets on the Files and Bags. Rough list made.

29. *Papers* (bundles so intitled), for the counties of Denbigh, Montgomery, Anglesey, Carnarvon, Merioneth, Brecknock, Radnor, Glamorgan, Pembroke, and Cardigan, have been sorted into years, and packed in 261 bags, with temporary tickets on each File and Bag. Rough list made.

30. *Writs, &c.*, for the counties of Denbigh, Montgomery, Brecknock, Radnor, Glamorgan, Carmarthen, Pembroke, and Cardigan, have been sorted into years, and packed in 330 bags, with temporary tickets for each File and Bag. Rough list made.

31. *Docket Rolls*, for the counties of Flint, Denbigh, Montgomery, Brecknock, Radnor, Glamorgan, Carmarthen, and Pembroke, have been thoroughly repaired, covered, and ticketed. Although the series of these Rolls for each County is more or less incomplete, the loss is less than was supposed when Mr. Black made his Report on the Welsh Records, since some Rolls were found with other Records, and several have been made up from loose membranes which were used as covers for Fines and other Documents.

32. *Miscellaneous Records from Wrexham.*—These Records of the counties of Denbigh and Montgomery were received from Ruthin (to which place they had formerly been removed from Wrexham), and filled 17 of the largest size sacks. They have been sorted into classes, reigns, and years, and added to their respective Files, Bundles, &c.

33. *Chamberlain's Accounts* (*Chester Exchequer*) have been sorted, and some of them repaired, and temporary tickets have been attached (135 Rolls).

34. *Recognizance Rolls* (*Chester Exchequer*).—These Rolls (in number 344) have been sorted and examined, and a Rough List made. They are very important Records, for though they have generally gone by the name of Recognizance Rolls, they contain not only the Inrolments of Recognizances, but also of Charters, Patents, Deeds, Writs of "Diem clausit," &c., Inquisitions, Wills, Decrees, Awards, &c.

35. *Ministers' Accounts* for Chester and Macclesfield have been sorted, and Rough Lists made, and those for Flintshire are in hand.

36. *Remembrance Rolls* (203 for Carmarthen and 203 for Cardigan) have been sorted and examined, and a rough list made.

37. *Chancery Records.*—The large mass of Chancery Records for the counties of Carmarthen, Pembroke, and Cardigan brought from the office of Walter Lloyd, Esq., Carmarthen, filling 21 large sacks, have been taken therefrom and placed in pasteboard and other boxes. When time allows, a few entire documents may perhaps be picked out, but the mass is in a hopeless state of decay.

38. *Present Location of Records in charge of Mr. Roberts.*—The Records now in charge of Mr. Roberts, in the General Repository, are at present located as follows, viz.:—

Welsh Records in	A	12	permanently.
" "	A	7	temporarily.
" "	B	2	do.
" "	D	17	do.
" "	D	19	do.
Common Pleas:—			
Notes of Fines in	A	7	permanently, but not packed on the shelves.
" "	C	2	temporarily.

All the Records in his charge at Carlton Ride and the Stone Tower still remain in those places, but he will be able to commence removing them as soon as the trifling works asked for in aid thereof, at the General Repository, have been executed.

Rolls House.

Pell Records, and other Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer, formerly in the Custody of the Comptroller-General, &c.; Treasury Records; War Office Records; Slave Registration and Slave Compensation Records; Metropolitan Buildings' Records, &c.—(Assistant Keeper, Mr. Lascelles.)

39. *Business of the Division.*—The Documents heretofore reported as being in this Division have, for the most part, been removed into the General Repository, and the most prominent feature in the business of the Division has been the removal and final deposit, in the places duly assigned to them, of all the Records which constitute its total stock, including the assignment to their various classes and series of various new acquisitions from offices whose earlier documents the Master of the Rolls already held in custody. The Records formerly deposited in this branch had been, as Mr. Lascelles remarks, in a continuous state of transit for nearly two years, shifted about periodically from room to room to make way for the convenience of the workmen employed in placing and fixing the presses, and these changes of deposit were necessary, as the fixing of the necessary racks and fittings advanced and proceeded. But notwithstanding that wholesale demands have thus been made upon the time of the officers here, in a manner peculiar to this Division alone, because of its close proximity to the building works in progress, and incidental to no other branch of the Public Record Office, in a manner also which has left no trace behind of the vast amount of labour thus performed, still it is satisfactory to be able to state that useful and permanent works have progressed with sufficient rapidity to lead the officers to expect that at a period by no means far distant the masses of undigested matter which had been allowed to accumulate here, and not yet been brought into order, will be reduced to such intelligible arrangement as to enable the contents of the office to be mastered within a reasonable time, and its usefulness fully developed.

40. *Transfers.*—These fall under three heads. The first head includes all such Records as are transferred *de novo* into custody of the Master of the Rolls. The second such as have been removed from the charge of one Assistant Keeper to that of another. The third such as have not sustained any change

of custody whatever, but have merely been shifted from one part of the Public Record Office to another.

On the 22nd of January 1856, pursuant to the instructions given to Mr. Lascelles, in consequence of a letter addressed by the Treasury to the Master of the Rolls, dated the 3rd January, Mr. Lascelles attended Mr. Aston, at the Office of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, 11, Whitehall Place, and received from him various French Claims Papers in continuation of those already deposited here. This was the fifth transfer of similar documents. A few Danish Claims Papers were also included in the transfer. But as inconveniences might arise by allowing unlimited access to this collection of Records, they were placed, by a letter from the Treasury, dated January 26, 1856, under special regulations, and access to them can now be obtained only through their Lordships.

From the War Department several removals have from time to time taken place, which in the aggregate make up no inconsiderable bulk. They consisted, on the one hand, of such Papers as having been lent out for current use on requisition, had by oversight accumulated to some bulk at the War Department; and, on the other hand, of portions or fragments of various series, which, from having been detached, had been overlooked in the general transfer of War Office Papers hither in February 1855. On the 29th of February 1856 D (or Deserter) Papers from No. 1 to No. 3,000 inclusive. On the 20th March, nine Bundles of Regimental Accounts and Vouchers, four Vols. of Regimental Pay Lists, and 61 Bundles of Discharges. On the 5th of April, D (or Deserter) Papers from No. 218,501 to 226,000 inclusive, O. S. Papers from No. 1 to No. 16,800 inclusive, and Papers relating to Pocket Ledgers from No. 9,700 to No. 9,799 inclusive. On the 9th of December, 49 Bundles of Attestations of Recruits of Foreign Corps.

From 6, Adelphi Terrace, the whole of the Records and Papers of the expired office of Registrar of Metropolitan Buildings were removed on the 11th and 29th days of March; these amounted to upwards of four tons. These transfers were effected under the authority of a Treasury Minute, dated 14th December 1855, and the Warrant of the Master of the Rolls, dated 17th January 1856.

On the 17th of June 1856, in pursuance of a Letter from Sir Charles Trevelyan to the Deputy Keeper, dated 12th June, (and by the verbal direction of the Deputy Keeper,) all the Treasury Registered Papers from 1782 to 1815 inclusive, were removed from the Treasury Chambers, Whitehall, also various other miscellaneous classes of Documents. This transfer occupied the whole of Mr. Lascelles' time from the 16th to the 21st June inclusive, as well as a portion of the 24th and 26th, occupied in marking off Long Papers. The total weight then transferred amounted to about four tons, and comprised 2,572 books, boxes, bundles, &c. Again (in pursuance of another letter from Sir Charles Trevelyan to the Deputy Keeper, dated 29th September) Mr. Lascelles removed to this Department between the 1st and 23rd October, the whole of the Treasury Registered Papers from 1816 to 1829 inclusive, together with other miscellaneous Documents, in all amounting to about five tons. These operations were not confined to the documents removed, but extended over and included a re-adjustment of the whole of the Registered Papers (retained at the Treasury) up to the present period, a re-adjustment rendered necessary by the transfer of the earlier of those papers to this office, the shifting of others into the room so left vacant, and the creation of space for daily accruing documents there. In further continuation of this removal, Mr. Lascelles has been under the necessity of attending at the Treasury frequently at other times. The transfer last mentioned was sanctioned by a Treasury letter addressed to the Master of the Rolls, dated 4th October 1856, and comprised 3,670 volumes, boxes, and parcels.

On the 17th and 21st June Mr. Lascelles removed from certain rooms at the Treasury Chambers, on the basement adjoining the Cockpit, five boxes and one bundle of Treasury Solicitor's Papers, containing some very modern Chancery proceedings, but principally belonging to the middle of the last century. This removal was sanctioned by the said Treasury letter to the Master of the Rolls, dated 4th October 1856, and the consent of Mr. Reynolds, the Treasury Solicitor.

On the 11th of October Mr. Lascelles removed all the Books, unbound Papers, &c., relating to the Irish Reproductive Loan Fund, from a room on the basement of the Treasury. These documents weighed about 3 cwt., and were

also removed under sanction of the Treasury letter to the Master of the Rolls, dated 4th October, 1856, consisting of 167 books, boxes, and parcels.

On the 15th August nine chests of Irish Commissariat Papers, consigned by Mr. W. H. Hardinge from Dublin, on 12th August 1856, to the Deputy Keeper, arrived, and were duly taken in charge by Mr. Lascelles. They weighed about 1½ tons, and were directed to be taken charge of by the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury, 23rd June 1856.

Various other transfers, removals, and exchanges between the divisions of Mr. Lascelles and other Assistant Keepers have take taken place, which, though requiring much labour and attention, are not of a nature to be here particularized. Some are only for transient deposit.

On the arrival of the War Office Papers at the Public Record Office, they were warehoused in blocks in almost every room on the ground floor of the General Repository, and were a constant obstruction to the progress of the works, from the great area which they covered, and they were difficult of access when wanted for reference, because packed in solid masses. Under the peculiar circumstances that attended their removal, therefore, no other temporary accommodation could be found for them than by erecting their old presses, brought from the depôt in Whitehall yard, along the sides of the corridors of the General Repository. Here they were allowed to remain until the contractor became pressing to erect the iron racks on the site occupied by them; the corridors having long since been assigned for other Records. And after many and laborious examinations made by Messrs. Hardy, Roberts, Holden, and Lascelles, it was found that certain houses, viz. Nos. 16 and 17, Chancery Lane, since No. 8, Rolls Yard, could be employed for such purposes. Steps were immediately taken to shore up and strengthen those buildings for their intended uses, and stout upright timbers were carried from the cellars completely to the top of each house, and each floor was supported on them by beams passing underneath the rafters. Thus, when the buildings were filled, the principal weight might be said to rest upon the ground, and not upon the party or external walls. In consequence of the unavoidable delay caused by such reparations, the planning out of the wooden racks in those premises could not be proceeded with before the 6th May, and the removal was not commenced until the 5th June. It being impossible to employ vans in the work, and the distance to be traversed on foot being great, clearing the three corridors alone occupied six men till the 12th August. It was again resumed on the 11th September, for the purpose of clearing rooms D 10 and D 11 on the basement of the General Repository, and was finally completed on the 18th October. This removal was carried on with assistance of some labourers from the Board of Works.

In the autumn of 1854 all masses of Records of the Receipt of the Exchequer (Pells and Auditor's) and of the Treasury were temporarily accommodated in the General Repository, where, for want of other accommodation, they were placed on roughly erected wooden racks until the permanent fittings could be got ready for their reception. In this state they lay in rooms A 6, 7, 8, and 9, until the 3rd April 1856, when rooms A 10 and 11 having been completed, Mr. Lascelles commenced the final location of the Issue and Receipt Rolls (from the Rolls House), upon the slate shelves there, and so continued on with the remainder of the Treasury and Exchequer Records just mentioned; and in spite of various difficulties, the work of shifting was steadily carried on and completed by the 23rd May. The most important classes thus located are noticed in the following lists:—

EXCHEQUER.

Abbreviates of Issues.
„ of Receipts.
Advances, Books of.
Account Books.
Auditor's Patent and Privy Seal Books.
Assignment Books.
Assessment Rolls.
Barons' Letter to Boniface VIII.
Bulls and Briefs (Papal).
Black Book.

EXCHEQUER—*cont.*

Certificate Books of Receipts and Payments.
Charles, Household and Wardrobe Accounts of Prince.
Cash Books.
Certificate Books.
Chapter House Books and Papers.
Daily Receipt Books.
Debenture Books.
Declarations of Under Treasurer.
,, of Clerk of Pells, of Receipts and Issues.
Declaration Books (Pells and Auditor's).
Exchequer Bills, various Books relating to.
Fee Books.
Gentlemen-Pensioners' Rolls.
Great and Privy Seal, Writs of.
Household Rolls.
Issue or Exitus Rolls.
Issue or Exitus Books.
Imprest Books and Roll.
Innovate Rolls.
Introitus Books (*see* Receipts and Issues).
Jornalia Rolls.
Jews' Rolls.
Liberate Rolls.
Order Books.
Pells Patent and Privy Seal Books.
Patent Rolls (Auditor's).
Posting Books.
Privy Seals, Writs of.
Receipt Rolls.
Receipt Books.
Tellers' Bills.
Tellers' Accounts, Rolls of.
Tower Bills.
Warrant Books (Pells)
Warrants for Issues of Money.
Miscellaneous (titles not given.)

TREASURY.

King's Account Books.
Auditors' States of Accounts.
American Books.
Balancing Books.
Bill Books.
Civil List Books (various classes).
Chamberlain, Warrant Books of the Lord.
Caveat Books.
Council Books.
Crown Lease Books.
Customs' Quarterly Establishments.
Customs' Books.
Disposition Books.
Declared Accounts.
Department Books.
Docquet Books.
Exchequer Fee Books.
Treasury Fee Books.
Forfeited Estates in Scotland, Rentals of.
Personal Informations.
Irish Books.
Law Opinions.
Letter Books.
Military Establishment Books.

TREASURY—*cont.*

Minute Books.
Minutes (draft)
Money Books.
North Britain Books.
Order Books.
Papers, Registered and Unregistered (a portion only).
Patent Books.
Reference Books.
Revenue, yearly, &c., Accounts of.
Registers of Seizures.
Registers of Papers.
Solicitor's Papers.
Supply Books.
Tax Books.
Treasurers of Exchequer, &c., Commissions nominating.
Warrant Books (King's).
Warrant Books not relating to Money.
Wood Books.

The following Miscellaneous Documents are kept distinct from the Treasury and Exchequer Records:—

American Claims.
Commissariat Books and Papers (English).
Commissariat Service in Ireland, and Famine Relief Papers.
Danish Claims.
French Claims.
Slave Compensation.
Slave Registration.
Spanish Claims.
Municipal and Parliamentary Boundaries Commission, Papers of.
Potato Crop Returns.

The foregoing account of the transfers conveys only an imperfect idea of the amount of additional labour which had thus to be performed over and above the usual work. Their bulk may best be estimated, not by estimating the number of Rolls, Volumes, and Bundles, but by giving the probable weight, which Mr. Lascelles thinks can be very little under 300 tons.

41. *Arrangements, &c.*—Notwithstanding that such heavy demands have been made upon the time of the Officers and workmen by the removals above detailed, the indispensable operations of dusting, flattening, arranging, stamping, and ticketing have been by no means neglected. These proceedings have tended to show that portions of useful papers have been irrevocably lost, arising from neglect previous to coming into the custody of the Master of the Rolls. Thus a mass amounting to three boxes of Treasury Solicitor's Papers were reduced to a state of powder, and very many Bundles of the same series, and also of the series of Cape Coast Castle documents, are so injured and defaced by wet as to make it doubtful whether their preservation will be expedient or likely to be attended with any useful result. All that has been done as yet is, while taking precautions to protect them sufficiently from dust, so to adjust them as to allow the air to circulate through and purify them of the tainted effluvia.

Ticketing the racks, a wholesale operation, has been rendered necessary by the general transfer of the Records to new shelves. Every division of the racks has been numbered consecutively by means of a pendant ticket; this was a laborious operation, and required nearly four thousand tickets.

Cape Coast Castle Account Books, Accounts and Vouchers, and Correspondence.—The remainder (Seventeenth Report, II. § 33,) has been opened, dusted, purified, and tied up in parcels in brown paper, and classified as far as needed; including printed and other documents valuable for those who are interested in the History of the Slave Trade.

French Refugee Clergy Relief Papers.—These Papers, which form part of the Collection alluded to in former Reports (Fifteenth Report, II., § 32; Sixteenth Report, II., § 36; Seventeenth Report, II., § 33;) as having been damaged at

the Treasury by sewer water, have been taken out of their boxes and partially opened and cleansed and tied up in paper. They still need revision. Many of them are in a very bad state of preservation.

French, Danish, and Spanish Claims.—Several more of these (French Claims) having been discovered among the Treasury Solicitor's Papers (during the arrangement of the latter), have been sorted and arranged by Mr. Lascelles, and fixed into their proper series; he has likewise arranged and incorporated those finally transferred from Whitehall Place in January 1856, and also eight boxes, which had been kept apart some years ago by Mr. Black, and loosely labelled "Correspondence, Vouchers, &c.;" they contained many documents which had strayed from other Depositories.

Treasury Registered and Unregistered Papers.—The arrangement of these somewhat on the principle of a catalogue raisonné, offers many difficulties and is suspended. Mr. Lascelles has been contented at present with causing these documents to be tied in brown paper, and thus secured by further deterioration from dirt, and from that tendency to become rotten, which all paper shows when too much exposed to the pernicious effects of dust. The bundles have been labelled and numbered, and a brief list of the endorsements made. The Treasury Registered Papers removed to this Department in June and October 1856, have been for the most part arranged numerically, labelled, and placed in order upon the racks, from 1790 to 1829, inclusive.

Irish Reproductive Loan Fund.—These have been put in order upon the shelves and ticketed. They consisted of 167 books, parcels, and boxes, on removal.

Records of the Registrar of Metropolitan Buildings.—These books have been classified, ticketed inside and out, and numbered; they are in excellent preservation.

War Office Papers.—At the period of the transfer of these papers into the custody of the Master of the Rolls, the removal was required to be effected so rapidly that no time was allowed for carrying out any system of ticketing to distinguish permanently one series of them from another, or the whole mass from other books and papers of a similar appearance already in this department, and much risk was incurred of their becoming jumbled together in themselves or blended with other papers wholly different. This occasioned much trouble and very considerable anxiety to Mr. Lascelles. They have been ticketed to a sufficient extent to prevent further confusion.

Treasury Solicitor's Papers.—The primary sortation having been completed, and the bundles temporarily labelled and numbered, their careful revision has commenced, and proceeded as far as one-third of the whole bulk.

Commissariat Books sent from Ireland in 1856 have as yet merely been laid on the shelves in the Long Gallery of the Rolls House.

Destruction of Waste Paper.—Early in the year 1855 Mr. Lascelles called attention to the great accumulations of useless documents which existed in various classes of the War Office papers, accumulations very likely to be overlooked by the War Office itself, because no longer within its sight, and no longer filling up valuable space in its own depôt. It was desirable that no destruction of such waste should be carried on otherwise than by the War Office itself, under the eye of the Record Office. Accordingly in June 1855 the Deputy Keeper addressed letters to that effect to Sir Benjamin Hawes, and to the Under Secretary at War, who, by his replies, dated the 19th and 30th June following, and at other times, sanctioned the destruction of papers, to be weeded out of the Regimental Accounts and Vouchers, and as selected by officers nominated by the War Office, Mr. Lascelles acting with them. The whole of this troublesome undertaking was brought to a conclusion on the 18th November 1856, and occupied four months. In addition to Mr. Lascelles and a War Office clerk, one Record Officer of the third class, and three workmen, were constantly employed upon this work, and the bulk got rid of exceeded 12 tons.

42. *Calendars and Inventories.*—Notwithstanding the fresh influx of documents already described, and notwithstanding also that so much time has been consumed in shifting documents already in the office from place to place, yet some advance has been made in the important work of compiling Inventories, so long suspended in this Division. The crude and undigested state in which Papers have generally been received has engrossed the whole attention of the officers in reducing them to a consultable condition.

The Inventory of the Treasury Solicitor's Papers has proceeded with little

interruption. They are frequently very important, but cannot be consulted by the public otherwise than by the permission of the Treasury Solicitor.

Treasury and Unregistered and Registered Papers.—On the 25th April Mr. Lascelles commenced, with Mr. Knight, a brief catalogue of the Treasury Registered Papers as arranged by Mr. Knight.

Cape Coast Castle Papers.—A brief summary of the contents of the bundles of these documents is carried on during the revision of them now in progress.

43. *Public and Government Business, &c.*—Mr. Lascelles has made all surveys, and conducted all removals, drawn out lists, written many reports, and carried on the correspondence of the Division, superintended arrangements of Records and ticketing, drawn out forms for many thousand labels, examined waste paper, diaries, abstracts of workmen's returns, and pay papers, and administered Government, literary, and public searches. The public has availed itself in this Division of the almost gratuitous access to the Records to a greater extent than last year, and the fees show an increase; but their amount is no guide to the actual amount of trouble given, for one parcel or book is often used a whole week for a shilling, and a composition of *5s.* entitles a searcher to an indefinite number of inspections. Below is a summary :—

Date.	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendance.	——
						£ s. d.
1856	8	172	17	12	1	10 3 0

The Government and War Office searches have been more numerous than usual. The searches and issues, &c., of documents for the latter department amount to 1,677.

The demands on the time of Mr. Lascelles have been more than ordinarily great, and his tasks have been more than ordinarily difficult. In the location of Exchequer and Treasury Records upon the iron racks in the General Repository, obstacles were encountered not readily to be explained, as may be seen by the brief list or summary of the removal already given, the Records (unlike those in the other Divisions, which are made up of long, unbroken series) are split into many short sets, few of which correspond together in size; the fractional portions of each set, moreover, varying in dimensions during the gradual lapse of years and the perpetual change of customs. So great are the difficulties consequent upon these circumstances, that when Mr. Pennethorne made his measurements of the Public Records in June 1854, for the purpose of planning out the iron racks for their reception, he was of opinion that the Records of the Treasury and Exchequer of Receipt at the Rolls House, could not be reduced to any detailed measurement, because of their ever varying dimensions.

The arrangement of the Records, comprising books, bundles, rolls, and papers, of every description and size, upon the presses, has been very troublesome, and the calculations, the shiftings, and other operations called for under these circumstances, have involved much toil, unsuspected because out of view, and not manifest on the surface, no outward trace being left. As completed, the work seems very simple, matter of course, and straightforward, but it occurs to no one to estimate the amount of drudgery and calculation necessary for its achievement.

State Paper Branch Record Office.—(Assistant Keepers, Mr. Lechmere, Mr. Lemon, and Mr. H. C. Hamilton.)

Mr. Lechmere's Division.

44. *General Business; Operations upon Papers, &c.*—Mr. Lechmere and the gentlemen in his Division have been employed (in addition to the routine of office duty) in continuing the work of distributing into classes and dating the Miscellaneous Domestic, Foreign, and Colonial Papers of the reigns of George III. and IV., received from the Home Office in an unarranged state; also in arranging papers in the following classes :—Admiralty, Aliens, America and West Indies, Commander-in-Chief, East Indies, Foreign, Ireland, Militia, Scotland, Secretaries of State, Treasury, Volunteer Corps, War Office. Various Chapter House Papers of the reign of Henry VIII. have been arranged in the following classes :—Domestic, Flanders, France and Calais, Germany, Rome and minor Italian States, Ireland, Scotland, and the Borders, Spain, and Swit-

zerland ; indorsed, &c. The arrangement of the Treaty Papers, commenced in the preceding year, has been continued, some Trade Papers dated and incorporated, and many other Papers transferred from one class to another. 861 entries have been made in the Calendar of Domestic Papers, 1662 and 1663.

The amount of business transacted has been as follows:—

1856.	Searches.	Inspections.	Copies and Quantity.	Authentications and Quantity.	Fees.
			folios.	folios.	£ s. d.
February- - -	- -	- -	31=264	- - -	6 12 0
May - - -	- -	- -	15=65	- - -	1 12 6
June - - -	- -	- -	53=241	- - -	6 0 6
November - -	- -	- -	2=8	- - -	0 4 0
December - -	2	20	114=530	1=6	14 10 0
Total - -	2	20	215=1,108	1=6	28 19 0

NOTE.—Fifty folios copied for Mr. Ross on the 7th and 8th December 1855 were paid for in May 1856, and are included in the above account.

45. *Receipts of Records.*—Sept. 18, 1856. From Foreign Office, 12 Ratifications of Treaties with Foreign Powers, transmitted by Your Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

46. *Cleaning, Binding, Repairing, &c.*—Bound 61 volumes of Domestic Correspondence, Edward VI. and Charles II. ; 2 volumes of Jamaica Papers ; 2 volumes of Calendars, Domestic, Charles II. Cleaned, mended, stamped, and folded for cases, 683 Deeds and Leases, James I. and Charles I. Mended and inserted numerous papers in bound volumes of Correspondence. A large proportion of the papers in the 61 volumes of Correspondence bound in the year 1856, were in a dilapidated state, and required careful repairing. 57 volumes of Correspondence separated for distribution into their respective Classes. The papers in 218 volumes have been stamped. About 10,000 volumes of State Papers have been removed from the presses and carefully dusted, cleaned, and replaced. Numbers and Labels have been put on a large number of Volumes and Bundles.

Mr. Lemon's Division.

47. *Calendars, &c.*—The proceedings of Mr. Lemon have been so exclusively confined to the production of the printed volume of Calendar of State Papers, 1547–1580, as to present very few objects in detail unconnected with that transaction. In conformity with the wish of the Master of the Rolls that the publication of that volume should take place as speedily as possible, Mr. Lemon reports that he laboured to carry that into effect by every exertion in his power. The volume was finally published on the 9th of January in the present year, and there can be no doubt it will prove, in its direct consequences, a very important help to the study of English history; and the resort of Literary Searchers has been nearly doubled. With respect to the second volume, Mr. Lemon is now employed upon the final correction of the copy, which will extend from 1581 to the end of Elizabeth; but he cannot at this present time specify when he can go to press.

In the early part of the year Mr. Hans Claude Hamilton rendered considerable assistance to Mr. Lemon, in helping him to pass through the Press the concluding sheets of the Calendar of State Papers. But the staple work on which Mr. Hamilton is engaged is that of preparing for the Press the Calendar of State Papers relating to Ireland, commencing with the reign of Henry VIII., and including the valuable papers received from the Chapter House; that gentleman has completed the Irish Calendar down to the year 1540, a work second to none in interest and utility.

Mr. M. J. Thorpe is employed upon the papers relating to Scotland and the Borders, and to Mary Queen of Scots. The Scottish Papers consist of the Correspondence between the Courts of England and Scotland, their respective ministers, ambassadors, leaders of armies, and other officers, from the commencement of the reign of King Henry VIII. to the end of the reign of Queen Elizabeth, when King James succeeded to the throne of England, and the two realms were united. The Mary Queen of Scots' Papers, relate entirely to the history of the Queen after her flight from Scotland and during her detention in

England; they commence with a letter written to Queen Elizabeth by Queen Mary in May 1568, immediately upon her arrival on the English coast, and end with the narratives of the execution at Fotheringay and funeral at Peterborough. The Border Papers extend over precisely the same period as the Scottish series, and consist of Correspondence between the Government and the various officers on the English and Scottish Borders. The earlier portions of the Scotch Papers and those relating to Mary Queen of Scots are in the hands of the printers, and Mr. Thorpe expects that the whole will be published in the course of the current year, and the Calendar of the Border Papers during the year following.

Mr. Bruce has been busily and laboriously employed upon the arrangement and calendaring of the Domestic Papers of the reign of Charles I.; of vol. 1, 128 pages are in type, and he expects to complete the publication of that volume by the end of the year.

Mrs. Green has completed the text of the Calendar of Domestic Papers of the reign of James I., which will be ready during the present season; and the second volume (as she expects) will be ready for publication within about one year from the present time.

The Rev. J. S. Brewer is working upon the Calendar of the Documents of the reign of Henry VIII., materials for future history of the greatest importance and amount.

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48. *General Proceedings.*—The Master of the Rolls is engaged in the execution of a plan respecting the publication of Materials for the History of Great Britain previously to the reign of Henry VIII. Copies of the correspondence between him and the Lords of Your Majesty's Treasury relating to the same, having been presented to the House of Commons by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, the same were ordered to be printed by the House 9th March 1857; and having been presented to the House of Lords by Lord Monteagle of Brandon, the same was ordered to be printed 21st March 1857. In the Public Record Office generally, the prospect for the future is one of much labour. The arrangement of the documents in the new General Repository will still leave much to be done. The Admiralty and other documents now in the houses in Chancery Lane will require a proper receptacle. Moreover, transmissions to a considerable amount are in contemplation from various Departments of Your Majesty's Administrative Offices. But it will be highly expedient for the general convenience of Your Majesty's Administrative Departments, no less than for the purposes of economising time, labour, and money, that some regular plan or scheme should be framed, equally for diminishing the multiplicity of official documents, and providing for their periodical destruction when no longer needed for preservation.

With respect to the transmissions already effected, a large selection of papers and documents considered as useless, whether for the purposes of business or intrinsic value, have been selected for pulping by some officer deputed by the Departments from which the documents emanated, and the Assistant Keepers having them in charge.

The transmission of public documents has been so extensive, that (without taking into consideration the State Papers of such a period as may from time to time be deemed historical) a second block of buildings is urgently required; and, upon the application of the Master of the Rolls, Your Majesty's Board of Works did, in the month of July 1856, direct Mr. Pennethorne to prepare plans or estimates and drawings for the same, which have received the approbation of the Master of the Rolls; but the Master of the Rolls is not yet advised of the determination of the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury thereon.

All which is humbly submitted to Your Majesty.

(Signed) FRANCIS PALGRAVE,
2nd March 1857. *The Deputy Keeper of the Public Records.*

I most humbly certify to Your Majesty that this Report is made by the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, under my direction, pursuant to the Statute.

(Signed) JOHN ROMILLY, M.R.

APPENDIX

TO

THE EIGHTEENTH REPORT

OF

THE DEPUTY KEEPER OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

No. 1.—List of Records removed from the Tower of London to the General Record Repository and Houses in Chancery Lane, pursuant to the Warrant of the Master of the Rolls, dated 10th June 1856; showing their present Places of Deposit, and those still remaining in the White Tower.

From the Wakefield Tower into the General Repository.

		No.
Charter Rolls	John	17
,,	Hen. 3.	49
,,	Edw. 1.	34
,,	Edw. 2.	21
,,	Edw. 3.	41
,,	Rich. 2.	12
,,	Hen. 4.	12
,,	Hen. 5.	7
,,	Hen. 6.	4
,,	Edw. 4.	7
	Total	204
Patent Rolls	John	15
,,	Hen. 3.	75
,,	Edw. 1.	37
,,	Edw. 2.	38
,,	Edw. 3.	132
,,	Rich. 2.	57
,,	Hen. 4.	35
,,	Hen. 5.	18
,,	Hen. 6.	84
,,	Edw. 4.	59
	Total	550
Close Rolls	John	15
,,	Hen. 3.	78
,,	Edw. 1.	35
,,	Edw. 2.	22
,,	Edw. 3.	72
,,	Rich. 2.	28
,,	Hen. 4.	18
,,	Hen. 5.	10
,,	Hen. 6.	40
,,	Edw. 4.	22
	Total	340
Oblata Rolls	John	4
Misæ Rl l	John	1
Præstita Roll	John	1
Fine Rolls	John	6
,,	Hen. 3.	62
,,	Edw. 1.	36
,,	Edw. 2.	21
,,	Edw. 3.	52
,,	Rich. 2.	25
,,	Hen. 4.	15
,,	Hen. 5.	11
,,	Hen. 6.	40
,,	Edw. 4.	22
	Total	290

		No.
Liberate Rolls	John	3
,,	Hen. 3.	45
,,	Edw. 1.	35
,,	Edw. 2.	20
,,	Edw. 3.	41
,,	Rich. 2.	1
,,	Hen. 4.	1
,,	Hen. 5.	1
,,	Hen. 6.	1
	Total	148
Redisseisin Rolls	Edw. 1.	4
,,	Edw. 2.	2
,,	Edw. 3.	16
,,	Rich. 2.	1
,,	Hen. 4.	1
,,	Hen. 5.	1
,,	Hen. 6.	1
	Total	26
Parliament Rolls	Edw. 2.	4
,,	Edw. 3.	30
,,	Rich. 2.	31
,,	Hen. 4.	11
,,	Hen. 5.	11
,,	Hen. 6.	23
,,	Edw. 4.	10
	Total	120
Coronation Rolls	Edw. 2.	1
,,	Hen. 4.	1
,,	Hen. 5.	1
	Total	3
Exchange Rolls	Rich. 2.	1
,,	Hen. 4.	1
,,	Hen. 6.	2
	Total	4
Staple Rolls	Edw. 3.	1
,,	Rich. 2.	1
,,	Hen. 6.	1
	Total	3

List of Records removed from the Tower of London, &c.—*continued.*

		No.
Pardon Rolls	Edw. 1.	2
"	Edw. 3.	1
"	Rich. 2.	3
"	Hen. 4.	4
"	Hen. 5.	2
"	Hen. 6.	7
"	Edw. 4.	6
Total		25

Extract Rolls	Hen. 3.	1
"	Edw. 2.	2
"	Edw. 3.	25
"	Rich. 2.	1
Total		29

Protection Rolls	Edw. 1.	4
Welsh Rolls	Edw. 1.	8
Scotch Rolls	Edw. 1.	5
"	Edw. 2.	8
"	Edw. 3.	40
"	Rich. 2.	18
"	Hen. 4.	4
"	Hen. 5.	3
"	Hen. 6.	19
"	Edw. 4.	3
Total		100

Irish Rolls	Edw. 3.	3
Norman Liberate Roll	John	1
" Oblata Roll	John	1
" Charter Roll	John	1
" Contrabrevia Roll	John	2
" Close Roll	John	1
" Roll (de valore terrar.)	John	1
" Liberate Roll	Hen. 3.	1
" Pat. and Chart. Roll	Edw. 3.	1
" Rolls	Hen. 5.	11
Vascon Patent and Charter Roll.	Hen. 3.	1
Vascon Fine, Liberate, and Contrabrevia Roll.	Hen. 3.	1
Vascon Rolls	Hen. 3.	1
"	Edw. 1.	17
Total		18

		No.
Vascon Roll of Protections	Edw. 1.	1
Vascon Rolls	Edw. 1.	2
"	Edw. 2.	15
"	Edw. 3.	52
"	Rich. 2.	16
"	Hen. 4.	7
"	Hen. 5.	5
"	Hen. 6.	25
"	Edw. 4.	1
Total		123

French Rolls	Hen. 3.	1
"	Edw. 2.	1
French and Roman Rolls	Edw. 2.	2
French Rolls	Edw. 3.	45
"	Rich. 2.	23
"	Hen. 4.	12
"	Hen. 5.	10
"	Hen. 6.	39
"	Edw. 4.	22
Total		151

Roman Roll	Edw. 1.	1
Roman Roll and French Roll.	Edw. 2.	1
Roman and French Roll	Edw. 2.	1
Roman and French Roll	Edw. 2.	1
Roman and French Roll	Edw. 2.	1
Roman Rolls	Edw. 2.	1
"	Edw. 3.	19
Total		20

Almain Roll	Edw. 1.	1
" "	" 2.	1
" "	" 3.	6
Total		8

Subsidy Rolls	Edw. 3.	14
" "	Rich. 2.	1
" "	Hen. 4.	1
" "	" 6.	1
" "	" 8.	1
" "	Eliz.	1
" "	Tem. incert.	2
Total		21

Portfolios of Inquisitiones post mortem, from Hen. 3.
Portfolios of Inquisitiones ad quod damnum.
Portfolios of Royal Letters and State Papers.
Portfolios of Letters Missive.
Portfolios of County Placita.
Portfolios of Parliamentary Writs and Returns.
Packages of Privy Seal Bills.
Packages of Parliamentary Writs and Returns.

The above are temporarily placed in Room 16, on Floor B, in the following order :—

FLOOR B.

No. 16.—Upper Division.

Press I.

Shelf 1	Inquisitions	1 Hen. 3. to 10 Edw. 1. Do. 6 Edw. 3. to 12 Rich. 2.
" 2	"	11 Edw. 1. to 28 Edw. 1. Do. 13 Rich. 2. to 22 Rich. 2. Do. 28 Edw. 1. to 19 Edw. 3.
" 3	"	28 Edw. 1. to 3 Edw. 2. Do. 1 Edw. 3. to 39 Edw. 3.
" 4	"	40 Edw. 1. to 10 Hen. 4.
" 5	"	1 Hen 4. to 2 Hen. 5.
" 6	"	5 Hen. 5. to 12 Hen. 6.
" 7	"	13 Hen. 6. to 39 Hen. 6.
" 8	"	1 Edw. 4. to Chas. 1.

List of Records removed from the Tower of London, &c.—*continued.*

PRESS III.

Shelf 1.	Privy Seals	1 Edw. 1. to 6 Edw. 3.
„ 2.	„ „	6 Edw. 3. to 25 Edw. 3.
„ 3.	„ „	26 Edw. 3. to 10 Rich. 2.
„ 4.	„ „	11 Rich. 2. to 10 Hen. 4.
„ 5.	„ „	1 Hen. 5. to 8 Edw. 4.
„ 6.	„ „	9 Edw. 4. to 14 Chas. 2.
„ 10.	Cartæ Antiquæ	A to W. W.

PRESS IV.

Shelf 1.	Charter Rolls	1 John to 10 Edw. 2.
„ 2.	„	11 Edw. 2. to 20 Hen. 6.
„ 3.	„	21 Hen. 6. to 22 Edw. 4.—Patent Rolls, 3 John to 4 Edw. 1.
„ 4.	Patent Rolls	5 Edw. 1. to 17 Edw. 2.
„ 5.	„	18 Edw. 2. to 20 Edw. 3.
„ 6.	„	21 Edw. 3. to 42 Edw. 3.
„ 7.	„	43 Edw. 3. to 14 Rich. 2.
„ 8.	„	15 Rich. 2. to 14 Hen. 4.
„ 9.	„	1 Hen. 5. to 18 Hen. 6.
„ 10.	„	19 Hen. 6. to 3 Edw. 4.
„ 11.	„	3 Edw. 4. to 23 Edw. 4.—Close Rolls, 6 John to 1 Hen. 3.
„ 12.	Close Rolls	2 Hen. 3. to 23 Edw. 1.
„ 13.	„	24 Edw. 1. to 17 Edw. 3.
„ 14.	„	18 Edw. 3. to 13 Rich. 2.

PRESS V.

Shelf 1.	Close Rolls	14 Rich. 2. to 21 Hen. 6.
„ 2.	„	22 Hen. 6. to 23 Edw. 4.—Oblata Rolls, 1 John to 3 John.
	Misæ Rolls	11 & 12 John.—Fines, 6 John to 7 Hen. 3.
„ 3.	Fine Rolls	8 Hen. 3. to 8 Edw. 2.
„ 4.	„	9 Edw. 2. to 5 Rich. 2.
„ 5.	„	6 Rich. 2. to 23 Hen. 6.
„ 6.	„	24 Hen. 6. to 23 Edw. 4.—Liberate Rolls, 2 John to 41 Hen. 3.
„ 7.	Liberate Rolls	42 Hen. 3. to 14 Hen. 6.
„ 8.	Redisseisin Rolls	14 Edw. 1. to 39 Hen. 6.—Parliament, 5 Edw. 2. to 4 Hen. 6.
„ 9.	Parliament Rolls	6 Hen. 6. 22 Edw. 4.—Coronation Rolls, 1 Edw. 2. to 1 Hen. 5.
	Exchange Rolls	6 Rich. 2. to 2 Hen. 6.—Staple Rolls, 50 Edw. 3. to 39 Hen. 6.
	Pardon Rolls	22 Edw. 1. to 23 Edw. 4.
„ 10.	Estreat Rolls	45 Hen. 3. to 6 Rich. 2.—Welsh Rolls, 10 Edw. 1. to 23 Edw. 1.
	Scotch Rolls	24 Edw. 1. to 2 Rich. 2.
„ 11.	„	3 Rich. 2. to 22 Edw. 4.—Irish Rolls, 1 Edw. 3. to 30 Edw. 3.
	Norman Rolls	2 John to 10 Hen. 5.—Vascon Rolls, 26 Hen. 3 to 22 Edw. 1.
„ 12.	Vascon Rolls	23 Edw. 1. to 3 Henry 5.
„ 13.	„	4 Hen. 5. to 7 Edw. 4.—French Rolls, 26 Hen. 3. to 3 Rich. 2.
„ 14.	French Rolls	5 Rich. 2. to 37 Hen. 6.

PRESS VI.

Shelf 1.	French Rolls	38 Hen. 6. to 22 Edw. 4.—Roman Rolls, 34 Edw. 1. to 26 Edw. 3.
	Almain Rolls	22 Edw. 1. to 15 Edw. 3.—Subsidy Rolls, 1 Edw. 3. to 2 Rich. 2.
„ 2.	Miscellaneous Rolls	1 to 87.
„ 3.	„	88 to 228.
„ 4.	„	229 to 317.
„ 5.	„	318 to 406.
„ 6.	„	407 to 471.
„ 7.	Hundred Rolls	Swainmote Court Presentments, Statutes 12 Edw. 1. to Edw. 4.
„ 8.	Forest Rolls.	1 to 56.
„ 9.	„	57 to 125.
„ 10.	„	126 to 155. Pleas, &c.
„ 11.	Pleas, &c.	

List of Records removed from the Tower of London, &c.—*continued.*

FLOOR B.

No. 16.—Lower Division.

Press I.

Shelf 1. -	Inquisitions.	4 Edw. 2. to 20 Edw. 2.—County Placita, Bedford to Oxford.
„ 2. -	„	1 Edw. 2. to 13 Edw. 2.—County Placita, Stafford to York, Letters Missive.
„ 3. -	„	14 Edw. 2. to 5 Edw. 3.—Letters Missive, Sign Manuals.

Press III.

Shelf 1. -	Parliamentary Petitions, A to Z.
„ 2. -	Parliamentary Writs.

Press IV.

Shelf 1 -	Royal Letters.

Pursuant to the Master of the Rolls' Warrant above mentioned, the following Chancery Records, which were deposited in the White Tower, have also been removed into the General Repository, viz. :—

No. of Bundles.			
159 -	Bills and Answers	- - - -	Rich. 2. to Edw. 6.
13 -	„	- - - -	Hen. 8. to Mary.
95 -	„	- - - -	Eliz. to Charles 2.
278 -	„	- - - -	Eliz.
378 -	„	- - - -	James 1.
1,456 -	„	- - - -	Charles 1.
678 -	„	Mitford's Division - -	Charles 2. to Queen Anne.
476 -	„	Reynardson's Division -	Charles 2. to Queen Anne.
640 -	„	Bridges' Division - -	Charles 2. to Queen Anne.
671 -	„	Hamilton's Division - -	Charles 2. to Queen Anne.
609 -	„	Collins' Division - -	Charles 2. to Queen Anne.
552 -	„	Whittington's Division -	Charles 2. to Queen Anne.
1,437 -	Town Depositions	- - - -	Hen. 8. to Queen Anne.
760 -	County Depositions	- - - -	Eliz. to Charles 1.
1,006 -	County Depositions	- - - -	Charles 2. to Queen Anne.
9,208			

These Documents are and ought to be only temporarily deposited in the Rooms and Presses below mentioned, as they are very ill-adapted for their preservation and consultation, and I am of opinion that they should be transferred into the block about to be erected, immediately it is fit to receive them. These Rooms can then be appropriated to the Admiralty Records and Books now in the houses in the Rolls Yard.

FLOOR D.—No. 1.

Press I.

Shelf 1. -	Early Chancery Proceedings, Miscellaneous, B and A, Parts 1 to 9.
„ 2. -	Miscellaneous, B and A „ 10 to 35.
„ 3. -	„ „ 36 to 45.
„ 3. -	„ lettered A to S.
„ 4. -	„ „ T to Z, Miscellaneous Chancery Proceedings, 1 to 25.
„ 5. -	„ Chancery Proceedings, 26 to 28.

Press II.

Shelf 1. -	Mitford's Division, 1694 to 1704. Town Depositions, 1 to 17.
„ 2. -	„ 1703 to 1706, Easter 1707 to Easter 1711.
„ 2. -	Town Depositions, 18 to 27*a*.
„ 3. -	Mitford's Division, Trinity 1711 to Hilary 1713, Pleadings before 1714.
„ 3. -	Promiscuous, B and A, before 1714. Town Depositions, 28 to 39.
„ 3. -	Reynardson, Pleadings before 1714, 1st and 2nd Part.
„ 3. -	Bridges, B and A & S B, before Michas. 1714, 1 Bundle.
„ 4. -	Reynardson, Trinity 1689 to Easter 1691. Study Matters 1691.
„ 4. -	Town Depositions, 40 to 48.
„ 5. -	Records entered in 1692. De Anno 1692 to 1695. Town Depositions 49 to 56.
„ 6. -	„ 1696 to 1701. „ 57 to 69.
„ 7. -	„ 1702 to 1706. „ 70 to 84.
„ 8. -	„ 1706 to 1711. „ 85 to 98.
„ 9. -	Pleadings, 1st Part to 5th Part „ 98*a* to 111.

Press III.—Reynardson's Division.

Shelf 1. -	Pleadings, Part 1 to 31.
„ 2. -	„ 32 to 61.
„ 3. -	„ 62 to 91.
„ 4. -	„ 92 to 119.
„ 5. -	„ 120 to 158.
„ 6. -	„ 159 to 175.

List of Records removed from the Tower of London, &c.—*continued.*

Shelf 6.	-	Single Bills before 1714, Part	1 to 10.
„ 7.	-	„ „	11 to 39.
„ 8.	-	„ „	40 to 67.
„ 9.	-	„ „	68 to 73.
„ 9.	-	Bridges' Division. Records before the Reign of King Charles 2, Easter 1649 to Easter and Trinity 1655.	

PRESS IV.

Shelf	1.	-	Eliz.	A. A. 1 to C. C. 14	- -	Town Depositions,	112 to 121.
„	2.	-	„	C. C. 15 to H. H. 5	- -	„	122 to 130.
„	3.	-	„	H. H. 6 to N. N. 2	- -	„	131 to 137.
„	4.	-	„	N. N. 3 to S. S. 20	- - -	„	138 to 147.
„	5.	-	„	S. S. 21 to Z. Z. 1	- - -	„	148 to 157*a*.
„	6.	-	Jas. 1.	A. 1 to B. 34	- - -	„	158 to 166.
„	7.	-	„	B. 35 to D. 6	- - -	„	167 to 173.
„	8.	-	„	D. 7 to H. 4	- - -	„	174 to 179.
„	9.	-	„	H. 5 to K. 7	- - -	„	180 to 187.
„	10.	-	„	K. 8 to N. 7	- - -	„	188 to 198.
„	11.	-	„	N. 8 to R. 16	- - -	„	199 to 206.

FLOOR D.—No. 2.

PRESS I.—CHANCERY PROCEEDINGS.

Shelf	1.	-	Jas. 1.	S. 1 to T. 10	- - -	Town Depositions,	207 to 213.
„	2.	-	„	T. 11 to Z.	- - -	„	214 to 218.
„	3.	-	Chas. 1.	A. A. 1 to A. A. 49	- - -	„	219 to 224.
„	4.	-	„	A. A. 50 to B. B. 45	- -	„	225 to 229.
„	5.	-	„	B. B. 46 to B. B. 93	- -	„	230 to 237.
„	6.	-	„	B. B. 94 to B. B. 146	- -	„	238 to 245.
„	7.	-	„	B. B. 147 to C. C. 31	- -	„	246 to 250.
„	8.	-	„	C. C. 32 to C. C. 83	- -	„	251 to 255.
„	9.	-	„	C. C. 84 to D. D. 11	- -	„	256 to 260.
„	10.	-	„	D. D. 12 to D. D. 62	- -	„	261 to 266.
„	11.	-	„	D. D. 63 to F. F. 14	- -	„	267 to 270.

PRESS II.

Shelf	1.	-	Chas. 1.	F. F. 15 to G. G. 11.
„	2.	-	„	G. G. 12 to G. G. 57.
„	3.	-	„	G. G. 58 to H. H. 39.
„	4.	-	„	H. H. 40 to H. H. 88.
„	5.	-	„	H. H. 89 to I. I. 22.
„	6.	-	„	I. I. 23 to L. L. 8.
„	7.	-	„	L. L. 9 to L. L. 59.
„	8.	-	„	L. L. 60 to M. M. 41.
„	9.	-	„	M. M. 42 to N. N. 14.
„	10.	-	„	N. N. 15 to P. P. 21.
„	11.	-	„	P. P. 22 to P. P. 70.

PRESS III.

Shelf	1.	-	Chas. 1.	P. P. 71 to R. R. 13	- -	Town Depositions,	271 to 279
„	2.	-	„	R. R. 14 to R. R. 56	- -	„	280 to 285.
„	3.	-	„	R. R. 57 to S. S. 33	- -	„	286 to 291.
„	4.	-	„	S. S. 34 to S. S. 73	- -	„	292 to 297.
„	5.	-	„	S. S. 74 to S. S. 119	- -	„	298 to 304.
„	6.	-	„	S. S. 120 to T. T. 27	- -	„	305 to 314.
„	7.	-	„	T. T. 28 to W. W. 6	- -	„	315 to 322.
„	8.	-	„	W. W. 7 to W. W. 33	- -	„	323 to 331.
„	9.	-	„	W. W. 34 to W. W. 76	- -	„	332 to 340.
„	10.	-	„	W. W. 77 to W. W. 126	- -	„	341 to 347.
„	11.	-	„	Y. Y. 1 to Z. Z. 1	- -	„	348 to 353.

PRESS IV.—MITFORD'S DIVISION.

Shelf	1.	-	In Portfolios, Nos.	1 to 12	- -	Town Depositions,	354 to 358.
„	2.	-	„ „	13 to 24	- -	„	359 to 365.
„	3.	-	„ „	25 to 36	- -	„	366 to 370.
„	4.	-	„ „	37 to 49	- -	„	371 to 376.
„	5.	-	„ „	50 to 65	- -	„	377 to 382.
„	6.	-	„ „	66 to 77	- -	„	383 to 388.
„	7.	-	„ „	78 to 91	- -	„	389 to 393.
„	8.	-	„ „	92 to 103	- -	„	394 to 398.
„	9.	-	„ „	104 to 116	- -	„	399 to 404.
„	10.	-	„ „	117 to 129	- -	„	405 to 409.
„	11.	-	„ „	130 to 143	- -	„	410 to 414.

List of Records removed from the Tower of London, &c.—*continued.*

FLOOR D.—No. 3.

PRESS I.—CHANCERY PROCEEDINGS: MITFORD'S DIVISION.

Shelf 1. -	Portfolios, 144 to 157 - - - -	Town Depositions, 415 to 421.
„ 2. -	„ 158 to 175 - - - -	„ 422 to 426.
„ 3. -	„ 176 to 187 - - - -	„ 427 to 431.
„ 4. -	„ 188 to 200 - - - -	„ 432 to 437.
„ 5. -	„ 201 to 217 - - - -	„ 438 to 442.
„ 6. -	„ 218 to 234 - - - -	„ 443 to 447.
„ 7. -	„ 235 to 253 - - - -	„ 448 to 452.
„ 8. -	„ 254 to 256 - - - -	„ 453 to 457.
„ 8. -	Pleadings, Chas. 2., 167th part to 176th.	
„ 9. -	„ „ 177th „ 190th -	„ 458 to 461.
„ 10. -	„ „ 191st „ 203rd -	„ 462 to 465.
„ 11. -	„ „ 204th „ 215th -	„ 466 to 470.

PRESS II.

Shelf 1. -	Pleadings, Chas. 2., 216th part to 223rd, and Nos. 314 to 319.	
„ 1.		Town Depositions, 471 to 474.
„ 2.	„ „ 320th part to 335th -	„ 475 to 477.
„ 3. -	„ „ 336th „ 347th -	„ 478 to 481.
„ 4. -	„ „ 348th „ 359th -	„ 482 to 486.
„ 5. -	„ „ 360th „ 379th -	„ 487 to 492.
„ 6. -	„ „ 380th „ 399th -	„ 493 to 497.
„ 7. -	„ „ 400th „ 414th -	„ 498 to 502.
„ 8. -	Hilary 1692 to Michaelmas 1693 - -	„ 503 to 507.
„ 9. -	Michaelmas 1693, and Pleadings before 1714, 1st part to 7th - - - -	„ 508 to 512.
„ 10. -	Pleadings before 1714, 8th to 19th part -	„ 513 to 519.
„ 11. -	„ 20th to 30th part.	

PRESS III.—CHANCERY PROCEEDINGS: BRIDGES' DIVISION.

Shelf 1. -	Michaelmas 1655 to Michaelmas, and Hilary 1666.
„ 2. -	Easter and Trinity 1667, and Anno 1691, 1st to 8th part.
„ 3. -	Anno 1691, 9th part, to 1693, 3rd part.
„ 4. -	„ 1693, 4th „ 1698, 13th „
„ 5. -	„ 1698, 14th „ 1698, 41st „
„ 6. -	„ 1698, 42nd „ 1699, 7th „
„ 7. -	„ 1699, 8th „ 1704.
„ 8. -	„ 1705, 1st „ 1712, 5th „
„ 9. -	„ 1712, 6th „ 1713, and Pleadings, 1690 to 1700, 1st to 25th part.

PRESS IV.

Shelf 1. -	Pleadings, 1690 to 1700, 26th part, 1700 to 1705 „ 1705 to 1710, 1st to 8th part -	Town Depositions, 524 to 531.
„ 2. -	„ 1705 to 1710 - - - - „ before 1714, 1st to 18th part -	„ 532 to 537.
„ 3. -	„ „ 19th to 44th „	„ 538 to 543.
„ 4. -	„ „ 45th to 69th „	„ 544 to 552.
„ 5. -	„ „ 70th to 97th „	„ 553 to 557.
„ 6. -	„ „ 98th to 127th „	„ 558 to 564.
„ 7. -	„ „ 128th to 157th „	„ 565 to 569.
„ 8. -	„ „ 158th to 186th „	„ 570 to 574.
„ 9. -	„ „ 187th to 213th „	„ 575 to 579.

FLOOR D.—No. 4.

PRESS I.—CHANCERY PROCEEDINGS: MITFORD'S DIVISION.

Shelf 1. -	Pleadings before 1714. 31st to 52nd part.
„ 2. -	„ 53rd to 72nd „
„ 3. -	„ 73rd to 96th „
„ 4. -	„ 97th to 124th „
„ 5. -	„ 125th to 146th „
„ 6. -	„ 147th to 155th „ and
-	Anno 1691. 7 Parts, and Trinity and Michaelmas 1692.
„ 7. -	Michaelmas 1692 and 1694 to 1703. 2 Parts. Promiscuous Bills before 1714. 1st Part.
	REYNARDSON'S DIVISION.
	Easter and Trinity 1649 to Michaelmas and Hilary 1651.
„ 8. -	„ 1652 to Michaelmas and Hilary 1659.
„ 9. -	„ Trinity, Michaelmas, and Hilary 1660 to Easter and Trinity 1667.

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PRESS II.—BRIDGES' DIVISION.

Shelf 1.	Pleadings before 1714, 214th to 234th part.	Town Depositions,	580 to 588.
	„ 1st to 4th „		
„ 2.	Bills, 1690 to 1700, 1700 to 1705, and 1705 to 1710	„	589 to 596.
	Single Bills before 1714, 1st to 20th part.		
	„ „ 21st to 26th „	„	597 to 605.
„ 3.	„ 1698 to 1713, Bills before 1714, 1 Bundle.		
	HAMILTON'S DIVISION.		
	S. Bills, and Bills and Answers before Michaelmas Term 1714, Letter A, No. 1 to No. 6.		
„ 4.	S. B. and B. and A., before Michaelmas 1714. Letter A, No. 7, to Letter B 15.	Town Depositions,	606 to 616.
„ 5.	Letter B, No. 16, to No. 38.	„	617 to 622.
„ 6.	Single Bills and Bills and Answers before Michaelmas Term 1714. Letter B, No. 39, to Letter C, No. 24.	„	623 to 632.
„ 7.	„ Letter C, No. 25, to Letter E, No. 2.	„	633 to 642.
„ 8.	„ Letter E, No. 3, to Letter G, No. 3.	„	643 to 652.
„ 9.	„ Letter G, No. 4, to Letter H, No. 10.	„	653 to 662.

PRESS III.—HAMILTON'S DIVISION.

Shelf 1.	S. B. and B. and A. before Michaelmas Term 1714. Letter H, No. 11, to No. 34	Town Depositions,	663 to 670.
„ 2.	Do. Letter H, No. 35, to Letter L, No. 8	„	671 to 678.
„ 3.	„ Letter L, No. 9, to Letter M, No. 16	„	679 to 685.
„ 4.	„ Letter M, No. 17, to Letter P, No. 5	„	686 to 692.
„ 5.	„ Letter P, No. 6, to Letter R, No. 5	„	693 to 697.
„ 6.	„ Letter R, No. 6, to Letter S, No. 16	„	698 to 704.
„ 7.	„ Letter S, No. 17, to Letter T, No. 7	„	705 to 712.
„ 8.	„ Letter T, No. 8, to Letter W, No. 10	„	713 to 717.
„ 9.	„ Letter W, No. 11, to Letter Z,	„	718 to 723.

PRESS IV.—REYNARDSON'S DIVISION.

In Portfolios.

Shelf 1.	Michaelmas and Hilary 1667 to Trinity 1673	Town Depositions,	724 to 730.
„ 2.	Michaelmas 1673 to Easter 1681	„	731 to 736.
„ 3.	Trinity 1681 to Trinity 1686	„	737 to 742.
„ 4.	Michaelmas 1686 to Easter 1689	„	743 to 747.
	Depositions in bundles, numbered.		
„ 5.	Depositions No. 1 to 22.	Town Depositions,	748 to 751.
„ 6.	„ „ 23 to 44.	„	752 to 757.
„ 7.	„ „ 45 to 68.	„	758 to 761.
„ 8.	„ „ 69 to 90.	„	762 to 768.
„ 9.	„ „ 91 to 114.	„	767 to 773.

FLOOR D.—No. 6.

PRESS I.—HAMILTON'S DIVISION.

Shelf 1.	Anno 1653 to 1656	Town Depositions,	774 to 782.
„ 2.	„ 1657 to 1661	„	783 to 789.
„ 3.	„ 1662 to 1669, 1st part	„	790 to 794.
„ 4.	„ 1669 to 1674, 3rd part	„	795 to 801.
„ 5.	„ 1674 to 1678	„	802 to 807.
„ 6.	„ 1678 to 1682, and single Bills and Bills and Answers before Michaelmas Term, 1714. Letter A.	„	808 to 812.
„ 7.	„ „ Letter B to Letter Z,	„	813 to 817.
„ 8.	„ „ Letter A A to B B B	„	818 to 822.
„ 9.	„ „ Letter C C C to I I I	„	823 to 827.

PRESS II.—HAMILTON'S DIVISION.

Shelf 1.	Hamilton Pleadings before Michaelmas 1714. KKKK.
„ 1.	Collins Pleadings, 1st to 5th Part.
„ 2.	„ 6th to 31st „
„ 3.	„ 32d to 58th „
„ 4.	„ 59th to 89th „

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Shelf 5.	Collins Pleadings, 90th to 100th part. Easter 1649 to Easter 1652. ,,
,, 6.	Trinity 1652 to Hilary 1657.
,, 7.	Easter 1658 to Easter 1662, 1st part.
,, 8.	Easter 1662, 2d part, to Trinity 1667.
,, 9.	Michaelmas 1667 to Hilary 1672.

PRESS III.—COLLINS' DIVISION.

Shelf 1.	Easter 1673 to Hilary 1679.
,, 2.	Easter 1680 to Hilary 1686.
,, 3.	Easter 1687 to 1st part, 1690.
,, 4.	Anno 1690, 2d part, to 2d part, 1696.
,, 5.	,, 1697, 5th part, to 1702, 5th part.
,, 6.	,, 1702, 6th part, to 3rd part, 1709.
,, 7.	,, 1709, 4th part, to 3rd part, 1710, and 1st part A to 17th part B.
,, 8.	18th part B to 1st part G.
,, 9.	2d part G to 4th part L.

PRESS IV.—DEPOSITIONS.

Shelf 1.	Depositions No. 115 to 139	Town Depositions,	828 to 833.
,, 2.	,, 140 to 163	,,	834 to 837.
,, 3.	,, 164 to 187	,,	838 to 842.
,, 4.	,, 188 to 211	,,	843 to 849.
,, 5.	,, 212 to 232	,,	850 to 854.
,, 6.	,, 233 to 250	,,	855 to 860.
,, 7.	,, 251 to 268	,,	861 to 866.
,, 8.	,, 269 to 287	,,	867 to 871.
,, 9.	,, 288 to 305	,,	872 to 874.

FLOOR D.—No. 7.

PRESS I.—COLLINS' DIVISION.

Shelf 1.	5th part L to 3rd part R.	Town Depositions,	875 to 882
,, 2.	4th part R to 2nd part W.	,,	883 to 891.
,, 3.	3rd part W to 14th part W. and SB, 1st part A to 2nd part D.	,,	892 to 899.
,, 4.	SB, 1st part E to 1st part R.	,,	900 to 908.
,, 5.	SB, 2nd part R to YZ. Bills, 1st to 15th part.	,,	909 to 914.
,, 6.	Bills, 16th to 41st part. WHITTINGTON'S DIVISION. 1649, No. 1, to Michaelmas, 1650, No. 7.	,,	915 to 923.
,, 7.	Hilary, 1650, No. 8, to 4th part, 1654, No. 33.	,,	924 to 932.
,, 8.	1st part, 1655, No. 34, to 11th part, 1659, No. 57.	,,	933 to 938.
,, 9.	Michaelmas and Hilary, 1660, No. 59, to Hilary, 1666, No. 82.	,,	939 to 943.

PRESS II.—WHITTINGTON'S DIVISION.

Shelf 1.	Easter and Trinity, 1667, No. 83, to Hilary, 1669, No. 91, and 1st part 1660, 1661, and 1662, to 8th part, 1667, No. 103.	Town Depositions,	944 to 953.
,, 2.	9th part, 1667, No. 104, to 2nd part, 1675, No. 126.		954 to 959.
,, 3.	3rd part, 1675, No. 127, to 2nd part, 1683, No. 148.	,,	960 to 966.
,, 4.	1st to 3rd part, 1684, No. 149, and Pleadings, Easter 1670 to Hilary 1672, No. 167	,,	967 to 971.
,, 5.	Easter 1673, No. 168, to Michaelmas and Hilary, 1677,* No. 189	,,	972 to 976.
,, 6.	Michaelmas, 1677, No. 190, 4th part, to Michaelmas 1683, No. 211	,,	977 to 981.
7.	Hilary, 1683, No. 212, to Easter, 1689, No. 232	,,	982 to 985.

* No. 188 is Trinity 1679.

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Shelf 8.	-	Trinity, 1689, No. 233, to Easter and Trinity, 1699, No. 251 - - -	„ 986 to 990.
„ 9.	-	Michaelmas, and Hilary, 1699, No. 252, to Michaelmas and Hilary, 1705, No. 267, and 1st part, 1685, No. 268 to 1st part, 1687, No. 273. - - - -	„ 991 to 995.

PRESS III.—WHITTINGTON'S DIVISION.

Shelf 1.	-	1st part, 1687, No. 273 to 1701, No. 298.
„ 2.	-	1702, No. 299, to 5th part, 1713, No. 329, and 1663 to 1685, No. 330.
„ 3.	-	Bills and Answers, 1685, No. 331, to 2nd part, 1704, No. 370, 1704.
„ 4.	-	1704, 3rd part, No. 371, to 1713, No. 399, and 1681 to 1685, No. 400. 1698 to 1707, No. 405, and single Bills, 1st part, Letter A.
„ 5.	-	Single Bills, 2nd part, Letter A to Letter N.
„ 6.	-	„ „ Letter O to Letter Z, and SB, 1650 to 1660, No. 1, and 1660 to 1670, No. 13.
„ 7.	-	„ „ 1660 to 1670, No. 14, to 1702, No. 43, 1703, No. 44, to 1714, No. 74, and 1681, to 1714, No. 75, and Bills before 1714, 2 parts; Pleadings before 1714, 5 parts.

PRESS IV.—DEPOSITIONS.

Shelf 1.	-	Depositions,	No. 306 to 326	Town Depositions,		996 to 1004.
„ 2.	-	„	„ 327 to 344	„	„	1005 to 1010.
„ 3.	-	„	„ 345 to 366	„	„	1011 to 1018.
„ 4.	-	„	„ 367 to 395	„	„	1019 to 1024.
„ 5.	-	„	„ 396 to 419*	„	„	1025 to 1029.
„ 6.	-	„	„ 450 to 471	„	„	1030 to 1036.
„ 7.	-	„	„ 472 to 500	„	„	1037 to 1040.
„ 8.	-	„	„ 501 to 524	„	„	1041 to 1045.
„ 9.	-	„	„ 525 to 544	„	„	1046 to 1050.

FLOOR D, CHANCERY DEPOSITIONS.—No. 8.

PRESS I.

Shelf 1.	-	Depositions,	No. 545 to 567.
„ 2.	-	„	„ 568 to 590.
„ 3.	-	„	„ 591 to 611.
„ 4.	-	„	„ 612 to 632.
„ 5.	-	„	„ 633 to 653.
„ 6.	-	„	„ 654 to 674.
„ 7.	-	„	„ 675 to 696.
„ 8.	-	„	„ 697 to 717.
„ 9.	-	„	„ 718 to 740.

PRESS II.

Shelf 1.	-	Depositions,	No. 741 to 762.
„ 2.	-	„	„ 763 to 780.
„ 3.	-	„	„ 781 to 798.
„ 4.	-	„	„ 799 to 816.
„ 5.	-	„	„ 817 to 834.
„ 6.	-	„	„ 835 to 864.
„ 7.	-	„	„ 865 to 894.
„ 8.	-	„	„ 895 to 915.
„ 9.	-	„	„ 916 to 939.

PRESS III.

Shelf 1.	-	Depositions,	No. 940 to 960.
„ 2.	-	„	„ 961 to 980.
„ 3.	-	„	„ 981 to 999.
„ 4.	-	„	„ 1000 to 1019.
„ 5.	-	„	„ 1020 to 1038.
„ 6.	-	„	„ 1039 to 1047, and one of Depositions from 1677 to 1696, A A, and 7 bundles of Miscellaneous.
„ 6.	-	Depositions from Eliz., James I., and Chas. I.,	A 1 to A 4.
„ 7.	-	„ „ „	A 5 to B 17.
„ 8.	-	„ „ „	B 18 to B 53.
„ 9.	-	„ „ „	B 54 to C 4.

* No numbers between 419 and 450, passed over by mistake.

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CHANCERY DEPOSITIONS.—*continued.*

PRESS IV.

Shelf 1.	-	Depositions, Eliz., Jas. I., and Chas. I.	C 5 to C 37.
„ 2.	-	„ „	C 38 to D 6.
„ 3.	-	„ „	D 7 to E 8.
„ 4.	-	„ „	E 9 to F 21.
„ 5.	-	„ „	F 22 to G 23.
„ 6.	-	„ „	G 24 to H 22.
„ 7.	-	„ „	H 23 to H 58.
„ 8.	-	„ „	H 59 to K 8.
„ 9.	-	„ „	K 9 to L 28.

PRESS V.

Shelf 1.	-	Depositions, Eliz., Jas. I., and Chas. I.	L 29 to M 28.
„ 2.	-	„ „	M 29 to O 3.
„ 3.	-	„ „	O 4 to P 26.
„ 4.	-	„ „	P 27 to R 14.
„ 5.	-	„ „	R 15 to S 15.
„ 6.	-	„ „	S 16 to S 52.
„ 7.	-	„ „	S 53 to T 29.
„ 8.	-	„ „	T 30 to W 24.
„ 9.	-	„ „	W 25 to Z.

PRESS VI.

Shelf 1.	-	Town Depositions,	No. 1051 to 1112.
„ 2.	-	„	„ 1113 to 1149.
„ 3.	-	„	„ 1150 to 1188.
„ 4.	-	„	„ 1189 to 1227.
„ 5.	-	„	„ 1228 to 1270.
„ 6.	-	„	„ 1271 to 1312.
„ 7.	-	„	„ 1313 to 1357.
„ 8.	-	„	„ 1358 to 1401.
„ 9.	-	„	„ 1402 to 1437.

FLOOR D.—No. 9.

PRESS I.—FORFEITED ESTATES PAPERS, &c.

In Folios.

Shelf 1.	-	A to P.
„ 2.	-	P to W.
„ 3.	-	Bundles of Claims.
„ 5.	-	Books, Proceedings of Commissioners of Forfeited Estates.
„ 6.	-	Books and Papers belonging to the Six Clerks' Chest.

SCHEDULE OF CONTENTS OF HOUSES IN CHANCERY LANE.

HOUSE, No. 6.

THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL OF THE NAVY.

B Floor, Room 1. Log Books, No. 1 to 4,089.
„ „ 2. „ No. 4,090 to 8,676.
A Floor, Room 1. „ No. 8,677 to 12,108.
„ „ 2. „ No. 12,109 to 13,478.
2 Registers of Logs and Journals, 1 Index to Logs, 1 Index to Master's Logs, and 1 Entry of Captain's and Lieutenant's Journals. From No. 11,657 to 11,906, are unbound.
A Floor, Room 2. Muster Books, 1 to 3,626.
C Floor, Room 1. „ 3,627 to 7,670.
„ „ 2. „ 7,671 to 11,218.
D Floor, Room 1. „ 11,219 to 14,570.
1 Index to Muster Books, 3 Entries of Musters, and 1 Entry of Muster Books, bound.
D Floor, Room 1. Common Letter Books, 1 to 336.
„ „ Comptroller's Pay Books, 1 to 195.
„ „ 2. „ 196 to 5,533.
A Floor, Room 3. „ 5,534 to 5,968.
„ „ Ticket Office Pay Books, 1 to 2,165.
„ „ Yard Wages Books, 1 to 1,392.
B Floor, Room 3. „ 1,393 to 2,285.
C Floor, Room 3. „ 2,286 to 2,912.
C Floor, Consulting Room, Assignment Books, 2,913 to 3,044.
B Floor, Room 3. Miscellaneous Books, No. 1 to 1,170.
„ „ Bills and Ledgers, 1,171 to 1,860.
C Floor, Room 3. „ 1,861 to 2,583.
A Floor, Room 4. „ 2,584 to 2,642.
„ „ Slop Books, 1 to 1,202, with 2 Entries of Slop Books.
„ „ Pilot, Deptford, Woolwich, Chatham, Sheerness, Portsmouth, Plymouth, Promiscuous Bill Books, Minutes, Admiralty Orders, &c., 1 to 848.
„ „ Consuls' and Pursers' Reports, Bills of Exchange, Minutes, General Imprest Registers, Course Books, Ninety Day Bills, &c., 1 to 1233.

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B Floor,	Room	4.	Fee Books, Pension Books, Registers of Bills, Treasurer's Accounts, Victualling Transports, Compassionate Lists, Claims, &c., 1 to 455.
„	„		Minutes, Cash Accounts, Transport, Imprest, Claims, &c., 1 to 172.
„	„		Officers' Pay Bills, Cash Books, Navy Bills, &c., 1 to 94.
„	„		Woolwich Monthly Books, 1 to 22.
„	„		Woolwich and Plymouth Monthly Books, 23 to 242.
	„		Remittances (Papers), 160 bundles.
C „	„	3.	Treasurers' Pay Books, No. 1 to 625.
„	„	4.	Officers' Bills and Remittances (Papers), 346 bundles.
D „	„	3.	Admiralty Orders and Letters relating to Prisoners of War, and Admirals and Captain's Letters, 117 volumes.
„	„	4.	Remittances and Assignment Tickets, 327 bundles.
E „	„	1.	Half-Pay Bills, 114 bundles.
„	„	1.	One Bag of Loose Wages Papers.

A Schedule of Boxes in House No. 6.

B Floor,	Room	4.	Imprest Boxes No. 1 to 151. Letter A, Boxes No. 1 to 71.
C „	„	4.	„ No. 152 to 195.
„	„	4.	Office for Bills and Accounts, No. 1 to 87.
„	„	4.	Marine Accounts, No. 47 to 58.
D „	„	1 and 2.	4 Rough Boxes.
„	„	3.	Naval Medical Papers, 68 Boxes.
„	„	4.	Office for Bills and Accounts, No. 88 to 194.
„	„	4.	Navy, late Treasurer's, No. 1 to 36.
E „	„	4.	„ „ No. 37 to 138.
„	„	3.	„ „ No. 139 to 195.
„	„	3.	Victualling Accounts, No. 1, 2, and 3.
„	„	3.	Marine Accounts, No. 40 to 46.
„	„	2.	Victualling Accounts, No. 4 to 106.
„	„	1.	„ No. 107 to 112.
„	„	1.	Marine Accounts, No. 1 to 39.
„	„	1.	Transport Service, No. 1 to 62.

THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY.

These are placed in a separate compartment,—House No. 6, in the Rolls Yard.

It will be remembered that the greater portion of the Books and Papers belonging to this Department, which were in the White Tower, were ordered to be pulped pursuant to Treasury Letter.

House, No 7.

THE COURT OF ADMIRALTY.

Floor A.

66 bags containing Books and Letters taken in Prizes from the year 1653 to 1799.

Floor B.

Original Letters and Warrants of the Admiralty, in brown paper parcels.—For date, &c. see regular Catalogue.

Floor C.

2 Boxes of Nichola Mole Papers.
19 Boxes of Parish Registers.
2 Boxes of Population Enumeration.
4 Boxes of Documents.

Floor D.

5 Boxes of Parish Registers.
5 Boxes of Population Enumeration.
1 Box—Minorca.
1 „ —Cape of Good Hope.
4 Boxes—Promiscuous.

INVENTORY OF ADMIRALTY COURT.

Books and Boxes.

House No. 9.—Floor A.

Books.

Nos.		
1 to 125	-	Minutes or Rough Drafts of Acts.
126 to 200	-	Books of Acts.
201 to 217	-	Calendars of Act Books.
218 to 313	-	Examinations.
313½	-	Examination respecting the Ship "Margaret," of Southampton.
314	-	Calendar of Examinations in Prize Business.
315 to 452	-	Assignation Books.
453 to 531	-	Warrant Books.
532 to 585	-	Prize Acts.

List of Records removed from the Tower of London, &c.—*continued.*

Nos.	*Books.—continued.*
586 to 626	Sentences in Prize and Condemnation.
627 to 641	Sentences and Interlocutories.
642 to 681	Letters of Marque.
682 to 713	Letters of Marque or Reprisal.
714 & 715	Letters of Reprisal against Spain.
716	Calendar of Sentences in Reprisal.
717	Calendar of Reprisal Interrogatories.
718	Book of Entry. Copies of Letters of Reprisals; Instructions thereon, and Orders about Prize Business.
719	Calendar of Reprisals.
720	Letters and Reports about the Ships taken in the War declared against France.
721	Bonds taken on the issuing Letters of Marque.
722	Register of Prizes.
723 & 724	Assignation Books, Spanish War.
725 to 744	„ French War.
745	„ French and Spanish.
746 to 751	American Prize. Assignation Book.
752 to 756	Spanish Prize „
757 to 766	Dutch Prize „
767 to 783	French Prize „
784	Calendar of Spanish Galleons taken.
785	French and Spanish Assignations.
786 to 796	Appeals. Assignations Books.
797 to 803	„ „ French.
804 to 806	„ „ Spanish.
807 to 813	„ „ Dutch.
814 to 816	„ „ American.
817	Calendar of Sentences in Appeal Causes.
818	Commission and order to proceed in Prize Causes, and Interrogatories to be administered.
819 to 830	Calendars.
831 to 886	Answers.
887 & 888	Commissions of Reprisal.
889	Books of Bonds.
890 & 891	Calendar of Goods and Ships restored.
892	Calendar of Goods condemned.
893 & 894	Letters of Attorney.
895	Receipt for Papers out of Registers' Court.
896	List of Ships taken and of Papers brought into the Admiralty Office.
897	List of Ships' Papers.
898	Calendar of Monitions iszued against Ships as Prize.
899 to 908	Books of Processes.
909 to 911	Bundles of Processes.
912 to 934	In bundles,—Books of Assignation and the Files of Act which are entered in the Books of Acts for that time.
935 to 951	Files of Prize, Appeal Bail Reports, and Copies of Inhibition.
952 to 955	File of Drafts in Admiralty and Prize Court.
956 to 1,023	Files of Exemplifications.
1,024 to 1,057	Files of Papers, Instruments, Examinations, &c., and the proceedings in Prize and Instance Causes.
1,058	Curia Admiraltatis pro Comitatu Cestriæ et Lancastriæ et partium mariti marum earum, &c.
1,059	Examinations relative to the burning of the Mary Bonadventure.
1,060 to 1,069	Commissions of Oyer and Terminer.
1,070	Commissions for appointing Vice Admiralty Courts at Minorca, Gibraltar, and Nova Scotia.
1,071	Ditto at St. John's, America.
1,072	Ditto at New South Wales.
1,073	Commission for determining American Prize Causes.
1,074 & 1,075	„ for Letters of Marque against France.
1,076 to 1,078	„ „ „ Spain, and for determining Spanish Prize Causes.
1,079 & 1,080	„ to proceed in Prize Causes.
1,081	„ for taking French and Spanish, and to proceed in Prize Causes.
1,082 to 1,086	Commission to proceed in Prize Causes.
1,087	„ for Letters of Marque against France, and for determining Prize Causes against the same.
1,088	„ for Letters of Marque against the Dutch, and to proceed in Prize Causes against the same.
1,089	9 Commissions of Appeal in Prize Causes.
1,090	A tin case containing some private Accounts (French.)
1,091	Commissions of Oyer and Terminer for the years 1695–1715, 1718–1726, and 1727, in one parcel, were formerly in a box.
1,092	A Book containing Acts, Libels, Allegations, &c.

List of Records removed from the Tower of London, &c.—*continued.*

BOXES.—FLOOR A.

1 to 15	-	Prize Papers, War, 1793.
16	-	Prize Monitions.
17	-	Prize Allegations.
18 to 35	-	Prize Papers, War, 1793.

FLOOR B.

36 to 38	-	Prize Papers, War, 1793.
39 to 49	-	„ „ 1803 to 1810.
50 to 79	-	„ Common Condemnations, War, 1803 to 1810.
80 to 93	-	„ „ after 1803.
94 to 115	-	Appeal Papers, War, 1793.
116 to 123	-	Prize Appeal Papers, War, 1793.

For Names of Causes in the preceding boxes, *see* regular Catalogue.

BOXES.—FLOOR B.

The following boxes have no regular Catalogue :—

Nos.		
124	-	Declaration for Letters of Marque.
125	-	Declarations and Warrants for Letters of Marque.
126	-	Letters of Marque Bonds, and two cases of Proctor's Substitutions.
127 to 130	-	Letters of Marque Bonds.
131	-	Letters of Marque Bonds, and Prize Allegations.
122 to 137	-	Letters of Marque Bonds.
138	-	Commissions for granting Letters of Marque and for determining Prize Causes, in 13 small cases. Also Prize Appeal Commission and Commission appointing Dr. Nicholl King's Advocate.
139	-	Records of the Instance Court of Admiralty at Guadaloupe ; Affidavits in Embargo Cases ; two cases of Prize Allegations ; an Affidavit as to Ship Papers, with Translations annexed, respecting the Prize "Los Quattros Santos," and a bundle of Registrar's Reports.

			Date.
140	-	Prize Allegations - - - - -	1640 to 1674.
141	-	Prize Acts and Drafts - - - -	1776 to 1787.
142 and 143	-	Prize Reports - - - - - -	1664 to 1674.
144	-	Commissions and Decrees of Appraisement and Sale -	1626 to 1687.
145	-	„ „ „ -	1687 to 1745.
146 to 149	-	Prize Papers - - - - - -	1689 to 1700.

FLOOR C.

			Date.
150 to 155	-	Prize Papers - - - -	1739 to the end of War.
156 to 163	-	„ - - - -	1759 „
164	-	Prize Acts and Drafts - - -	1739 to 1759.
165 to 169	-	„ „ - - -	1702 to 1723.
170 to 186	-	Prize Papers - - - -	1776 to 1786.
187 to 190	-	Appeals - - -	from 1739 to the end of the War.
191 to 195	-	- - - - -	from 1756 to end of War.
196 to 199	-	„ - - - -	„ 1776 „
200	-	Monitions - - - - - -	1664–1719.
201	-	„ - - - - - -	1739–1772.
202	-	„ - - - - - -	—
203	-	French, Spanish, and Dutch Bonds - -	1781.
204	-	Libels, Allegations, and First Decrees - -	1533–1560.
205	-	„ „ and Instance Papers	1560–1575.
206	-	„ „ - -	1575–1593.
207	-	„ „ - -	1593–1608.
208	-	Libels, Allegations, First Decrees, and Instance Papers	1608–1626.
209	-	„ „ -	1626–1635.
210	-	„ „ -	1635–1638.
211	-	„ „ -	1638–1640.
212	-	„ „ -	1640–1644.
213	-	„ „ -	1644–1654.
214	-	„ „ -	1645–1655.
215	-	„ „ -	1654–1662.
216	-	„ „ -	1655–1684.
217	-	„ „ -	1662–1678.
218	-	„ „ -	1678–1690.
219	-	„ „ -	1690–1700.
220	-	„ „ -	1700–1717.
221	-	„ „ -	1717–1728.
222	-	„ „ -	1728–1739.
223	-	Instance Papers - - - -	1650–1670.
224	-	„ - - - -	1670–1690.
225	-	„ - - - -	1690–1700.
226	-	„ - - - -	1700–1717.
227	-	„ - - - -	1690–1727.
228	-	„ - - - -	1718–1730.
229	-	„ - - - -	1730–1739.
230		„ - - - -	1739–1756.

List of Records removed from the Tower of London, &c.—*continued.*

231	Instance Papers and Interrogatories	1648–1658.
232	„ „	1658.
233	„ and First Decrees	1757–1772.
234	Exhibits and Instance	1629–1650.
235	Extravag. Libels, Allegations, and Instance	1652–1664.
236	Warrants, Monitions, Decrees, and „	1536–1600.
237	„ „ „	1600–1645.
238	„ „ „	1684–1718.
239	„ „ „	1718–1761.
240	Appeals „ „ „	1689–1699.
241	Appeals, Acts, Drafts, and Sentences	1674–1758.
242	„ „	1759–1787.
243	Letters of Attorney	1708–1781.
244	Examinations in Piracy Causes	1535–1776.
245	Bails and Letters of Marque	1690–1697.
246	„ „	1702–1705.
247	„ „	1739–1744.
248	„ „	No Date.
249	„ „ French and Spanish	1744–1748.
250	„ „ „	1762.
251	American and French Bonds	1778.
252	American, French, Spanish, and Dutch Bonds	1780.

39 Boxes of various Papers, with average Date on each.

A large Basket and Trunk, filled with miscellaneous Papers.

FLOOR D.

Ship Letters and Disbursements.
Bails and Letters of Marque, 1625–27.
„ 1756–58.
„ 1758–62.
American, French, Dutch, and Spanish Bonds, 1782–83.
Foreign Bakery, &c. &c.
Cape of Good Hope Boxes.
Promiscuous Letters, Letters from Ordnance respecting Victualling, and Letters from the War Office.

By my Letter of the 7th August 1856, I reported that the contents of the Council Chamber and Match Room, in the White Tower, had been removed, pursuant to the command of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, and that in those Rooms were deposited a large portion of the Chancery Proceedings already mentioned, the Records of the Court of Admiralty, the Books and Papers belonging to the Accountant General of the Navy, to the Director General of the Medical Department of the Navy, and to the Registration Commission. Those portions of the above-mentioned Records, Papers, and Books, which belong to the Court of Admiralty, the Accountant General of the Navy, the Director General of the Medical Department of the Navy, and the Registration Commission, have been placed in the Houses in Chancery Lane, which were given up to the Record Service.

There still remain in St. John's Chapel, in the White Tower—

2736 Bundles of Bills, Answers, and Depositions in Chancery, commonly called the late series, extending from the year 1714 to that of 1758.

840 Bundles of Bills and Answers roughly sorted, extending from the reign of Elizabeth to that of Charles the First.

939 Bundles of Brevia, from the reign of John to that of Charles the Second, both included.

The above are to be removed into the General Repository, in Rooms No. 10, and 11, on D Floor, as soon as the slate shelves are ready to receive them; but they are only to be temporarily deposited there, as the rooms in question are ill-adapted for their preservation and consultation.

(Signed) T. DUFFUS HARDY.

No. 2.—Summary of Proceedings in the Public Record Office, for the Year ended 31st December 1856.

No. 2.—Summary of Proceedings in the Public Record

OFFICES.	ARRANGEMENT, REPAIRS, &c.	REMOVALS.
ROLLS HOUSE, and GENERAL REPOSITORY.	Treasury Records:— Cape Coast Castle Books, &c.—Dusted, tied up in parcels, classified, and arranged. French Refugee Clergy Relief Papers—Partly opened, cleansed, and tied up in paper; damaged by sewer water. Irish Commissariat Books—Placed upon shelves. Irish Reproductive Loan Fund—Books placed in order upon shelves, and ticketed. Registered and Unregistered Papers—Arrangement continued; tied up, labelled, and numbered; 1790 to 1829 placed in order upon racks. Treasury Solicitor's Papers:— Arrangement continued; primary sortation, temporary ticketing, and numbering of parcels, completed; one-third finally revised; selections of waste made. French Claims' Commission Records:— Further incorporations, &c. War Office Papers:— Arrangement and ticketing continued; about 12 tons weeded and sent to Stationery Office to be pulped. Registrar of Metropolitan Buildings' Records:— Books classified, ticketed, and numbered.	6, Adelphi Terrace to 5, Rolls Yard:— Records of Registrar of Metropolitan Buildings, pursuant to Treasury Letter dated 21st December 1855, and Warrant of Master of the Rolls dated 17th January 1856; portions being afterwards delivered to the late Surveyor, to the Metropolitan Board of Works, &c. 11, Whitehall Place to Rolls House:—French Claims' Commission Papers: further transfers, in continuation. War Department to 16, and 17, Chancery Lane, now 8, Rolls Yard:—Various transfers, in continuation. Treasury Chambers to 16, and 17, Chancery Lane, now 8, Rolls Yard:—Further transfers, pursuant to Treasury Letter dated 4th October 1856, including Papers, &c., relating to Irish Reproductive Loan Fund. Treasury Solicitor's Office to General Repository:—Further transfers, in continuation. Dublin to Rolls House:—Books, &c., relating to the Irish Commissariat, pursuant to Treasury Letter dated 23d June 1856. Rolls House to State Paper Branch Record Office:—12½ vols. of Royal Letters, &c., pursuant to authority of Master of the Rolls, dated 8th April 1856.
ROLLS CHAPEL.	Chancery:— Various Membranes, &c. - - - Damped. 1,154 - Mended. 1,672 - Sewed. 3,486	House of Lords to Rolls Chapel:—Parliament Rolls, 18 & 19 Vict. Enrolment Office to Rolls Chapel:— Close Rolls, 1841. Recognizance Rolls, 1840 and 1841. Memorials of Annuities, 1841. Petty Bag Office to Rolls Chapel:—Pate Rolls and Privy Seals, &c., 2 Vict. Office of Clerks of Records and Writs, &c. t Rolls Chapel:—90 Decrees, and Dockets. Rolls Chapel to Charity Commissioners:—Books and Papers of the late Charities' Commissioners, pursuant to Warrant of the Master of the Rolls, dated 11 June 1856.
TOWER, and GENERAL REPOSITORY.	Chancery, &c.:— Miscellaneous—658 documents cleaned; 624 repaired; arranging, ticketing, &c., during removals.	Tower to General Repository, &c., pursuant to Warrants dated 10 June 1856:— *From Wakefield Tower:—* Chancery Records; to General Repository. *From White Tower:—* Chancery Records; to General Repository (except 3,576 bundles of Bills and Answers, and 939 bundles of Brevia). Forfeited Estates' Documents; to Gen. Repository. Census Commission Papers; to 15, Chancery Lane, now 7, Rolls Yard. Admiralty Court Records; to 20, Chancery Lane, now 9, Rolls Yard. Admiralty Records; to 8, 9, 10, 11, and 15, Chancery Lane, now 6 and 7, Rolls Yard.
CHAPTER HOUSE.	Common Pleas:— Notes of Fines—Stamped, numbered, and compared with Index, until removal: above 180,000 done. Court of Wards and Liveries Court of Requests - - Court of Star Chamber - } Cleaned, examined, sorted, and packed, previously to removal.	Chapter House to State Paper Branch Record Office:—Miscellaneous State Documents, Hen. VIII. to Jas. I., pursuant to Warrant dated 8 April 1856. Chapter House to General Repository:—Notes of Fines, and Indexes, pursuant to Warrant dated 24th July 1856.
CARLTON RIDE. *Mr. Hunter's Division.*	Exchequer: *Queen's Remembrancer,—* Miscellaneous—Arrangement continued.	- - - -
Mr. Roberts' Division (including General Repository).	Common Pleas:— Common Rolls—Miscellaneous—Sorted and made up in bundles, as an addition to regular series. Concords of Fines—13 Eliz. to 4 Jas. II., and 1 to 3 Wm. and Mary—Cleaned, flattened, and temporarily packed for removal:—2 to 4 Geo. III., 8,160 suits, containing 14,693 documents, cleaned, stamped, connected in suits, sorted in counties, collated with Writ of Entry Books, and permanently packed. Feet of Fines (early series), 12 Chas. II. to 4 Jas. II.—Flattened and uniformly packed; 87 bundles, or 62,100 documents, in 66 packages: For 5 counties, placed in vellum cases. Feet of Fines (modern series)—Will. and Mary to Geo. III., packed in 172 packages. Notes of Fines—14,468 cleaned and flattened; 211 Terms, 1 to 53 Geo. III., taken off the files, checked with Inventories, and tied up; Indexes repaired. Recovery Rolls—Miscellaneous—Sorted and made up in bundles, as an addition to regular series. Exchequer:— *Queen's Remembrancer,—* Depositions by Commission—Jas. I.—Placed in portfolios, 200 repaired. *Augmentation:—* Miscellaneous—44 portfolios examined and ticketed. Welsh Records:— Books (South Wales Circuits)—About 200 sorted and ticketed. Chamberlains' Accounts (Chester Exchequer)—135 Rolls sorted and ticketed; some repaired. Chancery Records (3 counties)—21 sacks emptied; contents placed in boxes. Docket Rolls (8 counties)—Thoroughly repaired, covered, and ticketed. Fines (7 counties)—Sorted into years, flattened, arranged between millboards, in 174 packages, and ticketed. Gaol Files (8 counties)—Sorted into years, packed in 224 bags, and ticketed. Inquisitions (Chester)—1,341 flattened and mended. Ministers' Accounts (Chester and Macclesfield)—Sorted. Miscellaneous (Denbigh and Montgomery)—Sorted, added to proper files, &c. Papers (10 counties)—Sorted into years, packed in 261 bags, and ticketed. Plea Rolls (all the counties)—Temporary covers, ticketed, and arranged chronologically on shelves, 5,954 rolls. Recognizance Rolls (Chester Exchequer)—344 Rolls sorted and examined. Remembrance Rolls (2 counties)—406 Rolls sorted and examined. Writs (8 counties)—Sorted, packed in 330 bags, and ticketed. *Binding:—*78 vols. re-bound; 32 repaired: 87 Welsh Books extensively repaired, &c.	Chapter House to General Repository:—Notes of Fines, and Indexes, pursuant to Warrant dated 24th July 1856.
STATE PAPER BRANCH RECORD OFFICE.	State Papers:— Domestic - Foreign - Colonial - } Distributed into classes, dated, arranged, incorporated, and made up into bundles. Treaty Papers—Arrangement continued. Trade Papers—Dated and incorporated. Chapter House Papers—Hen. VIII.—Selected, distributed into classes, &c. Wolsey and Cromwell Papers—1515-1540—Incorporated with State Papers. Deeds and Leases—Jas. I. and Chas. I.—683 cleaned, mended, stamped, and folded for cases. Correspondence—Various insertions; repaired and ticketed; 218 vols. stamped; 57 vols. separated for distribution into classes. 10,000 vols. dusted, cleaned, and replaced on shelves. *Binding:—*65 vols. various.	Foreign Office to State Paper Branch Record Office:—12 Ratifications of Treaties. Rolls House to State Paper Branch Record Office:—12½ vols. of Royal Letters, &c., pursuant to authority of Master of the Rolls, dated 8th April 1856. Chapter House to State Paper Branch Record Office:—Miscellaneous State Documents—Hen. VIII. to Jas. I., pursuant to Warrant dated 8th April 1856.

OFFICE, for the Year ended 31st December 1856.

INVENTORIES.	CALENDARS.	INDEXES.	FEES. Searches.	Inspections.	Copies.	Authentications.	Attendances.	Amount of Fees. £ s. d.
TREASURY RECORDS:— Cape Coast Castle Books, &c.—In progress; 1743 to 1769 done. Registered and Unregistered Papers—List of bundles. TREASURY SOLICITOR'S, PAPERS, 1715 to 1855:— Continued	STATE PAPERS, &c., Hen. VIII.:— Commenced.	- - - - -	8	172	17	12	1	10 3 0
- - - -	- - - -	CHANCERY:— Close Rolls—1828, 1830, 1834, 1836, 1839, in progress. Decrees—Entered up, 90. Patent Rolls—1 Vict. completed; 2 Vict. in progress. Specifications—1840, Entered up.	504	1,525	258	116	11	297 15 6
- - - -	CHANCERY:— Petitions to Parliament, &c.—105 more, making 6,998. Royal Letters—Continued; upwards of 1,000 more.	Chancery, Common Pleas, and Welsh.	105	341	244	185	1	121 5 6
- - - -	COURT OF REQUESTS:— Continued—228 more Suits, making 3,684 Suits, or 11,057 documents, Eliz.:—alto, various Letters. COURT OF WARDS AND LIVERIES:— Various Letters.	- - - -	52	62	27	18	—	11 17 0
- - - -	EXCHEQUER:— *Queen's Remembrancer*,— Miscellaneous, continued.	- - - -	4	284	80	3	—	20 5 0
QUEEN'S BENCH and COMMON PLEAS:—Lists checked or re-made, fair copied, and bound. COMMON PLEAS:—Notes of Fines, Wm. and Mary (14,709 documents). WELSH RECORDS:— Various lists, &c.	CHANCERY:— Patent Rolls—Continued to 34 Hen. VIII., part 6. EXCHEQUER:— *Queen's Remembrancer*:— Depositions by Commission—Continued to Easter, 6 James I.	COMMON PLEAS:— Feet of Fines—Correction of Indexes, 55 Geo. III. to 2 Geo. IV. EXCHEQUER:— *Queen's Remembrancer*:— Depositions by Commission—Continued to Easter, 6 Jas. I.						
		Q. Bench	35	57	29	14	4	27 16 6
		C. Pleas	494	44	285	265	—	92 18 0
		Exchequer	82	451	276	99	2	176 1 6
- - - -	STATE PAPERS:— Domestic—Edw. VI., Mary, Eliz., 1547-1580, prepared for press, and printed. Jas. I., in progress. Chas. I. and II., in progress, 1628 nearly completed, 1634, 1662, 1663, continued. Irish—Hen. VIII., continued; completed to 1540. Scotch and Border Papers, and Papers relating to Mary, Queen of Scots — To end of Eliz., in progress.	STATE PAPERS:— Domestic—Edw. VI., Mary, Eliz., 1547-1580: Index to Printed Calendar.	2	20	215	1	—	28 19 0
		TOTAL - -	1,286	2,956	1,431	713	19	857 1 0

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